

Situational Usage

What would you say in the following situations?

1. Your colleague is asking about the price of the airplane ticket you just purchased. Tell her that it was very expensive.

たか
とても 高 かったですよ。

2. You saw a movie with your friend. Comment on what a boring movie it was!

えいが
つまらない 映 画 でしたねえ。

3. You are asked if you are busy now. Tell her that you are not busy at all.

いそが
ぜんぜん 忙 しくありません/ないですよ。

4. Ask your colleague if the trip he made last month was fun.

りょこう たの
先月の 旅 行 は 楽 しかったですか。

5. Your acquaintance is asking about your colleague Tanaka. Tell him that Tanaka is a very quiet person.

しず
田中さんはとても 静 かな人ですよ。

6. Your neighbor is famous for having luxurious birthday parties every year. Ask him what he will do on this year's birthday.

たんじょうび なに
今年の 誕 生 日 には、何 をしますか。

7. Your colleague will go on a business trip tomorrow. Ask her what time she will get on the airplane.

なんじ ひこうき の
何 時 に 飛 行 機 に 乗 り ます か。

8. After making a fuss looking for the concert tickets, you just found them in your wallet. Apologize to the people who helped you and tell them that the tickets were inside of your wallet.

きっぷ さいふ
どうもすみません。切 符 は 財 布 の 中 に あり ました。

9. Your counselor asks if you already talked with your teachers. Tell her that you talked with your Japanese language teacher but not with your literature teacher.

にほんご せんせい はな ぶんがく はな
日 本 語 の 先 生 と は 話 し ましたが、文 学 の 先 生 と は 話 し ませ ン でした。

10. You are asked what you bought at the souvenir shop. Tell them that you bought 5 beautiful postcards.

まいか
きれいな は が き を 五 枚 買 い ました。

11. Ask your date what kind of child he/she was when he/she was little.

小さい時、どんな ^{こども} 子供 でしたか。

12. You are talking with your colleagues. Suggest a plan of going out tonight.

^{こんばん} 今 晩 ^で いっしょに出かけましょう。

13. You are asked if you did surfing both on Saturday and Sunday. Tell them that you did surfing on Saturday, but not on Sunday.

土曜日にはサーフィンをしましたけど、日曜日」にはしませんでした。

14. You are asked your opinions about places to live. Tell them that you don't like busy (lively) cities.

にぎやかな ^{まち} 町 ^す はあまり好きじゃありません／ないです。

15. You heard that your colleague went to a new restaurant. Ask her how the food at the new restaurant is.

その ^{あたら} 新 ^{たもの} しいレストランの食べ物 はどうですか。

16. Your colleague, who is away on a business trip now, is on the phone and is asking you how Tokyo has been. Tell him that it was hot last week but it's a little cold this week.

^{せんしゅう} 先 週 ^{あつ} は暑 かったですけど ^{こんしゅう} 今 週 ^{さむい} はちょっと 寒 いです。

17. You are trying to decide on the place for the movie party. Mention that there is a very big TV in Sue's room.

スーさんの ^{へや} 部屋には、とても大きいテレビがありますよ。

18. Tell your students that the homework of the international relation class is due next Tuesday (literally, it's till next Tuesday).

^{こくさいかんけい} 国 際 関 係 のクラス ^{しゅくだい} の宿 題 ^{らいしゅう} は、来 週 の火曜日までです。

19. You are asked if you like fish. Answer by saying you neither like it nor dislike it.

^す 好きでもきらいでもありません。

20. You are asked how your tests went. Say that the economics test was difficult but the music test was not very difficult.

^{けいざい} 経 済 のテストはむずかしかったですけど、^{おんがく} 音 楽 のテストはあまりむずかしくありませんでした／なかったです。

21. Tell your colleague that when you were a child, you used to swim in the beautiful ocean near your house every day.

子どもの時、^{まいにちうち} 毎 日 家 のそばのきれいな ^{うみ} 海 ^{およ} で 泳 ぎました。

22. Tell your plan of tomorrow – you will go to 10am class, but you will not go to an evening party.

^{あした} 明 日 ^{ごぜん} は午 前 十時のクラスには行きますが／けど、^{ばん} 晩 のパーティには行きません。

23. Tell your teacher that there is a beautiful park in your town. There are delicious restaurants, too.

わたし まち こうえん
私 の 町 にはきれいな 公 園 があります。おいしいレストランもたくさんあり
ますよ。

24. You are asked about homework. Tell her that yesterday's homework was very easy.

しゅくだい
きのうの 宿 題 はとてもやさしかったです。

25. Ask a host what kind of drink he has.

の もの
どんな飲み 物 がありますか。

26. Tell your colleague that your favorite sports are golf and ski.

す
好きなスポーツはゴルフとスキーです。

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