

**Lesson**  
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**Pattern 1. Thank you for ~**

Thank you for ~ (～をありがとうございます) の学習

Form 型式 (For students' self-study reference only. Skip this part.)

このパートは自習のためのもので英会話レッスンでは使いません。

[ 主語  
Subject ] + thank you for [ + not ] + ~

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1. Usage 使い方 (Explain the usage of “Thank you for ~”)

Example 1: 例文1

**Thank you for** the nice present.  
すてきな贈り物をありがとう。

The phrase “Thank you for ~” is used to express appreciation to someone for offering or giving something to you. The word “for ~” explains the reason for the gratitude.

この “～ thank you for ~” は、何かを申し出てくれたりしてくれたときに用いる表現で、「～をありがとうございます」、「～に感謝します」という意味です。多くは Thank you for ~ という形で使用されますが、主語をはっきりさせたい場合には、I や We をつけます。

たとえば、Thank you for your kindness. は、主語を明確にしたい場合には、We thank you for your kindness. と表現します。

[関連表現] : I appreciate

## 2. Substitution Drill 置き換え練習

Practice the patterns by substituting words or phrases within a sentence. The student reads a sentence by substituting a word or a phrase given by the teacher.

下の表から語句を置き換えて、パターンの練習をしましょう。先生が先に語句を言うので、それで置き換えた新しい文を口に出して読みましょう。

- (Drill) Teacher (T): Thank you for **the nice present.** (Please repeat.)  
 Student (S): Thank you for **the nice present.**  
 T: **Your kindness.**  
 S: Thank you for **your kindness.**

No.	①	②	③	④
1	(I)	thank you for		the nice present.
2				your kindness.
3				your consideration.
4				driving me home.
5				coming all the way here.
6				considering our products.
7	(We)	thank you very much for	not	smoking.
8				soliciting.
9				asking anything.
10				littering.
11				wearing a fragrance.
12				beating around the bush.

consideration: 考慮、配慮 solicit: 勧誘する litter: (ごみを) 散らかす fragrance: 香水  
 beating around the bush: 遠回しに言う

### 3. Conversation Example 会話の例

Answer the teacher's questions by using the words or phrases on the table of the substitution drill.

上の置き換え練習の表での単語やフレーズを利用して先生の質問に答えてください。

#### Example 2: 例文 2

Q: What do you say when someone gave you a nice present?

すてきなプレゼントをくれたときに何と言いますか？

A: Thank you [very much] for the nice present.

すてきなプレゼントをどうもありがとう。

Q1: What do you say when someone was kind to you?

Q2: What do you say when someone had consideration for you?

Q3: What do you say when someone drove you home?

Q4: What do you say when someone helped you?

#### Example 3: 例文 3

Q: What do people thank you for not doing in a park or a public space?

(not smoking)

公園や公共の場所では、何をしないことを感謝されますか？

A: They thank you for not smoking.

禁煙が感謝されます。

Q1: What do people thank you for not doing about waste paper and containers?

(not littering)

Q2: What do people thank you for not doing about excessive perfume?

(not wearing)

Q3: What do people thank you for not doing about the way you talk with them?

(beating around the bush)

#### 4. Picture Description 写真の描写

Describe the pictures below, using “～ thank you ～” and any of the given words and phrases.

以下の写真について与えられた語句と“～ thank you ～”を使って文章を作ってください。



##### Words and Phrases 1: 語句 1

birthday (n)  
party (n)  
cake (n)  
surprise (n)  
present (n)



##### Words and Phrases 2: 語句 2

Christmas card (n)  
presents (n)  
  
help (v)  
  
wrap gifts  
spend time together