



Beginner Chat Room
2:10–2:50 p.m., January 16th and 18th, 2024



Theme: Gifts

テーマ：贈り物

Self-introductions for new participants:

- What is your name?
- Where are you from?
- What do/did you do for work (job title, raised children, etc.)?
- What do you like to do for fun?

初めての方の自己紹介：

- 名前：My name is...
- 出身：I am from...
- 職業あるいは主婦：I am a.../I do...for a living./I work for...
- 趣味あるいは好きな活動：I.../I like to...

Questions:

- Do you like giving or receiving gifts more?
- What is a gift that you have received recently?
- What is a gift that you have given recently?
- What is a gift you gave to someone that they didn't like?
- What is a gift that you were happy to receive?
- Do you give Christmas or birthday presents?
- What do you think of o-chugen and o-seibo?

質問：

- プレゼントを贈るのともらうのと、どちらが好きですか。(例：I prefer to give gifts because it makes me happy.)
- 最近もらったプレゼントは何ですか。(例：I recently got a gift card from my uncle.)
- 最近贈ったプレゼントは何ですか。(例：I recently gave my coworkers snacks from America.)
- 相手が喜ばなかったプレゼントは何でしたか。(例：I gave a vegetarian friend kimchi once. It had fish in it.)
- もらって嬉しかったプレゼントは何ですか。(例：I got a massive box of mint chocolate candy for Christmas once.)
- クリスマスプレゼント、誕生日プレゼントを贈りますか。(例：Not always. Instead, I give presents whenever I have something to give.)
- お中元、お歳暮はどう思いますか。(例：I think they provide a good opportunity to express thanks to people.)