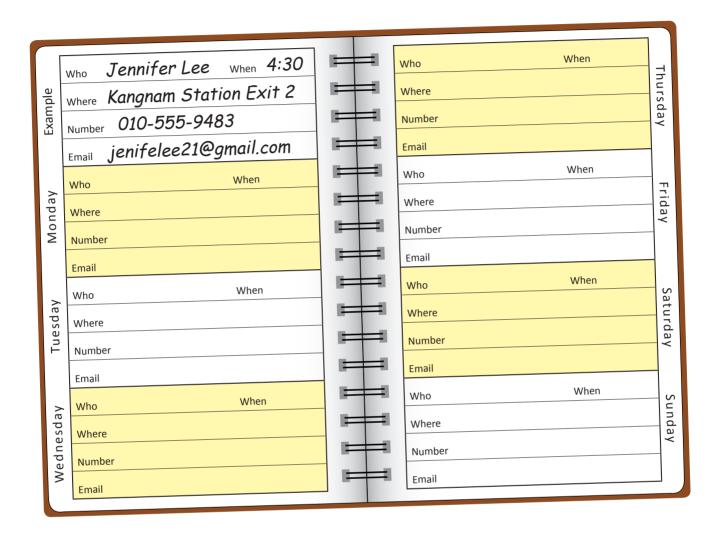
Inviting Out

Meeting, Greeting, Inviting, Accepting & Rejecting Saying YES. Politely saying NO. Arranging where and when to meet.



- **1. MEETING**: Hi, Hey, Hello, My name is. . . How are you? How's it going? I like your hair.
- **2. INVITING**: What are you doing after class? Are you busy after class? Are you free on Saturday? Are you free Thursday afternoon? Do you have any plans this weekend?
- **3. ACCEPTING** OK. Yes. Cool. Great. I'd love to. Let's do it. Sounds like fun. Awesome.
- **4. ARRANGING**: When are you free? What time are you free? What time is good? Where do you want to meet? Where is convenient? Do you have any place in mind?
- **5. DETAILS**: Downtown is big, where exactly? By the statue? By Popeye's? In front of TGIF?
- **6. REJECTING** (honestly): Bummer, I'm busy. I have to work. My uncle asked me to help him move. Can I have a rain check? = "I really want to go, ask me again some other time."
- 7. REJECTING (lying): Oh gee, I'm busy. I have plans. My grandmother is sick. I have to wash my hair.
- **8. SCHEDULING**: I'm busy today, but Friday I'm free. I'm busy this Saturday, but next Saturday is good. I'm free on Thursday afternoon, what about you? Is Wednesday good? I'm free then.

Do NOT LOOK at their calendar to see if they are free. ASK THEM!

Introduce yourself. It's a life skill.

Turn on the charm. Say: Hi, may name's James Bond.

This is not a police interrogation! Do not say: What's your name?

- 1. Stand up straight. Speak clearly. You are an important person. Act like it.
- 2. Walk around, mingle, introduce yourself. DO NOT mingle with your friends. Meet new people.
- 3. Introduce yourself to 7 people and make a date for every day of the week.
- 4. If they're busy on Friday, ask them about Saturday. If they're busy on Saturday, ask about Sunday.
- 5. Shy people are often wonderful, but they are rarely rich. If you are shy, **PRETEND** you are confident.

Model Conversation

Guy Hi, my name is Adam.

Gal Hello, my name is Eve.

Guy No way!

Gal Really. I kid you not. Anyway. Nice to meet you.

Guy Nice to meet you too. What's your major?

Gal I'm majoring in Business. What about you?

Guy My major is Computer Engineering. Do you live near school?

Gal You could say that. I live in the dormitory. What about you?

Guy I live in Incheon. I spend about three hours on the subway every day.

Gal Where's your hometown?

Guy I'm from Kwangju. We moved to Incheon when I was 10. What about you?

Gal I was born and raised in Andong. Say, you must know a lot about computers?

My notebook is having problems. Could you look at it?

Guy Sure.

Gal What about today after school?

Guy Today is not good. I have to help my father make a presentation on his iPad. What about tomorrow?

Gal That works. Where and when?

Guy Your call. What about in front of the library at 4:00.

Gal That's too early. I don't finish class until 5:00. How about 5:30 in front of the main gate?

Guy Cool. My number is 010-555-6789. And just in case my email is bradster@gmail.com.

Gal Yeah, right. My number is 010-555-5432. And my email is brezlee@naver.net.

Guy Same here.

Gal OK, great. I'll see you tomorrow in front of the main gate at 5:30.

Guy Great.

This is not a reading or writing class. It is CONVERSATION class.

DO NOT write your own information down for them. YOU say it, THEY write it. NOBODY reads.

If you have a **D**, **B**, or **P** in your email address, they may not understand your pronunciation.

So, you might have to say, **D** as in dog, **B** as in boy, **P** as in puppy.

The same for **M** and **N**. Did you say **M** as in money? No, I said **N** as in no.

The same for **Z** and **G**. Was that **Z** as in zero or **G** as in go?

Got it?

- 1. Meet and greet.
- 2. Chat a little bit.
- 3. Arrange a meeting.
- 4. Say goodbye.

