What's the purpose of your visit?

Hideo and Naoki are going through U.S. Immigration. What will they need to do at the immigration desk?



LISTENIN

Hideo is talking to a U.S. Immigration officer. Listen. Circle T (true) or F (false).

1. Hideo arrives in the afternoon.	T	F
2. Hideo doesn't have an I-94 form.	T	F
3. Hideo isn't traveling for business.	T	F
4. The officer scans Hideo's fingerprints.	T	F
5. The officer takes Hideo's photograph.	T	F
6. Hideo is staying in the U.S.A. for three weeks.	T	F

LOOK AND LEARN

Study these questions and answers:

Immigration	on officer	Passenger		
What's the purpose of your visit?		I'm on vacation.		
What's your occupation?		I work in an office.		
Are you traveling alone?		No, I'm with a friend.		
How long	are you staying here? is your trip?	Three days.		
Where are you staying?/What's your address?		The Holiday Inn.		
First, put your left index finger on the pad.		OK.		
Try that one more time./Do it again.		Like this?		
I need to take your photo.		OK.		
Look	at the camera, please. straight ahead.			

Now practice with a partner. Take turns asking and answering.

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CONVERSATION

Listen to the conversation between Naoki and the Immigration officer. Fill in the blanks.

Officer: May I have your passport and your I-94, please?

Naoki: Yes. Here they are.

Officer: What's the purpose of your visit?

Naoki: Well, I'm (1).....

Officer: Are you traveling alone?

Naoki: (2).....

Officer: OK. Where are you staying?

Naoki: (3).....

Officer: And how long is your trip?

Naoki: (4).....

Officer: That's fine. Now, please place your finger on the pad.

Now practice the conversation with a partner.

OVER TO YOU!

Make three more conversations like the one above. Use this information:

(1)	here to study	(1)	here on business	(1)	on vacation
(2)	Yes, I am.	(2)	No, I'm with a colleague.	(2)	No, I'm with my wife.
(3)	UCLA student housing.	(3)	The Sunset Tower.	(3)	With friends.
(4)	Three months.	(4)	A week.	(4)	Ten days.

ACTIVITY

Work with a partner. Take turns being Student A and Student B.

Student A: Turn to page 56.

Student B: You are an Immigration officer. Ask the passenger, Student A, questions and complete the form below.

You start...

Welcome to the United States	U.S Customs and Border Protection	I-94W
1. Name		
2. Address in the U.S.		
3. Purpose of visit		
4. Length of stay		
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