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Reading (Reading)

<p><b>Walk</b> with me. (Walk with me.)</p>	<p><b>Write</b> an email to your boss. (Write an email to your boss.)</p>
<p><b>Dance</b> on the stage! (Dance on the stage!)</p>	<p>Good night, <b>sleep</b> well! (Good night, sleep well!)</p>
<p><b>Please follow</b> the direction. (Please follow the direction.)</p>	<p><b>Give</b> me money, <b>please</b>! (Give me money, please!)</p>

**Don't walk** with me.  
(Don't walk with me.)

**Don't smoke** here.  
(Don't smoke here.)

**Don't go** there, it's dangerous!  
(Don't go there, it's dangerous!)

**Don't eat** it, the smell is strange!  
(Don't eat it, the smell is strange!)

**Please don't** stand up.  
(Please don't stand up.)

**Don't go** abroad, **please!**  
(Don't go abroad, please!)

**Never say** it again.  
(Never say it again.)

**Never forget** his name.  
(Never forget his name.)

## Grammar Focus (Grammar Focus)

- ❖ When you want to ask someone to do something, you say **“Please”** (“Please”) + **(verb)**. In this case, you don’t need a subject (I / You / She / He / They, etc.)
- ❖ It is not necessarily true that it will sound impolite if you don’t use “please”. It usually depends on the situation and the way you speak.
- ❖ When you want to ask someone not to do something, you start with **“Don’t (Do not)”** (“Don’t”) + **(verb)**. Again, you don’t need a subject (I / You / She / He / They, etc.)
- ❖ If you use **“Never”** (“Never”) to replace “Don’t”, the sentence will have quite a strong tone. Thus, you have to use “Never” carefully in this kind of sentence.

## Speaking (Speaking)

- 1) Add some salt to the soup. (Add some salt to the soup.)
- 2) Please speak English in here. (Please speak English in here.)
- 3) Wash the dishes after you eat. (Wash the dishes after you eat.)
- 4) Please select the correct answer. (Please select the correct answer.)
- 5) Look at the sky! It's a shooting star! (Look at the sky! It's a shooting star!)
- 6) Hurry up! The concert is about to start!  
(Hurry up! The concert is about to start!)
- 7) Please sit here and be quiet. (Please sit here and be quiet.)
- 8) Please write your name here. (Please write your name here.)

## Gap Filling (Gap Filling)

Fill in the blanks with the appropriate words in English.

- 1) Please \_\_\_\_\_ me English. (Please teach me English.)
  
- 2) Please \_\_\_\_\_ your signature here. (Please write/put your signature here.)
  
- 3) \_\_\_\_\_ carefully! (Listen carefully!)
  
- 4) He is your new boss, so \_\_\_\_\_ his directions.  
(He is your new boss, so follow his directions.)
  
- 5) \_\_\_\_\_ at that man! He is so funny!  
(Look at that man! He is so funny!)
  
- 6) \_\_\_\_\_ here! (Come here!)
  
- 7) Please \_\_\_\_\_ carefully, the road is slippery.  
(Please walk carefully, the road is slippery.)
  
- 8) Please \_\_\_\_\_ here by 6:00 P.M.  
(Please come here by 6:00 P.M.)

## Speaking (Speaking)

- 1) Don't swim in the sea. (Don't swim in the sea.)
  
- 2) Don't throw out the trash at night. (Don't throw out the trash at night.)
  
- 3) Don't leave your belongings here. (Don't leave your belongings here.)
  
- 4) Don't go too far. (Don't go too far.)
  
- 5) Bye! Don't forget me! (Bye! Don't forget me!)
  
- 6) Don't do that! (Don't do that!)
  
- 7) Please don't use your cellphone here.  
(Please don't use your cellphone here.)
  
- 8) Never touch the cables!  
(Never touch the cables!)

## Gap Filling (Gap Filling)

Fill in the blanks with the appropriate words in English.

- 1) \_\_\_\_\_ TV! Finish your homework first!  
(Don't watch TV! Finish your homework first!)
  
- 2) \_\_\_\_\_ here. (Don't drink here.)
  
- 3) \_\_\_\_\_ to him like that. (Don't talk to him like that.)
  
- 4) \_\_\_\_\_ in class. (Don't talk in class.)
  
- 5) \_\_\_\_\_ at the sun! It can hurt your eyes!  
(Don't look at the sun! It can hurt your eyes!)
  
- 6) \_\_\_\_\_ there at night! (Don't go there at night!)
  
- 7) Please \_\_\_\_\_ up on the stage. (Please don't go up on the stage.)
  
- 8) Never \_\_\_\_\_ me that again!  
(Never mention to me that name again!)

## Gap Filling (Gap Filling)

Fill in the blanks with the appropriate words in English.

John : Danny, \_\_\_\_\_ carefully to what I have to say now!

John : Danny, listen carefully to what I have to say now!

Denny : Sure John, just \_\_\_\_\_ me finish the task first.

Denny : Sure John, just let me finish the task first.

John : This is important, so \_\_\_\_\_ to let me know when you are ready!

John : This is important, so don't forget to let me know when you are ready!

Denny : Okay, John, I'm done. \_\_\_\_\_ me!

Denny : Okay, John, I'm done. Tell me!

John : Never \_\_\_\_\_ me the way you did this morning! I am treating you with respect and I expect the same from you.

John : Never treat me the way you did this morning! I am treating you with respect and I expect the same from you.

Denny : I am very sorry about that. \_\_\_\_\_ it personally please! I am dealing with a lot of things right now and I am under a lot of stress.

Denny : I am very sorry about that. Don't take it personally please! I am dealing with a lot of things right now and I am under a lot of stress.

John : I understand, but \_\_\_\_\_ more careful in the future, please.

John : I understand, but be more careful in the future, please.

Denny : Okay. Thank you!

Denny : Okay. Thank you!



## Translating (Translating)

Translate these sentences into English.

- 1) Please come here tomorrow.
  
- 2) Eat your food first.
  
- 3) Don't talk to him, he is rude.
  
- 4) Please leave your shoes in the hallway.