

# Lesson 88

## He's a heavy smoker.

**Target:** Having a conversation about smoking.

### Vocabulary

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### Smoking



### Related vocabulary

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| - smoke / to smoke... / to be smoky   | - an ash tray / ash | - lung cancer            |
| - a chain / pack a day / heavy smoker | - to deter...       | - nicotine (gum / patch) |
| - a government health warning         | - to puff           | - secondhand smoke       |
| - a pack of smokes                    | - to inhale...      | - chewing tobacco        |
| - tar                                 | - to light up       | - to kick the habit      |
| - a minor                             | - to take a drag    | - to go cold turkey      |
| - legal age                           | - to stub out...    | - a cigarette butt       |

### Conversation

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**1** Use the questions below to have a conversation with your partner about the topic

#### Partner #1: Questions

- Where do you think smoking should be allowed, and what places should be smoke free?
- What do you think of the price of tobacco products in your home country and abroad?
- How is smoking a cigarette, a pipe and a cigar different?
- How are tobacco products advertised in your country and abroad?
- Is there anywhere where it is illegal to advertise tobacco products?
- Why did you start smoking? Why do you think people start smoking?
- What is the youngest age someone should be allowed to smoke?
- Do you think the number of people in the world who smoke is increasing?
- Does smoking make you look cool? Why?
- What are some of the side effects of trying to quit smoking?

#### Partner #2: Questions

- Would you buy cigarettes if they were over 1000 yen a pack?
- What should you do with a cigarette butt after you have finished smoking?
- What do you think of the warnings on cigarette packs?
- What do you think of people smoking in movies / tv shows etc.?
- Would you ever live with / go out with someone who smokes?
- What are pros and cons of smoking?
- How has smoking changed throughout the years?
- What's worse; smoking or secondhand smoke?
- What are some alternatives to going cold turkey?
- How do you think people will smoke in the future?

**2** Complete one or more of the situations below

- Role play:** Partner #1: You are smoking while pregnant, and think it's fine.  
Partner #2: Persuade your friend to stop smoking.
- Speech:** Talk about your personal experiences and opinion of smoking.
- Speech:** Discuss the pros and cons of smoking.
- Debate:** You think smoking should be made illegal, but your partner disagrees.