

## A. Demonstrative pronouns ( Kore, Sore, Are )

### <Exercise 1>

Please make Japanese sentences as in the following example:

Is this your watch ? --Kore wa anata no tokei desu ka.

1, positive answer --- Hai. sou desu. Sore wa watashi no tokei desu.

2, negative answer --- Iie, sou dewa- arimasen. Sore wa watashi no tokei dewa-arimasen.

1, Is this your father's car ? ( father=otousan)

1) positive answer ---

2) negative answer ---

2, Is this person your friend ? (friend=tomodachi) ---

1) positive answer ---

2) negative answer ---

3, Are those Japanese dictionaries yours ?

( the dictionaries are close to the person to answer )

1) positive answer ---

2) negative answer ---

4, Is that camera your camera ?

( the camera is far from the person who asks and the person who answers )

1) positive answer ---

2) negative answer ---

5, Is that photo your family ? ( photo = shashin)

( the photo is close to the person who answers )

1) positive answer ---

2) negative answer ---

## B. Demonstrative of location ( Koko, Soko, Asoko )

**Koko wa anata no ie desu ka. ( Is this place your home?)**

**Iie, watashi no ie wa asoko desu.( No,my home is that place)**

\* In conversation, if the place or building is a little far from the both persons , they can use "soko" to refer to that.

If the place or building is far from them, they can use "asoko" to refer to the place they are talking about.

### <Exercise 2>

Please fill in the demonstrative word for location into the blank as shown in the example.

example: Kono ie wa watashi no ie dewa-arimasen. ( koko ) wa watashi no chichi no ie desu.

**example: Ano gakkou wa anata no gakkou desu ka ? Hai, ( asoko ) wa watashi no gakkou desu.**

2, Kono heya wa benkyou no heya desu ka ? Hai, ( ) wa benkyou no heya desu.

\*heya=room

3, Sono kouen wa kuni no kouen desu ka.? Iie, ( ) wa kuni no kouen dewa-arimasen. \*

kouen=park , kuni=nation

4, Anata no kaisha wa ano biru desu ka.? Hai, soo desu. ( ) wa watashi no kaisha desu.

\*biru=building

5, Suzuki-san no ie wa soko desu ka? Hai, ( ) wa Suzuki-san no ie desu.

### C. Interrogatives ( Nani, Doko, Dare )

#### <Exercise 3>

**Please make question and answers in Japanese as in the example. (word order exercise)**

**Example:**

**Q ( kore, desu ,ka , wa, nan ) ----- Kore wa nan desu ka**

**A ( desu, wa, watashi, kaban , no, kore ) -----Kore wa watashi no kaban desu.**

1, Q ( anata , nan, shigoto, desu, wa, no, ka )----

A ( watashi , desu, shigoto, sensei, no , wa ) ---

\* shigoto =job, work \* sensei=teacher

2, Q ( doko, kaisha, wa, anata, desu,ka, no)----

A ( kaisha , desu, soko, wa, watashi, no)----

\* kaisha= company, firm

3, Q ( kono , desu, wa, ka, shashin ,dare )---

A ( desu, wa, shashin, watashi ,tsuma ,no , kono)--

\* shashin=picture, photo, tsuma = wife

4, Q ( shumi , no, anata ,wa, ka, nan , desu )---

A( wa, shumi, desu, no, watashi , karaoke)---

\* shumi= hobby

5, Q ( anata , ka, wa, Iriguchi, no, ie, no, doko, desu)--

A ( desu,wa, watashi, Iriguchi, no,no, ie, koko )--

\* Iriguchi= entrance , ie=house

6, Q( sono, eiga, kantoku,no ,desu, ka, wa, dare)--

A ( wa, desu, kantoku, eiga, no, sono, Kurosawa )--

\* eiga=movie, kantoku=director

## D. How to make proper question sentences.

Please read the examples:

**Koko wa watashi no ie desu.** ( This place is my house )

**Koko wa tomodachi no ie desu.** ( This place is friend's house)

**Watashi no ie wa koko desu.** ( My house is this place/here )

If the underlined words of the above 3 sentences are answers for questions, how do you make proper questions for each sentence ? Here are the answers.

Koko wa **doko** desu ka

Koko wa **dare no ie** desu ka.

Anata no ie wa **doko** desu ka ?

### <Exercise 4>

Please compose questions appropriate for the following answer sentences as in the example (the underlined word is the answer):

Example Answer : Watashi wa **Suzuki** desu ==> Question: **Anata wa dare desu ka.**

1, Answer: Watashi no namae wa Tom desu.

Question:

2, Answer: Watashi no gakkou wa asoko desu.

Question

3, Answer: Kono hito wa watashi no haha desu. \*haha= mother

Question

4, Answer: Ano kuruma wa watashi no kuruma desu.

Question

5, Answer: Sono kokki wa Amerika no kokki desu. \*kokki= flag