

# DAILY ENGLISH

**A08**

Don't be sad.



A photograph of a woman with voluminous curly brown hair, wearing a blue and white striped turtleneck sweater, hugging a person with long dark hair from behind. They are standing in front of a light-colored brick wall. The person being hugged is wearing a brown jacket. The scene is softly lit, suggesting an indoor setting near a window.

## Lead-in

1. What kind of things make you sad?
2. How do you comfort a sad friend?

# Target Language

▼ In this lesson, we will learn:

**Grammar Focus**

Don't be + adjective

**Daily Expression**

Don't be sad.



# Picture Description

▼ Tell what you see in the pictures below.



A



B



C



D

# Pronunciation and Matching

▼ Read the example sentences.

1. Don't be sad.

2. Don't be selfish.

3. Don't be angry.

4. Don't be lazy.

▼ Match the sentences with the corresponding pictures.



## Conversation

▼ Listen to the conversation.

Mrs. Smith: You don't look good. Are you okay?

Naoto: I'm okay. I'm just thinking about my family.

Mrs. Smith: **Don't be sad.** Try to enjoy your stay with us.

Naoto: I miss them so much. I'm homesick.

Mrs. Smith: I'm your Canadian mother, so feel free to call me Mom.

Naoto: Oh. I feel better now, Mom. Thanks.

### Questions:

- Why was Naoto sad?
- What country is Mrs. Smith from?
- How did Mrs. Smith make Naoto feel better?

## Grammar Focus

▼ Read the grammar structure.

Don't be + adjective

Don't be {  
sad.  
selfish.  
angry.  
lazy.

# Grammar Check

- ▼ Rewrite the following sentences telling someone to act differently.

1

I am selfish.

Don't be selfish.

2

John is silly.

3

She is mean.

4

Mary is worried.

5

I am sad.



## Grammar Check

- ▼ Identify the feelings in each situation, and then give some advice.

1 I'm so sick of your excuses!

angry

Don't be angry.

2 I just want to watch TV all day.

3 I'm shy about meeting new people.

4 I think I won't finish my task.

5 I didn't get first place.

## Daily Scene

Make sentences using 'Don't be + adjective' about the negative behaviors you should stop doing, and then give some advice.



Don't be **late**.

Sleep early and wake up early.