

## Lesson 57: Presentation

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### 1. Dialogue

First, repeat after your tutor. Then, practice each role.

Taro is an engineer at Hydra Computers, and he has been working on a new smart watch. Taro is now showing the new smart watch to the company executives.

Taro: Good morning, gentlemen. The engineers at Hydra have been improving Hydra's smart watch. Let me present to you the Nimbus 2020.

Mr. Wilson: How is it different from the previous model?

Taro: The new smart watch is now fitted with a heartbeat monitor.

Mr. Wilson: How does that work?

Taro: You just need to press the small button on the side. It will immediately show your heart rate on the touch screen.

Mr. Wilson: What other features can you show us?

Taro: The Nimbus 2020 has a tiny camera, a GPS and a distance tracker.

Mr. Wilson: A distance tracker?

Taro: Yes. Runners and cyclists can use the Nimbus 2020 to check the distance they've covered.

Mr. Wilson: I see. Do you think that tech consumers will like these features?

Taro: Yes, I do. The Nimbus 2020 **is projected to** sell better than the previous model because of the sports features.

### 2. Today's Phrase

First, repeat after your tutor. Then, make a few sentences using Today's phrase.

1. The price of oil **is projected to** go up in the next month.
2. The iPhone 10 **is projected to** beat all other smartphones.
3. In the coming months, the Chinese stock market **is projected to** drop by 20%.

\* **be projected to ~ / ~すると予測されている**

### 3. Your Task

You are doing a presentation of a new product, which is a massage chair. Here are the important features to mention to the company executives: It has a mini computer that measures the user's body weight. The computer also detects tensed muscles, and will automatically suggest which massage program to use. The user can choose light or heavy pressure. The seat has a heater and it is covered in leather for durability and elegance. Don't forget to introduce yourself before doing the presentation.

### 4. Let's Talk

What kind of product presentations do you enjoy watching?

Why?

What is the importance of product presentations?

How should you prepare for a product presentation?

### 5. Today's photo

Describe the photo in your words as precisely as possible.



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