Office Meetings and Projects

Japanese · intermediate · work · adult · 6 min

Lyricate
LEARN IT IN MUSIC

01 VOCABULARY

Intermediate Japanese learning song about work. The voice drills each chunk with its meaning so the words attach to the sound - listen, then answer in the gaps.

	CHUNK	MEANING	IN CONTEXT
1	**今日の午後大事な会議があります。** Kyou no gogo daiji na kaigi ga arimasu.	There is an important meeting this afternoon.	scheduling an important afternoon work meeting
2	**同僚は同じプロジェクトで働いています。** Douryou wa onaji purojekuto de hataraite imasu.	My colleague is working on the same project.	describing teamwork on a shared project
3	**上司は今日遅れて来ました。** Joushi wa kyou okurete kimashita.	The boss came late today.	explaining a manager's delayed arrival
4	**私の職位はここです。** Watashi no shokui wa koko desu.	This is my position.	explaining your role and rank at work
5	**大事な会議があります。** Daiji na kaigi ga arimasu.	There is an important meeting.	alerting colleagues about a key meeting
6	**同じプロジェクトで働いています。** Onaji purojekuto de hataraite imasu.	We are working on the same project.	confirming project collaboration
7	**午後に会議があります。** Gogo ni kaigi ga arimasu.	There is a meeting in the afternoon.	specifying a meeting time frame
8	**上司が来ました。** Joushi ga kimashita.	The boss arrived.	announcing a supervisor's arrival

NEW WORDS (10)

shokui 職位
position

douryou 同僚
colleague

kaigi 会議
meeting

joushi 上司
boss

purojekuto プロジェクト
project

gogo 午後
afternoon

daiji na 大事な
important

onaji 同じ
same

hataraite 働いて
working

okurete 遅れて
late

Practice tip · First listen without reading and just tap the pulse; on the second pass, say each chunk out loud in the pause after the echo.

[SOUND DRILL]

ka

i

gi

dou

ryo

u

[REVIEW]

Kono kusuri no youryou wa nan desu ka?

What is the dosage of this medicine?

Ichinichi nikai mizu to issho ni nonde kudasai.

Please drink it twice a day with water.

Isha no yoyaku ga arimasu.

I have a doctor appointment.

Futsuka mae kara nodo ga itai desu.

My throat has hurt since two days ago.

[CHORUS]

Kyou no gogo daiji na kaigi ga arimasu.

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There is an important meeting this afternoon.

Kyou no gogo daiji na kaigi ga arimasu.

Douryou wa onaji purojekuto de hataraite imasu.

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My colleague is working on the same project.

Douryou wa onaji purojekuto de hataraite imasu.

[VERSE 1]

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gogo

afternoon

daiji na

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kaigi

meeting

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[VERSE 2]

Joushi wa kyou okurete kimashita.

The boss came late today.

joushi

boss

okurete

late

Watashi no shokui wa koko desu.

This is my position.

shokui

position

Joushi wa kyou okurete kimashita.

The boss came late today.

[CHORUS]

Kyou no gogo daiji na kaigi ga arimasu.

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Douryou wa onaji purojekuto de hataraite imasu.

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My colleague is working on the same project.

Douryou wa onaji purojekuto de hataraite imasu.

[VERSE 3]

Daiji na kaigi ga arimasu.

There is an important meeting.

Onaji purojekuto de hataraite imasu.

We are working on the same project.

Gogo ni kaigi ga arimasu.

There is a meeting in the afternoon.

Joushi ga kimashita.

The boss arrived.

Watashi no shokui wa koko desu.

This is my position.

[CHORUS]

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[VERSE 4]

Kyou no gogo daiji na kaigi ga arimasu.

There is an important meeting this afternoon.

Douryou wa onaji purojekuto de hataraite imasu.

My colleague is working on the same project.

Joushi wa kyou okurete kimashita.

The boss came late today.

Watashi no shokui wa koko desu.

This is my position.

Hai, arigatou gozaimasu.

Yes, thank you very much.

Kore ga watashi no shokui desu.

This is my position.

[CHORUS]

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[RECAP]

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Douryou wa onaji purojekuto de hataraite imasu.

Joushi wa kyou okurete kimashita.

Watashi no shokui wa koko desu.

Grey lines are a reading aid for the script; the singer performs the language itself.

HOW TO USE THIS SONG

1. Listen to the whole song once without reading — just follow the pulse.
2. Listen again while reading the lyrics; let the echo lines carry the meaning.
3. On the third pass, say each chunk out loud in the pause after it is sung.
4. Use one phrase from this sheet today, in a real conversation or out loud.

DRILL MAP

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