


Topic

Conversation for Beginners

Lesson 4 Currency

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- A US one-dollar bill is shown at an angle on a wooden surface. In the background, there is a bowl of green leafy vegetables and a bowl of white rice. A semi-transparent white box is overlaid on the left side of the image, containing two bullet points.
- What banknote is this?
 - Which country uses this currency?

In this lesson, we will learn **about currencies**:

- name some currencies of different countries;
- share some information of each currency;
- practice expressions about currencies

Key words:

euro
pound
yen
dirham

Key Words

Learn the new words and match.



- euro
- dirham



- yen
- pound





Vocabulary Check

Match the countries with the correct currencies.

Which currency are you going to use if you travel to the following countries?

Japan



euro



United Arab of Emirates



dirham



United Kingdom



yen



France



pound



Key Sentences

Read and share your opinions.

1. I'd like to exchange 300 **euros** to dollars.

Questions:

1. How do you ask someone if you would like to exchange euros to dollars?
2. Have you tried exchanging your country's currency to another currency?



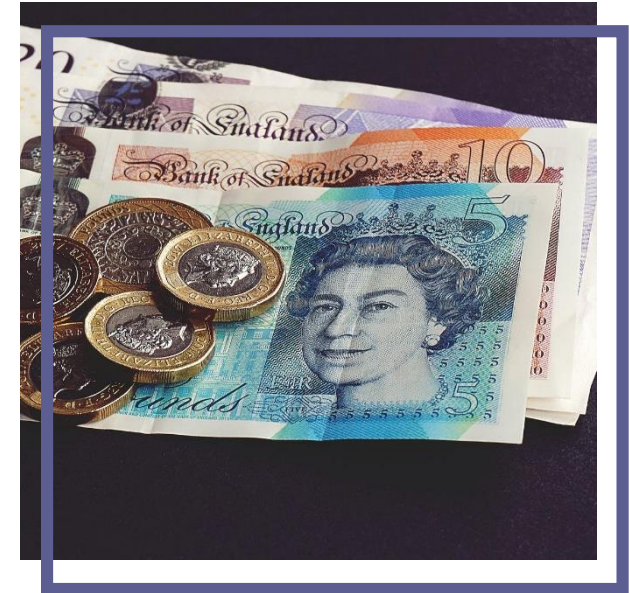
Key Sentences

Read and share your opinions.

2. What's the exchange rate for pounds?

Questions:

1. How would you ask for the exchange rate for pounds?
2. What's the exchange rate for pounds in your country?



Key Sentences

Read and share your opinions.

3. How much is 50000 yen in dollars?

Questions:

1. How do we specifically ask for the value of money?
2. How much money would I need to travel to your country for 3 days?



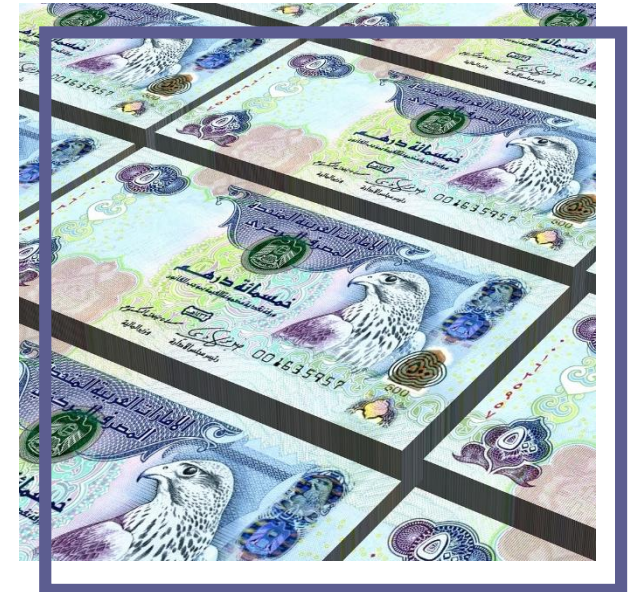
Key Sentences

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4. 1000 **dirhams** is equivalent to 204.67 in pounds.

Questions:

1. How much is 100 dollars in your country's currency?
2. Where can we exchange money when we travel to another country?



Conversation

Listen to the audio and do a role play.

Yuka asks John where the nearest bank is.



Yuka



Yuka



Yuka

John, do you know where the nearest bank is?

Yes, it's just a block away. Why do you ask?

I'd like to exchange some yen to dollars.

Oh, so how much is the exchange rate for yen today?

I checked the internet and it says that 1 yen is equivalent to 0.0096 in US dollar.

The value is better today than yesterday. Come on. I'll go with you.



John



John



John



Semi-open Role Play

Make a role play with your teacher with the given scenario and hints.

Scenario

You are at the airport and need to exchange some money to dollars. Go to the nearest currency exchange office.

- Hints:**
- I'd like to exchange ... to dollars.
 - What's the exchange rate for ...?
 - How much is... in dollars?
 - ... is equivalent to ...in dollar.

Review

Compute the value of the currencies to Philippine peso.







Self-check

1. Fred would like to exchange 100 pounds to pesos.
How much would he get in peso?
2. What is the equivalent of 1 dirham in peso?
3. You have 30000 yen. How much is it in peso?
4. You would like to exchange dollars to pesos.
What will you say to the money changer?

Exchange Rate in Peso



 Pound Sterling	63.06
 US Dollar	46.89
 UAE Dirham	11.56
 Japan Yen	0.46