



## 머리말

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New Talk Talk Talk(1/2) 교재의 특징은 다음과 같습니다.

1. 각권 30과로 구성 되었으며 각 Lesson 은 각기 다른 포맷으로 구성되어 있습니다.
2. Lesson 첫 부분에 Example 과 Answer 를 제시하여 학습자들이 각 Lesson 의 목적을 잘 이해하게끔 배려하였습니다.
3. 특히 Book (1) 의 Part (3) “Let’s Practice Making Questions” 는 새롭게 시도되는 포맷으로서 영어 학습자들의 부족한 부분을 다시 한번 훈련하도록 특별히 제시된 부분 입니다. 그 동안에 많은 학습자들이 선생님들의 질문에만 대답하는 훈련을 해왔습니다. 따라서 실제상황에서 질문을 할 경우에는 많은 어려움을 느껴왔습니다. 따라서 영어 학습자들에게는 좋은 훈련재료가 될것입니다.
4. 영어학습에 있어서 말하기든 쓰기든 학습의 출발점은 영어로 생각하고 영어로 표현해보는 것입니다. 이 책에서는 이 부분에 많은 주안점을 두어 영어를 영어로 설명하는 훈련을 할 수 있도록 많은 자료들을 제시하여 훈련 할 수 있도록 했습니다.
5. 또한 어려운 구문이나 단어에 대해서는 각주에서 영어로된 상세한 설명을 곁들여 도움이 되도록 했습니다.

이제 저희 리스 코리아 편집진의 노력의 산물인 New Talk Talk Talk (1/2)와 함께 독자 여러분의 영어학습에 새로운 발전을 기대합니다. 이책이 나오기까지 집필에 애써주신 리스 코리아 편집진들, 그리고 집필과 책임감수까지 해주신 Duane L. Vorhees 씨에게 많은 감사를 드립니다. 또 좋은 삽화를 그려주신 김기환씨, 그리고 완벽한 교정을 위해 애써주신 Neal D. Williams 씨에게도 감사를 드립니다.

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## Introduction

LIS Korea educational products proudly presents a new version of its popular English learning series, **NEW TALK, TALK, TALK**. Like the other volumes produced by this innovative company, it is not concerned with grammar or vocabulary, as such, though many words and expressions are defined in context. The main purpose is for students to see and hear modern American English as used by an intelligent native speaker, and to respond with their own ideas, in their own words. Mature communication is the goal: the ability of two or more people to understand and interact with each other on an equal basis.

As usual, the **NEW TALK, TALK, TALK** contains many lively, interesting topics that span the range of human experience, a number of sometimes-outrageous opinions, dialogues between people with sharply different opinions and personalities, and — what is most lacking in regular language-learning texts — a great deal of good sense. It is in this last category in particular that **NEW TALK, TALK, TALK** and other LIS Korea products excel. Users are routinely asked to explain some word or sentence, how to use it, and what is **REALLY** means (not just the dictionary definition) in the context of the situation being presented. Human character and human interpretation vary widely, and so does the language used; sometimes, even the same word or phrase takes on different coloration in different settings. The material in this series is designed to help non-native-speakers navigate socially in different circumstances.

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## What Do You Want to Say?

**Example**

Many people think technology brings happiness to our lives and that time-saving machines give us more time. How would you tell folks that, on the contrary, it is new technology itself that is a main source of modern stress?

**Answer**

Computers and mobile phones tie people closely to their jobs all the time, regardless of where they work. So their workload<sup>+</sup> increases as efficiency improves. People are busier, even though they do more, but they still lack free time. The employer is getting a great deal, since he can squeeze<sup>+</sup> more work out of the staff<sup>+</sup> without paying more money, but the employee can no longer take a break<sup>+</sup> to recharge his batteries<sup>+</sup>; there is no safe place to hide and relax — the Infernal<sup>+</sup> Machine will find him wherever he goes!

What Do You Think?

Part I

- **workload** : amount of work a person or machine is expected to do
- **squeeze** : barely succeed at getting or doing (sth)    → **staff** : people who work for an organization
- **break** : brief period of time during which (sb) stops an activity
- **recharge your batteries** : rest or relax in order to get back your energy
- **infernal** : very bad or unpleasant
- **save (sth) for a rainy day** : save (sth), esp. money, for a time when you will need it
- **sunscreen** : lotion you put on your skin to prevent sunburn
- **give up on (sth)** : stop trying to do or achieve (sth)
- **take (sth) into consideration** : remember to think about (sth) important when you are making or judgment
- **lay (sb) off** : stop employing (sb), esp. for a period in which there is not much work to do
- **on a leash** : under control    → **dissuade** : make (sb) decide not to do (sth)
- **finances** : money a person, company, organization etc. has available, or the way they manage this money
- **walk of life** : position in society (sb) has, esp. the type of job they have