



A. Common Mistake (よくある間違い)

Read the article below and see if you can improve it.

下の文章を読んで、改善できる点はないか探してみましょう。

Immigration: Show me your passport.

Kei: Here.

Immigration: Why are you visiting our country?

Kei: To conduct business.

Immigration: What kind of job do you have?

Kei: I'm in sales.

Immigration: How long are you here for and where are you staying?

Kei: One week, and I'm staying at the Seaview Plaza Hotel.

Immigration: Do you have a ticket home?

Kei: Yes.

Immigration: Now place your fingers here.

Customs: Is this the only bag you have?

Kei: Yes.

Customs: Show me the papers.

Kei: Here you are.

Customs: I need to see inside your bag.

Customs: Okay, you have to pay \$50.00 duty.

Kei: Okay.

B. Today's point (今日のポイント)

Check those points with your tutor.

講師と一緒に、以下のポイントを確認しましょう。

Before your trip, you should check the expiration date of your passport and whether or not you need a visa for your destination country.

If traveling to the United States, and if you have traveled there many times before, you may be questioned further in a separate room.

Be sure you remove your passport cover before submitting it to the immigration/customs officer.

C. Natural Conversation (会話練習)

Read the following sentences with your tutor keeping today's points in mind.

Today's pointに注意しながら、以下の文章を読みましょう。

Immigration: Passport, please.

Kei: Here you are.

Immigration: What's the purpose of your visit?

Kei: I'm here on business.

Immigration: What type of work do you do?

Kei: I work in sales and marketing.

Immigration: How long is your visit, and where are you staying?

Kei: I'll be here for one week, and I'm staying at the Seaview Plaza Hotel.

Immigration: Do you have a return ticket?

Kei: Yes.

Immigration: Now I need you to place your left index finger, and then your right index finger, on the designated points of this reader...thank you.

Customs: Is this all the baggage you have?

Kei: Yes.

Customs: Can I see your customs papers, please?

Kei: Yes. Here you are.

Customs: Your duty for this item is \$50.00.

D. Practice (練習問題)

Answer the questions.

以下の問いに答えましょう。

1. Have you ever experienced any difficulties when passing through customs or immigration?
2. Have you ever had anything to declare in customs?
3. Have you ever been questioned further in a separate room?

E. Exercise (演習)

Do a rollplay with your tutor on the topic below using what you learned today.

今日学んだことを活かして、以下のトピックについて講師とロールプレイングしてみましょう。

Pair up and act out immigration and customs scenes in an airport. One person is the customs/immigration asking the questions, and the other person is the traveler and must answer the questions.