

Daily English 9

I appreciate it.

1. Expressions:

- a. *Thanks.*
- b. *Thank you.*
- c. *I appreciate it.*
- d. *Thank you for ...*
- e. *I appreciate your kindness.*
- f. *Thank you for all your help.*
- g. *I don't know how to thank you.*

2. Dialogue:

- Izza: Hi, Nick. Do you need help?
- Nick: Hi, Izza. Yes, I think I really need your help.
- Izza: What are you doing? Are you going to move?
- Nick: No, I'm just cleaning my room. As you can see, it's so messy.
- Izza: I think you're right. Let me help you.
- Nick: You're such an angel! I really appreciate your kindness, Izza.
- Izza: You're welcome.
- Nick: Do you like doing the house chores?
- Izza: Yes, I do. I was trained by mother when I was still young to do the house chores in our house.

Nick: Wow! Good for you. Me, I'm not used with these since my mother does all the cleaning by herself when I was young. But I'm a good cook. That's my job, you know.

Izza: Really? That's great!



After an hour...

Nick: Whew! That was tiring. Thank you again, Izza.

Izza: No problem, Nick. I live just beside your apartment so let me know when you need help again.

Nick: Really? Thank you very much! Thank you for all your help.

Izza: You're very welcome, Nick. Anytime.

Nick: Hmm... Is it ok if you stay here longer? I would like to cook something for you.

Izza: Oh, I would love to!

Nick: Great! Give me time and I'll make a special meal for you.

Izza: You're so nice. Now, I don't have to go to your restaurant to taste your cooking. Thank you, Nick.

Nick: No, I should thank you. Thank you for your time, Izza.

Izza: That's nothing.

3. Let's Practice!

A. Answer the following questions:

1. Who is good at house chores?
2. What was Nick's job?
3. What were the 'thank you' expressions Nick used in the dialogue?
4. Where were the replies of Izza when Nick says thank you?

B. Do you know other ways how to say 'thank you'?

C. Practice speaking.

How would you express thank you?

Make a conversation with your teacher from the following situations.

1. Your teacher just gave you a gift for your birthday.
2. Your friend brought dinner for you.
3. Someone has returned your lost wallet.
4. Someone helped carry your books.