

Splash
English
Podcast
Transcript



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Splash English Podcast Episode 001
Welcome to the Splash English Podcast!

Hi everyone, this is Josh. You might know me from my Youtube channel, SplashEnglish, where I teach English conversation, business skills, and productivity hacks. I'm happy to announce this new podcast that I'm launching called the Splash English podcast. In this podcast series, you will learn useful English phrases and vocabulary that you can use in everyday conversations, as well as business conversations. I will also share business skills and productivity hacks to help you develop yourself as a working professional.

In this first episode of the Splash English podcast, you will learn what this podcast is about and what to expect from this show. But before we get into that, let me tell you a little bit about myself.

I am the host of the Splash English podcast. You might have noticed that I have a funny accent when I'm speaking in Korean. Well, that is because I'm not Korean. I was born in the US, and my parents are from Japan. I started learning Korean in my 20s, and Korean is my third language. Most of my podcast episodes will be released with minimal editing, so you might possibly hear me make some mistakes in Korean. If I do, please go easy on me.

You might be wondering. What is this Japanese person teaching in Korea? I never thought I would become an English teacher. I certainly didn't have any specific career plan when I first came to Korea to teach English. The longer I lived here, the more I was impressed by how much people put into their English studies. I met many students like you, who are ambitious and are constantly trying to improve themselves, and I wanted to do something to help them achieve fluency in English.

When you learn to speak English naturally, many doors will open up to you. You might get more business opportunities, communicate with people all over the world, and get access to the wealth of knowledge and information available out there in the world!

Ok, what can you expect from this podcast? The goal of this podcast is to help you speak fluent English so that you can succeed in life and business. You will learn to become a better communicator and be recognized as a professional in your industry.

Each podcast episode will be presented in one of the following ways.

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One: I will be sharing some stories in English, or featuring real conversations with native speakers. Many of our talks will revolve around the topics of self-development, business, and social skills, but not limited to those topics. After each talk, you will hear a summary and learn useful English phrases that were used in the talk.

Two: We will share best practices by industry experts and discuss what English words and phrases those professionals use at work. I'm sure many of you are capable of casual English conversations. But in business, it's crucial that you know how to speak English formally, and to speak like a professional. That is why I am going to interview people who are working in different industries---- pharmaceutical, manufacturing, cosmetics, art or tech; you name it! Together we will uncover what these people know about business in their industry and what words they use every day. Learning from these experts will help you speak like a professional and equip you with business know-hows.

Your technical skills are important but so are your communication skills. By learning to speak English effectively, you will come across as someone who is competent and trustworthy. You will increase your potential to earn more money. You will meet like-minded people who are smart and interesting, just like you. You will take on more responsibilities at work and get your hands on projects that are fulfilling and meaningful to you.

Each podcast episode will be provided with a summary, a transcript, and useful phrases and vocabulary. If you'd like to review the material from each podcast episode, check out [SplashEnglish.com/podcast](https://www.splashenglish.com/podcast) to get access to those materials.

Thank you for tuning in today, and I hope together we can walk on this journey to become not just any professional, but a top performer!

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오늘의 표현:

Phrase #1: Please go easy on me. 봐 주세요.

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제가 한국어로 말하면서 틀린 표현을 할 수도 있습니다. 실수가 있어도 좋게 봐 주세요.

봐 주세요라는 뜻으로 please go easy on me 말고도 이렇게도 쓸 수 있습니다.

Please excuse my limited English skills.

제 영어 실력이 부족하더라도 좋게 봐 주세요.

Phrase #2: Many doors will open up to you : 기회가 많아 질 것이다.

When you learn to speak English naturally, many doors will open up to you.

영어를 자연스럽게 하게 되면 기회가 많아 질 것입니다.

When you choose one career path, you might feel like you are closing doors on other opportunities. But striving to be the best in one area is the sure way to success.

진로를 하나로 선택하면 다른 기회를 놓쳐 버리는 것과 같이 느낄 수도 있습니다만 한 분야의 전문가가 되려고 노력하는 것이 성공을 위한 확실한 지름길입니다.

Phrase #3: Revolve around : 무엇의 중심으로 하다, 무엇에 초점을 두다, 집착하다

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저희의 토크는 비즈니스, 자기개발, 회화법과 같은 주제를 많이 다루기도 하고 또 그 외의 주제도 있을 것입니다.

My life revolves around music and always will.

나의 삶의 중심에는 항상 음악이 있고 앞으로도 계속 그럴 것이다.