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At the Airport

The aim of this lesson is to make the students use the key vocabulary and target expressions in a more natural manner.

Language Point

<p>Where are you headed to today?</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Where are you flying to today? - What's your destination? - Can I have your flight number, please? 	
<p>Can I have your passport, please?</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Could I have your passport, please? - May I have your passport, please? - Can I see your passport, please? 	
<p>Have a nice flight.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Enjoy your flight. - Have a nice trip. - Have a pleasant journey. 	

Key vocabulary

be headed to~	assigned to~	fly to~	aisle
available	switch to~	set	boarding time

Part 1

I. INTRODUCTION

Major airports across the globe follow similar check-in procedures. For a **smoother and faster process** at the airport, it is better to prepare your essential travel documents ahead of time.



II. PRESENTATION

A. Expressions

	Questions:
Where are you headed to today?	<ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ If you were to fly somewhere right this instant, where would you go?
Can I have your passport, please?	<ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Do you have a habit of bringing your passport anywhere you go even if you are in your home country?
Have a nice flight.	<ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ How often do you travel by plane? Do you enjoy it?

B. Dialogue

Practice the dialogue with your teacher.

(At the check-in counter)

Airline Employee: Good morning. Where are you headed to today?

Jimmy: I'm flying to San Francisco at 11:00 a.m.

Airline Employee: Can I have your passport, please?

Jimmy: Sure. Here it is.

Airline Employee: Let's see, I have you assigned to seat 42K.

Jimmy: Is that an aisle seat?

Airline Employee: No, it's a middle seat. Would you prefer an aisle seat?

Jimmy: Yes, please.

Airline Employee: Let's check what we have available, the flight is quite full. *(checking)*
We do have an aisle seat, 67J. Would you like to switch to that one?

Jimmy: That would be great, thanks very much.

Airline Employee: My pleasure. You're all set. Flight 262, seat 67J, departing at 11:00 a.m.
Boarding is 10:30 a.m. from gate 23. Have a nice flight.

Jimmy: Thanks, have a nice day!

Q & A!



- Do you think airport security has become too strict?
- What makes flying a memorable experience?
- In your opinion, will there be a better alternative to air travel in the coming years?

Part 2

III. PRACTICE

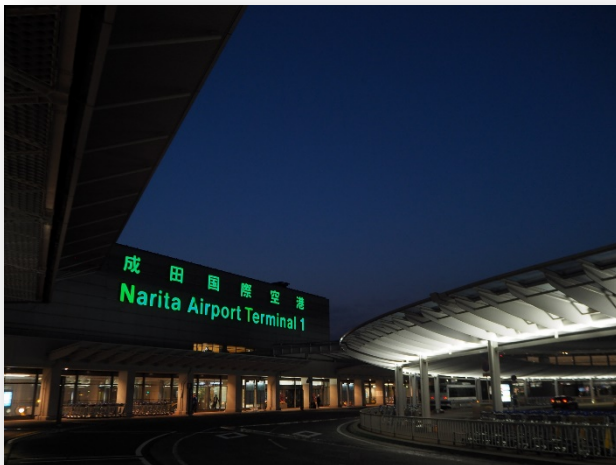
Use the newly learned vocabulary and expressions in the following practice exercises.

A. Narita and Haneda

Directions: Compare Japan's two major airports according to the following:

- customer service
- amenities
- flight options
- duty free shops
- security procedures
- number of passengers

Narita Airport



Haneda Airport



B. Let's Talk!





Directions: Can't wait to go on a vacation trip?

Plan your travel itinerary ahead by filling in the blanks.

Travel Itinerary

TRIP DURATION: 3 DAYS

COUNTRY: _____

Days	1	2	3
 Destination			
 Transportation			
 Food			
 Activities			

C. Role-Play

Role-Play



You are at the check-in counter of the airport and about to fly to your dream destination.

Present the necessary documents for your trip and answer some questions at the check-in counter.

Use the vocabulary and expressions you have learned.