

LESSON NOTES

Cantonese Listening Comprehension for Absolute Beginners #13 Choosing a Place to Wait in Hong Kong

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TRADITIONAL CHINESE

1. 一個女人等緊一個男人。
2. 個女人會喺邊度等呢？
3. 喂，唔好意思，我會遲三十分鐘。
4. 好啦，我喺咖啡室等你啦。
5. 咖啡室？喺邊度呀？
6. 喺書店隔離。對面有間麵包店。
7. 好啦。

JYUTPING

1. jat1 go3 neoi5 jan2 dang2 gan2 jat1 go3 naam4 jan2.
2. go3 neoi5 jan2 wui5 hai2 bin1 dou6 dang2 ne1?
3. wai2, m4 hou2 ji3 si1, ngo5 wui5 ci4 saam1 sap6 fan1 zung1.
4. hou2 laa1, ngo5 hai2 gaa3 fe1 sat1 dang2 nei5 laa1.
5. gaa3 fe1 sat1? hai2 bin1 dou6 aa3?
6. hai2 syu1 dim3 gaak3 lei4. deoi3 min6 jau5 gaan1 min6 baau1 dim3.
7. hou2 laa1.

ENGLISH

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1. A woman is waiting for a man.
2. Where will the woman wait?
3. Hi. I'm sorry but I'll be there 30 minutes late.
4. OK. I'll wait for you at the cafe.
5. A cafe? Where is it?
6. It's next to the bookstore. There is a bakery across from it.
7. All right.

VOCABULARY

Traditional	Romanization	English	Class
麵包店	min6 baau1 dim3	bakery	noun
對面	deoi3 min6	across	expression
等	dang2	to wait	verb
唔好意思	m4 hou2 ji3 si1	sorry, excuse me	phrase
分鐘	fan1 zung1	minutes, minute	noun
遲	ci4	late	adjective
邊度	bin1 dou6	where	pronoun
隔離	gaak3 lei4	next to	adverb
書店	syu1 dim3	bookstore	noun

SAMPLE SENTENCES

<p>佢每朝同啲細路去麵包店。 <i>keoi5 mui5 ziu1 tung4 di1 sai3 lou6 heoi3 min6 baau1 dim3.</i></p> <p>She goes to the bakery every Sunday with her kids.</p>	<p>你會喺課室對面搵到佢哋。 <i>nei5 wui5 hai2 fo3 sat1 deoi3 min6 wan2 dou2 keoi5 dei6.</i></p> <p>You will find them across the classroom.</p>
<p>你可唔可以等多兩日? 張發票差唔多整好喇。 <i>nei5 ho4 m4 ho2 ji3 dang2 do1 loeng5 jat6? zoeng1 faat3 piu3 caa1 m4 do1 zing2 hou2 laa3.</i></p> <p>Can you wait for your invoice a couple of days more? I have it almost ready.</p>	<p>我唔鍾意等。 <i>ngo5 m4 zung1 ji3 dang2.</i></p> <p>I don't like waiting.</p>
<p>我等咗你幾個鐘喇! <i>ngo5 dang2 zo2 nei5 gei2 go3 zung1 laa3!</i></p> <p>I hate waiting for you for hours!</p>	<p>唔好意思, 我唔可以同你去。 <i>m4 hou2 ji3 si1, ngo5 m4 ho2 ji3 tung4 nei5 heoi3.</i></p> <p>Sorry, I can't go with you.</p>
<p>唔好意思, 你有冇見過我隻狗? <i>m4 hou2 ji3 si1, nei5 jau5 mou5 gin3 gwo3 ngo5 zek3 gau2?</i></p> <p>Excuse me, have you seen my dog?</p>	<p>俾一分鐘我, 唔該。 <i>bei2 jat1 fan1 zung1 ngo5, m4 goi1.</i></p> <p>Give me a minute, please.</p>
<p>六分鐘就夠。 <i>Luk6 fan1 zung1 zau6 gau3.</i></p> <p>Six minutes is enough.</p>	<p>你返工成日遲到。 <i>nei5 faan1 gung1 sing4 jat6 ci4 dou3.</i></p> <p>You are always late for work.</p>
<p>你聽晚去邊度? <i>nei5 ting1 maan5 heoi3 bin1 dou6?</i></p> <p>Where are you going tomorrow night?</p>	<p>去咗邊度? <i>heoi3 zo2 bin1 dou6?</i></p> <p>Where did (you) go?</p>

我五年級嗰陣坐佢隔離。

ngo5 ng5 nin4 kap1 go2 zan6 co5 keoi5 gaak3 lei4.

I sat next to him in 5th grade.

第三街有間好出名嘅書店。

dai6 saam1 gaai1 jau5 gaan1 hou2 ceot1 meng2 ge3 syu1 dim3.

There is a famous bookstore on 3rd Avenue.

我好鍾意書店嗰陣味。

ngo5 hou2 zung1 ji3 syu1 dim3 go2 zan6 mei6.

I love the smell of book stores.

樓下有間書店。

lau4 haa6 jau5 gaan1 syu1 dim3。

There's a bookstore downstairs.