

Lesson 92: Apology 1: Receiving an Apology (Casual)

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1. Dialogue

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

Mr. Yamada is talking to Bob about a sales report.

Bob: I heard you wanted to talk to me, Mr. Yamada?

Mr. Yamada: Bob, you gave me the wrong report. This was last month's sales report.

Bob: I guess I picked the wrong file.

Mr. Yamada: It's a good thing that I didn't give the report to the company president.

Bob: I'm really sorry, sir. It won't happen again.

Mr. Yamada: I **accept** your **apology**. Please be more careful next time.

2. Today's Phrase

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

1. Lady Gaga **accepted** the reporter's **apology**.
2. Mr. Lee **accepted** Jack's **apology** for being late.
3. Please **accept** our **apology** for the problems we have caused.

* **accept one's apology** / (人のお詫びを受け入れる)

3. Your Task

You're in a restaurant and you've been waiting for someone to take your order. A waiter (=your tutor) has finally come and has apologized for making you wait. Respond to his apology and then, give him your order.

4. Let's Talk

What do you think about when you hear the word 'apology'?

When was the last time you received an apology?

Is it easy for you to forgive someone? Why do you say so?

5. Today's photo

Describe the photo in your words as precisely as possible.



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