

บทที่ 7

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Dialog 1 In Class

- Teacher: What's your name?
Mary: My name is Mary.
Teacher: What's your name?
John: My name is John.
Teacher: And what's your name?
Bill: My name is Bill.
Teacher: Mary, what's your last name?
Mary: My last name is Smith.
Teacher: And what's your last name, John?
John: My last name is Jones.
Teacher: And your last name?
Mary: White. My last name is White.

Dialog 2 Telephone Conversation

- Mrs. White: Hello.
Jim: Hello. Is this 2-6-2-6?
Mrs. White: No. This is 2-6-3-6. You have the wrong number.
Jim: Oh, I'm sorry. (dials again)
Jim: Hello Tom?
Tom: Yes, Jim?
Jim: Yes, How are you?
Tom: Fine, thanks. Where are you?
Jim: At home. Can you go downtown with me?
Tom: What for?
Jim: I have to get some clothes. And I thought we might see a movie.
Tom: Well. I'm not doing anything. That might be fun.
Jim: I'll pick you up in about fifteen minutes.

Tom: I can't be ready that quick. Give me half an hour.

Jim: O.K. See you then.

Tom: O.K. Good-bye.

Dialog 3 At the clothing Store

Salesman: May I help you?

Jim: Yes, please. I'd like to look at some shirts.

Salesman: Right over here, sir. Did you want to see some white shirts?

Jim: No, I have plenty of those. I think I'd like a blue shirt this time.

Salesman: What size do you take?

Jim: Fifteen.

Salesman: Here you are, sir. These are our best shirts.

Jim: Fine, I'll take two of these.

Salesman: Will there be anything else? Socks or ties or handkerchief?

Jim: No. That will be all, thank you. How much is that?

Salesman: That comes to ten dollars and ninety cents.

Jim: All right. Let's see. Here's five, six, seven, eight, nine, ten. And here's ninety cents.

Salesman: Thank you. I'll wrap these up for you right away.

Dialog 4 Talking about Things to Wear (Man)

Bill: I don't know what to wear today. Is it going to be cold or warm?

Jim: It looks like it's going to rain today. You'd better take your raincoat.

Bill: I can't decide whether to wear my gray suit or the brown one.

Jim: Why don't you wear the gray one? It's not as heavy as the brown one. It may rain today, but it won't be very cold.

Bill: All right. What are you going to wear?

Jim: I think I'll wear my new jacket and dark blue trousers. And if I can borrow your blue tie. I'll wear that. I don't have a blue tie.

Bill: Of course, you can have it. All of my shirts are at the laundry, so I borrowed one of yours. I was sure you wouldn't mind.

Dialog 5 Talking about Things to Wear (Woman)

Alice: What kind of dress are you looking for?

Mary: Since it's getting warmer this time of year, I want something light weight. What material do you think would be best?

Alice: Let's see what there is. We can go to several stores. Personally, I like a cotton dress for Spring.

Mary: So do I. And I could wear it all summer too. I want something I can use for a long time.

Alice: What color would you like? Yellow or green would be good colors for you.

Mary: Oh! I want a white dress.

Alice: Are you sure? It's not a very practical color. It gets dirty so fast.

Mary: I know. But I'm getting married on Saturday, and white is the traditional color for a wedding dress.

Dialog 6 At the Theater

Stella: Don't worry about it, Stanley. There's nothing we can do now.

Stanley: I can't help it Stella. If I'd been thinking, this wouldn't have happened.

Stella: We all make mistakes. I see no point in standing here talking about it.

Stanley: If I hadn't gone on that trip, I wouldn't have forgotten about it.

Stella: It's not really your fault. I didn't remember, either.

Stanley: There's no excuse for it, Stella. I had known about it for several weeks.

Stella: Well, it's too late to do anything now.

Stanley: If we had written it down on the calendar, we wouldn't have made this mistake.

Stella: We can do that next time, but it won't help us now. Let's go home.

Stanley: I guess you're right. Next time I buy tickets for the theater, I'll be sure to look at the date. Then we'll go on right day, instead of a day late.

Dialog 7 Making Preparations to Travel.

Mrs. Jones: I'm sure I'm forgetting something, Steward, but I don't know what it is.

Steward: Do you have your passport, Mrs. Jones?

Mrs. Jones: Yes, I have it right here. And I have the boat tickets. What else could it be?

Steward: You have all your suitcases, don't you?

Mrs. Jones: I believe so. Let's see. One ..two..three..four..five.. Yes, they're all here.

Steward: well, it seems to me you have everything you'll need, Mrs. Jones.

Mrs. Jones: No, I don't. Something is missing, but I can't think what it could be.

Steward: Don't worry about it now. The ship is about to leave. By the way, where is Mr. Jones?

Mrs. Jones: Mr. Jones? Oh, now I know what it is. I forgot my husband.

Dialog 8 Making a Model Airplane

Tom: When can you come over to help me with my model airplane?

Fred: I can come some day next week.

Tom: Couldn't you make it some day this week?

Fred: No, I'm afraid not.

Tom: Will it be next Monday?

Fred: No. Some other day.

Tom: Do you know what other day?

Fred: No. Some other day, but I'm not sure which.

Dialog 9 Roommates

Jim: Can you lend me five dollars?

Fred: I just lent you five dollars. What did you do with that?

Jim: I lost it.

Fred: You lost it?

Jim: Yes, playing cards.

Fred: In a card game? I can't lend you money to play cards with.

Jim: No. This is for a birthday present.

Fred: Whose? Yours?

Jim: No. It's your birthday. Did you forget?

Fred: You want my money to buy me a birthday present with?

Jim: Yes.

Fred: O.K. I guess that's a pretty good reason.