UNIT 02. Talk is Cheap (Lesson2)

- Idioms about speaking
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1. Idioms about speaking

(1) "loud and clear"

- You don't need to repeat yourself; I got your message **loud and clear**.
- No problem, **loud and clear.**

(2) "speak your mind"

- I'm so angry at her! I'm going to call her right now and **speak my mind** about the situation.
- People on first dates can get stifled and have difficulty **speaking their minds**.

(3) "pour your heart out"

- When we went out to dinner last night, Jim **poured his heart out** about the divorce.
- When I get really drunk I **pour my heart out** to my friends.

(4) "my lips are sealed"

- Don't worry, I won't tell anyone about your money problems. **My lips are sealed.**
- I won't tell you anymore, **my lips are sealed.**

2. Tag questions

(1) Positive tags

Q: 피자 **안 좋아하지**?
A: **아니**, 피자 **좋아해**.
A: **응**, 피자 **안 좋아해**.

Q: You **don't like** pizza, **do you**?
A: **Yes**, I **do like** pizza.
A: **No**, I **don't like** pizza.

(2) Negative tags

Q: 피자 **좋아하지**?
A: **아니**, 피자 **안 좋아해.**
A: **응**, 피자 **좋아해.**

Q: You **like** pizza, **don't you**?
A: **Yes**, I **do like** pizza.
A: **No**, I **don't like** pizza.

(3) It's easier in English!

Q: Do you **like** pizza?
Q: You **like** pizza, **don't you**?
Q: You **don't like** pizza, **do you**?
A: **Yes**, I **do like** pizza.
A: **No**, I **don't like** pizza.

(4) Confirmation with tags

- didn't sleep well…

Q: They **didn't sleep** well,… did they?
A: No, they **didn't sleep** well.
A: Yes, they did **sleep** well.

- shouldn't smoke…

Q: You **shouldn't** smoke,…should you?
A: No, you **shouldn't** smoke.
A: Yes, you **should** smoke.

- have never worn makeup…

Q: You **have never worn** makeup,… **have** you?
A: No, I **haven't worn** makeup.
A: Yes, I **have worn** makeup.

3. Discussion questions

Q: Do you prefer face-to-face communication or communicating through technology?

Honestly, I prefer communicating face-to-face, but it can be easier to **speak your mind** and **pour your heart out** through technology if you can't see the person you're talking to.

Q: Are you good at networking?

I think I'm okay at networking. It's important to introduce yourself to different people in order to make future business connections and to get your message across **loud and clear.**

Q: When was the last time you had a misunderstanding with someone?

My brother and I skipped school went to the beach without my parents permission.
I had told him to keep **his lips sealed**, but my brother misunderstood and told everyone.
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