



Unit 4

Writing Greeting Cards for any Occasions

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1. Types of greeting cards

- Birthday card
- Christmas greeting card
- Holiday greeting card
- Get-well card
- Season greeting card

BACKGROUND

2. Useful expressions for writing greeting cards

- Expressing wishes by using wish & may

วิธีการใช้

- ผู้อวยพร + wish + ผู้รับการอวยพร + สิ่งที่อวยพร / คำอวยพร
- ผู้อวยพร + wish + ผู้รับการอวยพร + well + in / with + สิ่งที่อวยพร / คำอวยพร

ตัวอย่างการใช้

- ⌚ I wish you every success in the future.
(ฉันขอให้คุณมีความสำเร็จในทุก ๆ เรื่องในอนาคต)
- ⌚ We wish you a Merry Christmas.
(พวกเราขอให้คุณมีความสุขในเทศกาลคริสต์มาส)
- ⌚ I wish you well with your new business.
(ขอให้คุณประสบความสำเร็จกับธุรกิจใหม่)

วิธีการใช้

- May + ผู้รับการอวยพร + สิ่งที่อวยพร / สิ่งหวังให้เกิดขึ้น
- May + ผู้รับการอวยพร + be + adjective ในลักษณะที่เป็นสิ่งให้อวยพร / สิ่งหวังให้เกิดขึ้น
- May + สิ่งใดสิ่งหนึ่ง + V1 ในลักษณะที่เป็นสิ่งให้อวยพร / สิ่งหวังให้เกิดขึ้น

ตัวอย่างการใช้

- ⌚ May you have a long marriage.
(ขอให้ครองรักกันนาน ๆ)
- ⌚ May you be happy with your new job
(ขอให้มีความสุขกับงานใหม่)
- ⌚ May your birthday bring you happiness.
(ขอให้วันเกิดของคุณนำความสุขมาให้คุณ)

● Writing birthday messages

- ▶ Happy birthday, Eric!
 - ▶ Happy birthday to you!
 - ▶ Happy birthday Happy.
 - ▶ I just want to wish you a happy birthday.
- ▶ Many happy returns, boss!
 - ▶ Many happy returns of the day to Mr. Kraiwan!
 - ▶ We would like to wish our grandpa many happy returns.



Examples of expression for writing birthday messages

- Inspirational birthday message

May this year be your best ever!



Happy Birthday to You!

- Cute birthday message

Wishing you a day filled with happiness and a year filled with joy.

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- Funny birthday message

You're older today than yesterday but younger than tomorrow. Happy Birthday!

I INVITE YOU TO
CELEBRATE MY BIRTHDAY

2TH JULY 2020

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- Writing Christmas and New Year messages

Examples of expression for writing Christmas and New Year messages

Merry Christmas & a Happy New Year!

Best Wishes for Christmas and a Happy New Year!

MERRY CHRISTMAS
& HAPPY NEW YEAR

& HAPPY NEW YEAR

Writing congratulations cards and get-well cards



Examples of expression for writing
congratulations messages

Congratulations on your achievement.

Congratulations on your retirement.

Congratulations on your exam results.



Examples of expression for writing
get-well messages

I hope you get better soon.

I wish you a speedy recovery from illness.

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Writing messages on social media

Examples of comments on social media

Good comments on a photo / post

Examples :

- ▶ Great picture! / Great pic!
- ▶ I love this look.
- ▶ You look great!
- ▶ You guys are cute!
- ▶ This looks yummy!
- ▶ Nice shirt!
- ▶ You are so beautiful!
- ▶ That's so cute!
- ▶ Thanks for sharing this article.

Replying to a compliment on your photo / post

Examples :

- ▶ Thank you.
- ▶ Thank you so much.
- ▶ Thank you for your comment.
- ▶ I'm glad you like this one/ picture.
- ▶ Glad you like this one/ picture.
- ▶ It's so nice to hear from you.
- ▶ Thank you for your lovely comment.

Examples of comments on social media

Greeting on a photo / post

Examples :

- ▶ Hello! How are you?
- ▶ Hope you have a great weekend!
- ▶ I have not seen you for a long time. How are you?
- ▶ How are things in Chiang Mai?
- ▶ Hope you are well.
- ▶ Hope you and your family are well.
- ▶ Hope you are doing well.
- ▶ Hope to see you soon.
- ▶ Have a safe flight to Singapore!
- ▶ Good wishes for you and your family.
- ▶ Well wishes for you and your family.

Replying to a greeting on your photo / post

Examples :

- ▶ I'm very well. Thank you, Jane.
- ▶ Thank you. I will.
- ▶ Send my regards to your family.
- ▶ Give my regards to your parents.
- ▶ Good wishes for you and your family, too.
- ▶ Well wishes for you and your family, too.
- ▶ Take care!
- ▶ Please say hi to your parents for me.
- ▶ Please say hello to Jane for me.

Examples of comments on social media

Wishing someone well

Examples :

- ▶ Happy birthday, Daniel.
- ▶ Happy your 21st birthday!
- ▶ Hope you feel better soon.
- ▶ We wish you every success in the future.
- ▶ I wished you well with your new job.
- ▶ I wish you a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year!
- ▶ I wish you health, wealth and happiness.
- ▶ I wish you days filled with love and laughter!
- ▶ Get well soon!
- ▶ Get better soon!



Replying to your well-wishers

Examples :

- ▶ Thank you everyone for the lovely birthday wishes.
- ▶ Thank you for wishing me well.
- ▶ Thank you for your good wishes
- ▶ Thank you for the well-wishes.

