SLOW Beginner English Conversation - At the Coffee Shop

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1. Where do they meet?

○ a.) at school

○ b.) in a coffee shop

○ c.) at the library

2. What does the woman ask?

○ a.) What's your name?

○ b.) Do you work here?

○ c.) Is this seat taken?

3. What does the man say about the coffee shop?

○ a.) it's always empty.

○ b.) It's really busy.

○ c.) It's closed today.

4. Camille is _____ in the video.

○ a.) Emma

○ b.) Brook

○ c.) Samantha

5. And Calvin plays the role of _____.

○ a.) Diego

○ b.) Ryan

○ c.) Bruno

6. Why does Ryan go to the coffee shop often?

○ a.) to eat

○ b.) to work

○ c.) to meet friends

7. What does Ryan do for work?

○ a.) He's a teacher.

○ b.) He's a freelance writer.

○ c.) He's a photographer.

8. Where can Ryan work from?

○ a.) only from home

○ b.) from school

○ c.) from anywhere

9. What does Emma study?

○ a.) Business

○ b.) Psychology

○ c.) Literature

10. What does Emma say about psychology?

○ a.) It's boring.

○ b.) It's hard.

○ c.) She enjoys it.

11. What job might Emma want in the future?

○ a.) Journalist

○ b.) Psychologist

○ c.) Psychiatrist

12. What does Emma enjoy doing in her free time?

○ a.) playing video games

○ b.) hiking and photography

○ c.) painting and dancing

13. What kind of photos does Emma like to take?

○ a.) selfies

○ b.) portraits

○ c.) landscapes

14. What are Ryan's hobbies?

○ a.) cooking and reading

○ b.) playing football and watching movies

○ c.) hiking and swimming

15. What is Ryan's favorite movie?

○ a.) Avatar

○ b.) Titanic

○ c.) Inception

16. How often does Ryan try to travel?

○ a.) once a month

○ b.) every year

○ c.) once every two years

17. What is Ryan’s favorite place he’s visited?

○ a.) Japan

○ b.) Italy

○ c.) Thailand

18. Where does Emma want to go someday?

○ a.) Spain

○ b.) Italy

○ c.) Canada

Gap-fill

Complete these sentences with the words in the box.

Wordbank

treat remotely psychology photography kind of awesome mind-blowing nature guess amazing landscapes grab twice incredible writer articles definitely

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1. Ryan: Yeah, I _____ everyone had the same idea — coffee break.
2. Emma: Oh, do you work _____?
3. Ryan: Yeah, I'm a freelance _____.
4. Emma: That's cool. What ____ __ things do you write?
5. Ryan: Mostly travel blogs and tech _____.
6. Emma: I'm a university student. I'm studying _____.
7. Emma: Hmm, I love hiking and _____.
8. Ryan: Oh nice! Do you take photos of _____?
9. Emma: Yeah, I love taking pictures of _____. What about you? What are your hobbies?
10. Emma: Oh I love that movie, it's so _____.
11. Ryan: Right, it's one of those movies you have to watch _____.
12. Ryan: Probably Thailand. The beaches are _____.
13. Ryan: You _____ should. The food is amazing. Do you like to travel?
14. Ryan: That sounds _____.
15. Emma: The food must be _____ in Italy.
16. Emma: That would be great. Maybe we could ____ coffee again next week.
17. Ryan: Sounds like a plan. My _____. I'll text you.

Transcript

Hello, welcome to my English channel, Learn English with Camille. I'm Camille.
I'm Calvin. Today we are going to have a natural English conversation where a couple meets for the first time in a coffee shop. Watch this video first with the subtitles, and then watch it again with no subtitles.

By the way, I have an amazing book that I wrote for beginner learners. There are 30 short stories, over 400 exercises, and flashcards to study and learn English with. This is a great resource, and you can buy it on my website — learnenglishwithcamille.com — or on Amazon. There's also free audio.

Now let's get started with this conversation.
"Let's do it."

Emma: Is this seat taken?
Ryan: Oh no, go ahead.
Emma: Thanks. It's really busy in here today.
Ryan: Yeah, I guess everyone had the same idea — coffee break.
Emma: Exactly. Oh, by the way, I'm Emma.
Ryan: Nice to meet you, Emma. I'm Ryan.
Emma: Nice to meet you too. Do you come here often?
Ryan: Yeah, I come here a lot to work. It's my favorite spot.
Emma: Oh, do you work remotely?
Ryan: Yeah, I'm a freelance writer.
Emma: That's cool. What kind of things do you write?
Ryan: Mostly travel blogs and tech articles.
Emma: Wow, that sounds interesting. Do you like it?
Ryan: Yeah, I love it. I get to write from anywhere. What about you?
Emma: I'm a university student. I'm studying psychology.
Ryan: Oh wow, that's an interesting subject.
Emma: Yeah, I really enjoy learning about people and behavior.
Ryan: Do you want to be a psychologist?
Emma: Maybe, or something in counseling.

Ryan: So what do you like to do when you are not studying?

Emma: Hmm, I love hiking and photography.
Ryan: Oh nice! Do you take photos of nature?
Emma: Yeah, I love taking pictures of landscapes. What about you? What are your hobbies?
Ryan: I like playing football and watching movies.
Emma: Oh cool, what's your favorite movie?
Ryan: That's a hard question. Maybe Inception.
Emma: Oh I love that movie, it's so mind-blowing.
Ryan: Right, it's one of those movies you have to watch twice.

Emma: Since you write about travel, do you travel a lot?
Ryan: Yeah, I try to visit a new country every year.
Emma: That’s amazing. What’s your favorite place you’ve been to?
Ryan: Probably Thailand. The beaches are incredible.
Emma: I’d love to go there. I heard the food is amazing too.
Ryan: You definitely should. The food is amazing. Do you like to travel?
Emma: Yes! I haven’t traveled a lot yet, but I really want to.
Ryan: Where’s your dream destination?
Emma: Hmm, that’s a good question. My dream destination is Italy. I’d love to see Rome and Venice.
Ryan: That sounds awesome.
Emma: The food must be amazing in Italy.
Ryan: Yes, I could eat pasta and pizza every day.
Emma: Me too.

Ryan: Well, it's been really nice talking to you.
Emma: Yeah, I'm so glad we met.
Ryan: Same. Maybe we should meet up again sometime.
Emma: That would be great. Maybe we could grab coffee again next week.
Ryan: Sounds like a plan. My treat. I'll text you.
Emma: Great. I’ll see you soon.
Both: Bye!

We hope that slow conversation was helpful for you. What did you learn? Did you learn any new words? We hope so! Be sure to write them in the comments and practice your English. Don't forget to subscribe to our channel and like all of our videos.

We'll see you again soon. Bye!

See you later.