



## Adverbial Time Phrases

Listen to an explanation about onsens in Japan.

**Jane:** I was thinking of going to an hot spring in Japan, but I really don't know what to do. I hear it's a little bit complicated.

**Mark:** Oh, not really, but there are a few steps you need to follow when you go in.

**Jane:** Really, like what?

**Mark:** Well, \_\_\_\_\_ first go in, you need to take off your shoes and put them in a locker near the entrance. Then, you need to buy a ticket from a vending machine \_\_\_\_\_ it to the counter person.

**Jane:** OK, I put my shoes in a locker, buy a ticket and give it to the person at the counter.

**Mark:** Right, \_\_\_\_\_ you give your ticket to the staff, you need to give them your the key to your shoe locker too. They'll give it back \_\_\_\_\_ when you return.

**Jane:** OK, I think I got it, and then what?

**Mark:** Then give your ticket to the person \_\_\_\_\_ counter. They will give you a new locker \_\_\_\_\_ the changing room and two towels. You use the big towel to dry off \_\_\_\_\_ you finish your bath, and the small towel to wash up with \_\_\_\_\_ enter the onsen.

**Jane:** OK, and what do I do with the locker key?

**Mark:** You keep it with you. After you lock \_\_\_\_\_ stuff, you need to keep \_\_\_\_\_ you when you're in the onsen.

**Jane:** Wow, sounds like a lot to remember. I hope \_\_\_\_\_ do it.

**Mark:** I'm sure you'll be fine. The first time is \_\_\_\_\_ you'll figure it out as you go along.

## Quiz

- 1) Where do you leave your shoes?
  - a) At the counter
  - b) In the locker
- 2) What do you give the person at the counter?
  - a) A ticket
  - b) A towel
- 3) Where does he say about the locker key?
  - a) Leave it inside the locker.
  - b) Keep it with you.
- 4) What is she worried about?
  - a) Remembering the rules.
  - b) Losing the key.

## Grammar Challenge

Fill in the blanks with the correct word.

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| also when | up your    | and give   | key for    |
| at the    | when you   | before you | I can      |
| it on     | with after | to you     | tricky but |

## Speaking Challenge

Match the answers with the questions.

- 1) What do you usually do before you go to bed?
- 2) What do you normally do after you wake up?
- 3) What do you often do as soon as you get home?
- 4) What do you eat whenever you get sick?
- 5) What do you do when you feel sad?

- [ \_ ] I have something healthy like vegetable soup.  
 [ \_ ] I brush my teeth and change into my pajamas.  
 [ \_ ] I watch a comedy to cheer up.  
 [ \_ ] I put away my things and play with my dog.  
 [ \_ ] I check my phone for messages.

**What about you?** Share your answers to the questions.