



At the end of the lesson, the student will be able to:
* use polite expressions in asking for and accepting an apology.



Dialogue

Mike: I have something to tell you, but I'm afraid you might get angry.

Mark: Why what's the matter?

Mike: Remember last week, I borrowed a book from you?

Mark: Yes, it was my Grammar book.

Mike: I'm afraid I lost it. But don't worry, I'll replace it.

Mark: Well, it really doesn't matter that much. Don't give it a second thought.

Mike: Really? You mean I'm forgiven. Thank you very much.

Mark: I have no choice though. The damage has been done.

Expressions for apologizing



> I'm sorry, but...

> I'd like to apologize for..

> I'm sorry for...

> Forgive me but...

> I apologize for...

> Please accept my apology...



Accepting an apology:

- > Well, it doesn't matter that much.
- > Don't give it a second thought.
- > It really wasn't that important.
- > It's okay.
- > It's not a big deal.
- > No problem .

Let's Practice



1. You broke the camera that you borrowed from your friend. What will you tell her?
2. You fall in line at the cashier's counter and you accidentally step on a person's foot. How will you apologize?
3. Your best friend lost the bicycle that you lend him. He apologizes. What would you tell him?