

HERITAGE LANGUAGE FOR BEGINNERS PART 3

BOOKLET 1 | WEEK 1 | DAYS 1 & 2



Day 2 - Dialogue

Hana and Ema are catching up after the winter break. Listen to the audio first and then try shadowing.

At Hana's house.

ハナ: えま わたし おさな かぞくじゃしん
エマさん、これは私が幼いころの家族写真です。

エマ: どれどれ。

はな あか めがね おんな こ
ハナさんは赤いメガネをかけている女の子ですか。

ハナ: いいえ、それは姉です。

エマ: へ～お姉さんですか。お姉さんは、結婚されていますか。

ハナ: え～ 姉は子供もいますよ。

エマ: じゃあ、髪の毛が短い人がハナさんですね。

ハナ: 当たり前!



Hana: Ema-san kore wa watashi ga osanai koro no kazoku shashin desu.

Ema: Dore dore.

Hana- san wa akai megane o kakete iru onna no ko desu ka?

Hana: Īe, sore wa ane desu.

Ema: He~ onēsan desu ka. Onēsan wa kekkon sarete imasu ka?

Hana: Ē ane wa kodomo mo imasu yo.

Ema: Jā kaminoke ga mijikai hito ga Hana-san desu ne.

Hana: Ōatari!

English translation

Hana: Ema, this is a family photo of me when I was young.

Ema: Let's see.

Hana, are you the girl wearing the red glasses?

Hana: No, that's my sister.

Ema: I see, your sister. Is your sister married?

Hana: Yes. She also had a kid.

Ema: Okay then, are you the one with the short hair?

Hana: That's correct!

Vocabulary in context

おさな 幼 いころ	<i>osana i koro</i>	When I was young
かぞくじゃしん 家族写真	<i>kazoku shashin</i>	family picture
めがね 眼鏡*	<i>megane</i>	glasses
けっこん 結婚	<i>kekkon</i>	to marry

い Adjectives

みじか 短 い	<i>mijikai</i>	short
なが 長 い	<i>nagai</i>	long
ほそ 細 い	<i>hosoi</i>	thin
ふと 太 い	<i>futoi</i>	fat
たか 高 い	<i>takai</i>	tall
ひく 低 い	<i>hikui</i>	short; low
おお 大 きい*	<i>ōki</i>	big
ちい 小 さい*	<i>chīsai</i>	small

Verbs

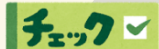
かぶる	<i>kaburu</i>	To put on the head
はく	<i>haku</i>	To put on below the waist
きる	<i>kiru</i>	To put on above the waist
つける	<i>tsukeru</i>	To put on (accessorize) belt, rings, earrings
めがね (眼鏡を) かける	<i>(megane o) kakeru</i>	To put on glasses

*words with asterisks were studied in Parts I or II.

Colors in Japanese!



Day 2 -Zoom でれんしゅう



Exercise A. Describe the color of the article of clothing.

Example: red/t-shirt akai t-shatsu

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| 1. Blue dress | 4. Purple pants | 7. Brown coat |
| 2. Green shoes | 5. Orange hat | 8. Black jacket |
| 3. Pink earrings | 6. White T-shirt | 9. Yellow ring |



Exercise B: Describe the features of the characters below.

Example: *kono hito wa me ga ōki desu.*

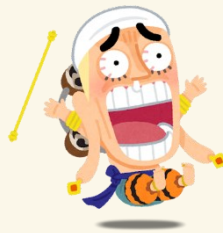
1. long hair



2. blue hair



3. big mouth and eyes



4. Choose a characteristic



5. long legs



6. tall and short.



Exercise C: Look at the picture below and identify what each person is doing using the te-iru form. You can also comment on what each person is wearing.

ひと なに
あの人は何をしていますか。

Ano hito wa nani o shite imasu ka? What is that person doing over there?

1. eating dinner

2. fishing

3. studying Japanese

4. listening to music.