

Lesson 70: Payment 1 (Making Payments)

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1. Dialogue

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

George works for Hydra Computers. He is delivering orders to a computer shop. Mayumi is receiving the items, and she's making payment immediately.

George: Hello. I'm from Hydra Computers. I've come to deliver these.

Mayumi: I was **expecting** you **to** deliver them this morning.

George: Sorry, I'm late. You ordered 10 hard disks, 15 headsets, and 10 tablets.

Mayumi: (Counting the items) Yes. That's what we ordered.

George: The invoice says 'payment upon delivery'.

Mayumi: I've got the cheque right here.

George: Thank you. Here's your receipt, ma'am.

2. Today's Phrase

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

1. Mr. Lee is **expecting** all employees **to** attend the meeting.
2. The Japanese **expect** prices **to** rise during the 2020 Olympics.
3. I didn't **expect** him **to** succeed in his business.

* **expect A to ~** / Aが~することを期待する、~するだろうと思う

3. Your Task

You work in the accounting department. Your company ordered some equipment from ABC Company 30 days ago, and it's time to pay it. Talk to your manager (=your tutor) about it. She'll tell you that the cheque for ABC Company is ready. Then, call ABC Company (=your tutor) to tell them that they can pick up the cheque anytime. Thank them for doing business with your company.

4. Let's Talk

Talk about the monthly payments that most companies have to make.

Does your company always pay on time? Explain your answer.

Why is it important to pay business partners on time?

5. Today's photo

Describe the photo in your words as precisely as possible.



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