

DAILY ENGLISH

C07

Congratulations on your achievement.

A silhouette of a person standing on a rocky outcrop with their arms raised in a 'V' shape, signifying achievement or celebration. The background is a vibrant sunset sky with shades of purple, pink, and orange. The person's shadow is cast onto the rock they are standing on.

Lead-in

1. What is your biggest achievement?
2. How did you celebrate it?

Target Language

▼ In this lesson, we will learn:

Grammar Focus

Congratulations on + noun phrase

Daily Expression

Congratulations on your achievement.

Picture Description

▼ Tell what you see in the pictures below.



A



B



C



D

Pronunciation and Matching

▼ Read the example sentences.

1. Congratulations on your wedding.
2. Congratulations on your graduation.
3. Congratulations on a job well done.
4. Congratulations on the birth of your first child.

▼ Match the sentences with the corresponding pictures.



Conversation

▼ Listen to the conversation.

Tom: Naoto, you told me you wrote for your school paper.

Naoto: Yes, when I was in high school.

Tom: I bet you received an award.

Naoto: Actually, I won first prize in the inter-school essay writing contest.

Tom: **Congratulations on your achievement.**

Naoto: Thanks, Tom.

Questions:

- When did Naoto write for his school paper?
- What contest did Naoto join?
- Which prize did Naoto win in that contest?

Grammar Focus

▼ Read the grammar structure.

Congratulations on + noun phrase

Congratulations on



your wedding.

your graduation.

a job well done.

the birth of your first child.

Grammar Check

▼ Put “✓” if we say “Congratulations” in the following situations and “✗” if we don’t.

☐

a new job

☐

promotion at work

☐

getting married

☐

having a baby

☐

broke one’s arm

☐

death of a family member

☐

passing a driving test

☐

failing an important exam

☐

losing a client

☐

graduation

Grammar Check

▼ Make sentences to congratulate a friend.

① A friend of yours just graduated.

② Your friend did a job well done.

③ You are going to give a gift to your friend on his wedding day.

④ Your friend just won the lottery.

⑤ A friend got an award.

⑥ The first baby of your friend has just been born.

Daily Scene

Here is a checklist of achievements. Tick (✓) the achievements you have experienced then make sentences using the learned daily expression.

Checklist



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| <input type="checkbox"/> won an award | <input type="checkbox"/> had your first baby |
| <input type="checkbox"/> passed a driving test | <input type="checkbox"/> graduated |
| <input type="checkbox"/> got your first job | <input type="checkbox"/> had a perfect score |
| <input type="checkbox"/> placed first in a contest | <input type="checkbox"/> got married |
| <input type="checkbox"/> promoted at work | <input type="checkbox"/> organized an event |