



This week...

Scott calls James to invite him and Wakana to a Christmas party in Tokyo.

Lesson Targets

- Talking about Christmas
- Inviting someone to a party

Daily English Conversation

Advanced Class



Do you celebrate Christmas?



What is
Santa Claus
doing?



A



B



What is inside the boxes?

C



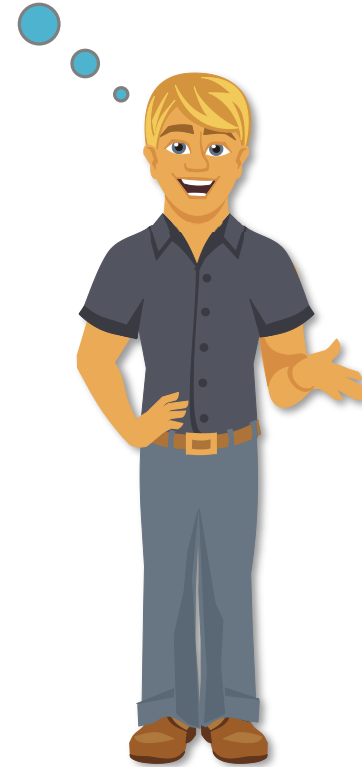


Scott	Hey James. This is Scott.
James	Hi Scott. It's good to hear from you.
Scott	It's Christmas time again and I was wondering if you and Wakana have any plans?
James	Not really. Wakana's family doesn't celebrate Christmas.
Scott	Well, I am having a Christmas party at my house and I want to invite you.
James	That sounds great. I have to ask Wakana, but I'm pretty sure we will be able to go.
Scott	OK. It will be on Christmas Eve, starting at 7 pm.
James	Do you want us to come a bit early and help you prepare?
Scott	Sure. If you can get here around 5:30, that would be good.
James	Alright. See you then.



I was wondering if you
can buy me a new car
for Christmas?

1. I was wondering if
2. I'm pretty sure we will be able to
3. Do you want us to?
4. If you can get here around that would be good.



Role Play – It's Christmas Time

Student A is calling Student B to invite him/her to a Christmas party.



A: Hey (name). This is (name).

B: Hi (name). It's good to hear from you.

Key Phrases

- It's Christmas time again and I was wondering if you had any plans.
- I am having a Christmas party at my house and I want to invite you.
- Could you please bring?
- I haven't decided what I am going to do yet.
- Do you want me to bring anything?
- Do you want me to come early and help you prepare?
- *Other*



Details

- date
- time
- place
- what to bring
- who is going
- *other*

* Choose a topic below and tell a short story that is either true or not true. The other students in the class and the teacher ask one question each about the story. Then they guess whether your story is true or false.



1. I decorate my house with Christmas decorations.
2. I buy quite a few Christmas gifts.
3. I enjoy going to Christmas parties.
4. I always do something special at Christmas.





1. Which one is not a name for the famous bearded figure?

- A:** Santa Claus
- B:** Father Christmas
- C:** Saint Nicholas
- D:** Father John

2. Where is it believed that Jesus was born?

- A:** Pennsylvania
- B:** Bethlehem
- C:** Jericho
- D:** Babylon

3. Roughly how many Christmas trees are grown each year in Europe?

- A:** 60 million
- B:** 500 million
- C:** 100 million
- D:** 30 million

4. Which was the first song broadcasted from space?

- A:** Jingle Bells
- B:** Last Christmas
- C:** Ice Ice Baby
- D:** Go Your Own Way



- ☐ Do you buy Christmas gifts for your family or friends?
- ☐ Do you have any plans to go to a Christmas party?
- ☐ Do you eat anything in particular at Christmas?



- able - Will you be **able** to come to my Christmas party?
- bring - Can you please **bring** some snacks?
- decorate - I am going to **decorate** my house this year.
- early - I will go a bit **early** to help you set up the party.
- invite - Who are you going to **invite**?
- pretty - It was a **pretty** good Christmas party.
- special - Christmas Eve is always **special** at my house.
- wondering - I was **wondering** if you could buy some drinks.



Monica



Tina

Going to a Concert

Many people enjoy going to concerts throughout the year to see their favorite performers or artists. There are classical concerts, pop concerts, rock concerts and many others. Next week Monica calls Tina to ask her if she want to go to a concert with her in Osaka to celebrate the end of the year.