

CHAPTER 4: INVITATIONS

**MAKE FRIEND AND PLANS LIKE A NATIVE
SPEAKER**

COMMON INVITATION PHRASES

- Would you like...
- Would you like to go to the movies with me?
- Would you like to come have lunch with us?
- Would you like to come to my party tonight?
- Hey, how's it going? Would you like to go out this weekend?
- Hi, How're you doing? Would you like to come over?
- Do you want...
- Do you want to go get some lunch?
- Do you want do go to the gym with me?
- Do you want to come over and hang out at my place today?
- Hey, what's up? Do you want to go to Central Plaza?
- Yo, what's happening? Wanna come over and chill?

EXAMPLE USAGE

- G'day. How's things?
- Yeah, pretty good, how's things with you?
- Yeah, not too bad. What're you getting up to this weekend?
- Not sure. Wait and see what happens.
- I'm going camping this weekend if you wanna come?
- Sounds good. I'll let you know for sure before the weekend.

- Hiya, how are you? What have you been up to?
- Not a lot. Just the usual. Work and looking after the kids.
- Yeah, I know how you feel. My daughters been a little terror this week.
- What are you getting up to tomorrow? You free?
- Yeah, I don't have any plans, what did you have in mind?
- Maybe we can have a girls night out? Leave the kids with the hubbies?
- Sounds good to me!!

EXAMPLE USAGE

- Hey, what's doing? Wanna come over tonight?
- Sorry, I can't I already have plans. Maybe next time.
- Sure.

- Hey, what's new?
- Nothing much, you?
- Same. Hey, I was thinking of going to bar 69 tonight you interested?
- Would love to but I have to study for an exam tomorrow.

- Hey, what's news?
- Nothing special, just the usual.
- I'm going to throw a party tonight. Would you like to come?
- For sure! I need some down-time. I've been working too much!!

COMMON INVITATIONS AND RESPONSES

- *Invitations:*

- Would you like to...?
- How about...?
- Do you want to...with me?
- I'd like to invite you to...

- *Accepting invitations:*

- Thanks! That sounds like fun.
- Sure. Thank you for the invitation.
- *Asking details*
- When is it?
- What time does it start/end?
- Let's meet at...
- What date/day is it?

- *Refusing invitations:*

- No, thank you.
- I'm sorry, but I have to...
- Thanks, but I have another appointment at that time.
- I can't. I'm sorry.

EXAMPLE USAGE

- Hey Jack. How's things?
 - Yeah, not to bad.Yourself?
 - Yeah pretty good. Can't complain. How about coming around my place for a drink tonight?
 - Sure.That sounds like fun.What time did you want me to come around?
 - Umm, how about 6:00?
 - See you then.
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- Hello Jan how do you do?
 - I am good thanks. How about you?
 - I'm great thanks. I would like to invite you to my wedding.
 - Oh, how exciting! When is it?
 - Its is on the 24th on January.
 - And what time does it start?
 - It starts at 10:00 in the morning.