

## Genki soo desu ne

You look well.



## Today's Skit

||旅糧さん、お久しぶりです。 タム

Yu<sup>1</sup>uki-san, ohisashiburi de<sup>1</sup>su, Tam

Yuuki-san, long time no see.

炒き : あ! タムさん・・・。

A! Ta<sup>1</sup>mu san...

Oh! Tam-san...

: 去年、日本に来ました。 タム

I came to Japan last year.

Tam

Yuuki

Kyo<sup>1</sup>nen, Niho<sup>1</sup>n ni kima<sup>1</sup>shita.

日本語を勉強しています。

I'm studying Japanese.

Nihongo o benkvoo-shite ima<sup>1</sup>su.

Solo. Yumel ga kanalttan delsu ne.

悠輝

そう。夢がかなったんですね。

I see.

Your dream has come true.

Yuuki タム

: はい。

Yes.

Tam

Ha<sup>1</sup>i.

燃輝さんも、元気そうですね。

Yu<sup>1</sup>uki-san mo, genki so<sup>1</sup>o de<sup>1</sup>su ne.

Yuuki-san, you look well

too.

また奏えてうれしいです。

Mata a<sup>l</sup>ete ureshi<sup>l</sup>i de<sup>l</sup>su.

I'm glad to see you again.

#### Vocabulary

えしぶり in a long time

hisashiburi

dream

yume<sup>7</sup>

また again

mata

last year

kvo<sup>1</sup>nen

かなう come true

kana<sup>1</sup>u

meet

そう I see

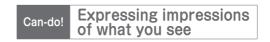
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# 元気(な) well

ge<sup>1</sup>nki (na)

うれしい glad ureshi<sup>l</sup>i





# 元気そうですね。

### Genki so<sup>1</sup>o de<sup>1</sup>su ne

You look well.

To express your impressions of what you see or your evaluation of the situation, use "[adjective] + soo desu." With NA-adjectives, take away the "na" at the end and attach "soo desu." With I-adjectives, take away the "i" at the end and attach "soo desu."

#### Use It!

あ、フリーマーケットをやってますね。

A, furii-ma<sup>1</sup>aketto o yatte ma<sup>1</sup>su ne.

わあ、おもしろそう!

Waa, omoshiroso<sup>1</sup>o!

Ah, they are having a flea market. Wow, that looks interesting!



#### Try It Out!

~そうですね。

It looks XXX.

~solo delsu ne.

①ちょっと cho<sup>1</sup>tto a bit

> 意い taka<sup>l</sup>i

expensive



②**今**首は kyo<sup>l</sup>o wa today

ダメ (な)
dame<sup>1</sup> (na)
bad



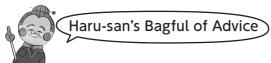


おくしぶりです。

Ohisashiburi de<sup>1</sup>su.

Long time no see.

This phrase is a greeting to someone you haven't seen for quite a while. If it's a friend, you can just say "Hisashiburi."



## Seasonal Flowers in Japan

Many places around the country are known for their flowers. After the cherry blossoms in spring, hydrangeas welcome in the rainy season.

## Cherry blossoms at the Imperial Palace (Tokyo)



Hydrangeas at Hondo-ji Temple (Chiba Pref.)



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In summer, people flock to see lavender and sunflowers covering wide open spaces. In autumn, trees change color, and cosmos flowers appear. Plum blossoms show up from winter to spring. Many people feel that "spring is just around the corner" when they see them.

## Sunflowers in Hokuryu Town (Hokkaido)



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## Plum blossoms at Osaka Castle (Osaka)



Answer ① ちょっと、鶯そうですね。 Choltto, takasolo delsu ne.

② 今日は、ダメそうですね。

Kyo¹o wa, dameso¹o de¹su ne.