

LESSON NOTES

Everyday Kanji #87

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VOCABULARY

Kanji	Kana	Romaji	English
見舞	みまい	mimai	get-well letter/gift, expression of sympathy
お年玉	おとしだま	otoshidama	New Year's gift of money
新築	しんちく	shinchiku	new building(house)
御霊前	ごれいぜん	go-reizen	before the spirit of the deceased

SAMPLE SENTENCES

<p>病気の友だちに、お見舞いカードを書いた。</p> <p><i>Byōki no tomodachi ni o-mimai kādo o kaita.</i></p> <p>I wrote a get-well card to my friend who was sick.</p>	<p>お年玉をもらいました。</p> <p><i>Otoshidama o moraimashita.</i></p> <p>I received a gift of New Year's money.</p>
<p>私の家はまだ新築なので、高く売れます。</p> <p><i>Watashi no ie wa mada shinchiku na node, takaku uremasu.</i></p> <p>My house is newly built, so it can be sold at a high price.</p>	<p>御霊前は偶数の金額を入れなければならない。</p> <p><i>Go-reizen wa gūsū no kingaku o irenakereba naranai.</i></p> <p>The amount we put in the envelope (for the family of the deceased) has to be an even number.</p>