# Week 6 - Term 2 - October 2016 - Class Contents - Intermediate Class

## **Agenda**

- 1. REVIEW: "a(r)" Pronunciation Technique
- 2. REVIEW: Business Idioms: Set 1 Part 3
- 3. CHECK: Homework
- 4. LEARN: Providing Solutions
- 5. Homework Assignment

### **FINAL ROUND: Individual Student Check!**

- 1. Our vendor said the service center will repair the AV receiver on October 23rd.
- 2. First, our purpose is to work and confirm the firmware by the 3rd of December.
- 3. The new vendor is considering and concerned about releasing the third version in the future.

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**REVIEW:** Business Idioms Set 1 – Part 3

Idioms 7 - 8		
<b>Business Idiom</b>	Definition	
7) refer to	7) look at/ focus your attention to	
8) in terms of	8) regarding/ about/ concerning	

Idioms 9 – 10		
<b>Business Idiom</b>	Definition	
9) On behalf of	9) to represent someone	
10) with regard to	10) regarding/ about	

# **REVIEW:** Business Idioms - Example Sentences - Week 5

#### Idiom 1: refer to

- 1) Please refer to Figure 1.
- 2) In my opinion, you should refer to the user manual if you have any problems.
- 3) Are you referring to the bugs in the software?

### Idiom 2: in terms of

- 1) Our product is much better in terms of the specifications.
- 2) In terms of the new plan, we need to make some modifications.
- 3) From my perspective, we need to improve our product in terms of the hardware layout.

#### Idiom 3: on behalf of

- 1) On behalf of our company, I would like to say "WELCOME to D + M."
- 2) Our manager will go to the event **on behalf of** our section.
- 3) Would you like me to attend the meeting on behalf of you?

### Idiom 4: with regard to

- 1) I will need to do some research with regard to your question.
- 2) With regard to the new plan, we might need to change the schedule.
- 3) May I ask you a question with regard to this issue?

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### **CHECKED HOMEWORK:**

**Directions:** 

Make TWO ORIGINAL sentences for each Business Idiom.

Total: 8 sentences

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# **LEARN: Providing Solutions**

# **5 - point Speaking Technique:**

- Start: Well, ... From my point of view, we need to do three things.
- The first thing we need to do is....
- The next thing we need to do is...
- The final thing we need to do is....
- Ending: That's what I think. / That's my take. / That's my perspective.

# **Business Simulation:**

**Problem**: We need to make our product more popular in Japan.

A: Our product is not popular in Japan. What do you think we should do to make our product more popular in Japan?

B: Well, .....From my point of view, we need to do three things.

The <u>first thing</u> we need to do is make our products more stylish and exciting.

The <u>next thing</u> we need to do is increase our advertising in Japan.

The <u>final thing</u> we need to do is do more campaigns in electronic stores.

**Ending**: That's what I think. / That's my take. / That's my perspective.

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## **HOMEWORK:**

Directions: What are your solutions or ideas?

• Write down your THREE solutions to today's business simulation problem:

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- A: Our product is not popular in Japan. What do you think we should do to make our product more popular in Japan?
- B: Well, ....From my point of view, we need to do <a href="three">three</a> things. The <a href="first thing">first thing</a> we need to do is ....
- The <u>next thing</u> we need to do is ....
- The final thing we need to do is ....
- Ending: That's what I think. / That's my take.

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