

## LESSON NOTES

# Cantonese Listening Comprehension for Absolute Beginners #7 Shopping for a Shirt in Hong Kong

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# TRADITIONAL CHINESE

1. 一個男人喺度同個店員傾偈。
2. 佢會買邊件恤衫呢？
3. 你覺得邊件好啲呀？白色定藍色？
4. 我覺得藍色嗰件好啲，襯到你件灰色褸。
5. 係咩？但係唔襯條紅色㗎。
6. 咁又係...
7. 咁我買白色嗰件啦，唔要藍色喇。

# JYUTPING

1. jat1 go3 naam4 jan2 hai2 dou6 tung4 go3 dim3 jyun4 king1 gai2.
2. keoi5 wui5 maai5 bin1 gin6 seot1 saam1 ne1?
3. nei5 gok3 dak1 bin1 gin6 hou2 di1 aa3? baak6 sik1 ding6 laam4 sik1?
4. ngo5 gok3 dak1 laam4 sik1 go2 gin6 hou2 di1, can3 dou2 nei5 gin6 fui1 sik1 lau1.
5. hai6 me1? daan6 hai6 m4 can3 tiu4 hung4 sik1 taai1 wo3.
6. gam2 jau6 hai6...
7. gam2 ngo5 maai5 baak6 sik1 go2 gin6 laa1, m4 jiu3 laam4 sik1 laa3.

# ENGLISH

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1. A man is talking with a shop clerk.
2. Which shirt is he going to buy?
3. Which shirt do you think is better? The white one, or the blue one?
4. Well, I think the blue one is good. It goes well with your gray jacket.
5. Really? But it doesn't go well with the red tie.
6. That's true...
7. OK, then I will take the white one, not the blue one.

## VOCABULARY

Traditional	Romanization	English	Class
店員	dim3 jyun4	a shop clerk	noun
買	maai5	to buy	verb
恤衫	seot1 saam1	shirt	noun
白色	baak6 sik1	white	adjective
藍色	laam4 sik1	blue	adjective
灰色	fui1 sik1	gray	adjective
紅色	hung4 sik1	red	adjective

## SAMPLE SENTENCES

<p>個店員著住件好搞笑嘅制服。  <i>go3 dim3 jyun4 zoek3 zyu6 gin6 hou2 gaau2 siu3 ge3 zai3 fuk6.</i></p> <p>"The shop clerk is wearing a funny uniform."</p>	<p>佢會買一間喺河邊嘅屋。  <i>keoi5 wui5 maa5 jat1 gaan1 hai2 ho4 bin1 ge3 uk1.</i></p> <p>He will buy a house next to the river.</p>
<p>我想買架新車。  <i>ngo5 soeng2 maa5 gaa3 san1 ce1.</i></p> <p>I want to buy a new car.</p>	<p>要買三個先有優惠。  <i>jiu3 maa5 saam1 go3 sin1 jau5 jau1 wai6.</i></p> <p>You have to buy three if you want to get the discount.</p>
<p>你下次買多啲餸啦。  <i>nei5 haa6 ci3 maa5 do1 di1 sung3 laa1.</i></p> <p>Why don't you buy more groceries next time?</p>	<p>我肚餓嗰陣成日都會買好多餸。  <i>ngo5 tou5 ngo6 go2 zan6 sing4 jat6 dou1 wui5 maa5 hou2 do1 sung3.</i></p> <p>"I always buy too many groceries when I am hungry."</p>
<p>佢想買部好快嘅車。  <i>keoi5 soeng2 maa5 bou6 hou2 faai3 ge3 ce1.</i></p> <p>He wants to buy a fast car.</p>	<p>我買。  <i>ngo5 maa5.</i></p> <p>I'll buy it.</p>
<p>你買俾我件新衫整到我好痕呀。  <i>nei5 maa5 bei2 ngo5 gin6 san1 saam1 zing2 dou3 ngo5 hou2 han4 aa3.</i></p> <p>This new shirt you bought me makes me itchy.</p>	<p>唔該將件污糟恤衫放入洗衣機。  <i>m4 goi1 zoeng1 gin6 wu1 zou1 seot1 saam1 fong3 jap6 sai2 ji1 gei1.</i></p> <p>Put your dirty shirts into the washing machine, please.</p>
<p>男人正在熨衣服。  <i>Naam4 jan2 zing3 zoi6 tong3 ji1 fuk6.</i></p> <p>The man is ironing the shirt.</p>	<p>白色嘅傢俬好唔襟污糟。  <i>baak6 sik1 ge3 gaa1 si1 hou2 m4 kam1 wu1 zou1.</i></p> <p>It is difficult to keep white furniture clean.</p>

<p>白色係我最鍾意嘅顏色。  <i>baak6 sik1 hai6 ngo5 zeoi3 zung1 ji3 ge3 ngaan4 sik1.</i></p> <p>"White is by far my favorite color."</p>	<p>我鍾意白色。  <i>ngo5 zung1 ji3 baak6 sik1.</i></p> <p>I like the color white.</p>
<p>佢最鍾意嘅顏色係藍色，所以佢成日着藍色衫。  <i>keoi5 zeoi3 zung1 ji3 ge3 ngaan4 sik1 hai6 laam4 sik1, so2 ji3 keoi5 sing4 jat6 zoek3 laam4 sik1 saam1.</i></p> <p>Since her favorite color was blue, she used to wear blue clothes most of the time.</p>	<p>太陽喺藍色大海後面落下。  <i>taai3 joeng4 hai2 laam4 sik1 daai6 hoi2 hau6 min6 lok6 haa6.</i></p> <p>"The sun sets behind the blue ocean."</p>
<p>藍色好睇。  <i>laam4 sik1 hou2 tai2.</i></p> <p>Blue looks good.</p>	<p>灰色唔係一個華麗嘅顏色。  <i>fui1 sik1 m4 hai6 jat1 go3 waa4 lai6 ge3 ngaan4 sik1.</i></p> <p>"Gray is not a very flashy color."</p>
<p>大灰狼在草地裡找食物。  <i>daai6 fui1 long4 zoi6 cou2 dei6 leoi5 zaau2 sik6 mat6</i></p> <p>The gray wolf is foraging for food in the meadow.</p>	<p>喺緊急情況下，搵紅色制。  <i>hai2 gan2 gap1 cing4 fong3 haa6, gam6 hung4 sik1 zai3.</i></p> <p>"In case of emergency, press the red button."</p>
<p>紅色唔好。  <i>hung4 sik1 m4 hou2.</i></p> <p>Red is no good.</p>	