

GREETINGS (Unit 1 &2)

Introduction

Describe each picture.





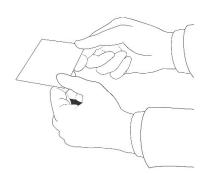


♣ Q & A

Answer the following questions:

1 The first meeting

- a. What are the common business etiquette rules practiced in your country?
- b. What is considered rude or a big "NO NO" in introducing oneself?
- c. How important is it to have a good impression?
- d. Is there anything you want to change or improve in Japan's or your company's business culture?



2 Introducing Others

- a. How have positions and seniority affected people's interaction with coworkers in the office?
- b. How crucial is it to have knowledge about the position of the person you are talking with?
- c. What is an ideal working environment for you?
- d. What should you do when giving an office tour to a newly-hired co-worker?





Role Play

Do the role-play with your teacher.

You have been promoted and transferred to a different branch of your company.

You are meeting your new coworkers for the first time.

You should:

- introduce yourself
- talk about your previous job assignment
- your current position
- say how excited you are to be working with all of them





A foreign co-worker from Korea who will be working as a sales person in your company has just arrived.

You are assigned to introduce and show him around the office.

You should:

Introduce him/ her to these people:

Tiana- Human Resource Dept. Manager

George- Director of the current Branch

Yousuke- Team member of the Sales Dept.

Show him around the office and talk about certain places:

cafeteria rest room/ toilet

conference room

Extra Exercise!

Situation



What will you do in the following situations:

- 1. You are in the company cafeteria and you accidentally nudge your new boss's chest.
- 2. You are busy talking to your best friend in a café and you realize that your boss is seated next to you.
- 3. You are in the same elevator with your coworker and his/her boyfriend/girlfriend
- 4. You are in a business trip and you encounter and old friend.