

LESSON NOTES

Cantonese Listening Comprehension for Beginners #7 Choosing a Drink in Hong Kong

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TRADITIONAL CHINESE

1. 一個女人喺度同佢個波士傾偈。
2. 佢哋開會嗰陣會飲啲咩?
3. 今日下晝我哋會同紐約分行嘅米高開會。你知唔知我哋仲有冇嘢飲剩?
4. 我哋有啲咖啡。
5. 米高好似唔飲咖啡㗎。我哋有冇樽裝水?
6. 好似仲有幾樽。
7. 非常好。
8. 你想飲乜?
9. 我都一樣啦。

JYUTPING

1. jat1 go3 nei5 jan2 hai2 dou6 tung4 keoi5 go3 bo1 si2 king1 gai2.
2. keoi5 dei6 hoi1 wui5 go2 zan6 wui5 jam2 di1 me1?
3. gam1 jat6 haa6 zau3 ngo5 dei6 wui5 tung4 nau2 joek3 fan1 hong2 ge3 mai5 gou1 hoi1 wui5. nei5 zi1 m4 zi1 ngo5 dei6 zung6 jau5 mou5 je5 jam2 zing6?
4. ngo5 dei6 jau5 gaa3 fe1.
5. mai5 gou1 hou2 ci3 m4 jam2 gaa3 fe1 wo3.

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6. hou2 ci3 zung6 jau5 gei2 zeon1.
7. gam2 zau6 hou2 laa3.
8. nei5 soeng2 jam2 mat1?
9. ngo5 dou1 jat1 joeng6 laa1.

ENGLISH

1. A woman is talking with her boss.
2. What will they drink in the meeting?
3. We'll be having a meeting with Michael from our New York office this afternoon. Do you know if there are any drinks left?
4. We have some coffee.
5. Hmm. Michael doesn't drink coffee. Do we have any bottled water?
6. Yes, I think there's still some left.
7. Excellent.
8. Do you want anything?
9. I'll have the same thing, too.

VOCABULARY

Traditional	Romanization	English	Class
嘢飲	je5 jam2	drinks	noun
一樣	jat1 joeng6	same	adjective
波士	bo1 si2	boss	noun
開會	hoi1 wui5	meeting	verb
下晝	haa6 zau3	afternoon	noun
剩	zing6	to be left	phrase
樽裝水	zeon1 zong1 sei2	bottled water	noun
非常好	fei1 soeng4 hou2	excellent	adjective
咖啡	gaa3 fe1	coffee	noun

SAMPLE SENTENCES

<p>今晚嘅嘢飲全部免費。 gam1 maan5 ge3 je5 jam2 cyun4 bou6 min5 fai3.</p> <p>Drinks are on the house tonight.</p>	<p>每年嘅手續都係一樣。 mui5 nin4 ge3 sau2 zuk6 dou1 hai6 jat1 joeng6.</p> <p>It is the same procedure as every year.</p>
<p>我哋波士要我哋OT, 又唔補錢。 ngo5 dei6 bo1 si2 jiu3 ngo5 dei6 OT, jau6 m4 bou2 cin2.</p> <p>Our boss lets us work unpaid overtime.</p>	<p>我個波士好好人。 ngo5 go3 bo1 si2 hou2 hou2 jan4.</p> <p>My boss is very nice.</p>
<p>開會嗰陣瞓覺好冇禮貌。 hoi1 wui5 go2 zan6 fan3 gaau3 hou2 mou5 lai5 maau6.</p> <p>It is very impolite to sleep during a meeting.</p>	<p>我隻貓鍾意下晝瞓覺。 ngo5 zek3 maau1 zung1 ji3 haa6 zau3 fan3 aan3 gaau3.</p> <p>My cat likes to take a nap in the afternoon.</p>

<p>下晝好忙。 <i>haa6 zau3 hou2 mong4.</i></p> <p>(I'm) busy in the afternoon.</p>	<p>場賽事剩返好少飛。 <i>coeng4 coi3 si6 zing6 faan1 hou2 siu2 fei1.</i></p> <p>There are only a small number of tickets left for the match.</p>
<p>唔該買啲樽裝水開會時飲。 <i>m4 goi1 maa5 di1 zeon1 zong1 sei2 hoi1 wui5 si4 jam2.</i></p> <p>Please buy some bottled water for the meeting.</p>	<p>呢個係一個非常好嘅方法，嚟向顧客介紹我哋嘅公司。 <i>ni1 go3 hai6 jat1 go3 fei1 soeng4 hou2 ge3 fong1 faat3, lei4 hoeng3 gu3 haak3 gaai3 siu6 ngo5 dei6 ge3 gung1 si1.</i></p> <p>This is an excellent way to introduce our company to the customers.</p>
<p>我一起身就要飲咖啡。 <i>ngo5 jat1 hei2 san1 zau6 jiu3 jam2 gaa3 fe1.</i></p> <p>I can't start the day without coffee.</p>	<p>如果想訓個好覺，夜晚就唔好飲咖啡喇。 <i>jyu4 gwo2 soeng2 fan3 go3 hou2 gaau3, je6 maan5 zau6 m4 hou2 jam2 gaa3 fe1 laa3.</i></p> <p>If you want to sleep well, do not drink coffee at night.</p>
<p>呢度嘅咖啡好正。 <i>ni1 dou6 ge3 gaa3 fe1 hou2 zeng3.</i></p> <p>The coffee here is awesome.</p>	