Packing for Our Trip: Suitcase and Passport

Japanese · preintermediate · kids travel · children · 6 min

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01 VOCABULARY

Preintermediate Japanese learning song about kids travel. 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	**りょこうの ために スーツケースを じゅんびします。** Ryokou no tame ni suutsukeesu o junbi shimasu.	For the trip, I get my suitcase ready.	a kid zipping a bright suitcase covered in stickers
2	**パスポートを わすれないでね!** Pasupooto o wasurenaide ne!	Do not forget your passport, okay!	a passport floating above a kid with a worried face
3	**ホテルで ねます。** Hoteru de nemasu.	I sleep at the hotel.	a cozy hotel bed with a teddy bear on the pillow
4	**うみべで あそびます。** Umibe de asobimasu.	I play at the beach.	sandcastle and waves rolling in
5	**この なつは やまに いきます。** Kono natsu wa yama ni ikimasu.	This summer I go to the mountains.	a hiker on a mountain trail with a backpack

NEW WORDS (7)

ryokou りょこう
trip

suutsukeesu スーツケース
suitcase

junbi じゅんび
preparation

tame ni ために
for the sake of

pasupooto パスポート
passport

hoteru ホテル
hotel

umibe うみべ
beach

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]

ryo

ko

pa

su

te

[REVIEW]

Ii desu ne!

That's good, right!

Kono hou ga ii desu.

This one is the better one.

Mite, kono ki wa kirin yori takai desu.

Look, this tree is taller than the giraffe.

Tomodachi to issho ni asobimasu.

I play together with my friend.

Kimi wa hayai ne!

You are fast, right!

Kore wa shoutai desu.

This is an invitation.

[CHORUS]

Ryokou no tame ni suutsukeesu o junbi shimasu.

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For the trip, I get my suitcase ready.

Pasupooto o wasurenaide ne!

Pasupooto o wasurenaide ne!

Do not forget your passport, okay!

Kono natsu wa yama ni ikimasu.

Kono natsu wa yama ni ikimasu.

This summer I go to the mountains.

[VERSE 1]

Ryokou ni ikimasu.

I go on a trip.

ryokou

trip

suutsukeesu

suitcase

junbi

preparation

tame ni

for the sake of

Ryokou no tame ni suutsukeesu o junbi shimasu.

For the trip, I get my suitcase ready.

pasupooto

passport

Pasupooto o wasurenaide ne!

Do not forget your passport, okay!

hoteru

hotel

Hoteru de nemasu.

I sleep at the hotel.

umibe

beach

Umibe de asobimasu.

I play at the beach.

Kono natsu wa yama ni ikimasu.

This summer I go to the mountains.

[CHORUS]

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[VERSE 2]

Kaban to suutsukeesu o motte kite.

Bring the bag and the suitcase.

Pasupooto wa doko?

Where is the passport?

Pasupooto wa koko ni arimasu.

The passport is here.

Hoteru no heya wa ookii desu.

The hotel room is big.

Umibe wa tanoshii desu.

The beach is fun.

Yama no ki ga takai desu.

The mountain trees are tall.

[CHORUS]

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Kono natsu wa yama ni ikimasu.

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[VERSE 3]

Ryokou no tame ni, mizu to pan o junbi shimasu.

For the trip, I get water and bread ready.

Hoteru de asagohan o tabemasu.

I eat breakfast at the hotel.

Umibe de oyogemasu.

I can swim at the beach.

Yama de hashittari tondari suru.

Run and jump in the mountains.

Tanoshii ryokou desu ne!

What a fun trip, right!

Mata ne!

See you again!

[CHORUS]

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Ryokou no tame ni suutsukeesu o junbi shimasu.

For the trip, I get my suitcase ready.

Pasupooto o wasurenaide ne!

Pasupooto o wasurenaide ne!

Do not forget your passport, okay!

Kono natsu wa yama ni ikimasu.

Kono natsu wa yama ni ikimasu.

This summer I go to the mountains.

[RECAP]

Ryokou no tame ni suutsukeesu o junbi shimasu.

Pasupooto o wasurenaide ne!

Umibe de asobimasu.

Kono natsu wa yama ni ikimasu.

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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