



Spoken English



SITUATIONAL ENGLISH

LESSON – 4

**(Sentences Needed At Bus Stand /
Railway Station)**

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1. Excuse me, could you tell me the way to the ticket counter/retiring room?
2. Where is the ticket counter?
3. I need to leave now or I will miss the train.
4. I would like to take leave of you or I will be late.
5. From where/which terminal can I get a bus to Agra?
6. At which platform will the Rajdhani come?
7. Where is the ladies waiting room?
8. At what time does the Shatabdi express arrive/depart?

The way to	—	रास्ता
Arrive	—	आना
Depart	—	जाना



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9. Please give me four tickets to Patna.
10. I need four lower berths to Patna.
11. Could you tell me the arrival/ departure time of Rajdhani Express?
12. Which is my Berth?
13. What is the number of this coach?
14. Is it A1 or A2?
15. I am sorry to bother you again. Could you help me adjust my luggage under your seat?
16. Where is pantry?

Bother	—	परेशान करना
Pantry	—	छोटी रसोई



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17. I cannot climb up. Would you mind exchanging the seats?
18. I am afraid, I have boarded the wrong bus.
19. Would you mind sleeping on my berth? I want to be in this compartment as my mother is here and she is unwell.
20. Sir, I have lost my luggage. I want to lodge a complaint.
21. The seats/blankets are dirty. Please clear the seats and change the blankets.
22. I need another set of blankets as this set is dirty and stinking.
23. Sir, this is my seat. Kindly vacate it.
24. Could you take care of my luggage for a few minutes? I need to go to the washroom/I need to meet the ticket checker.

Board	— सवार होना,	Lodge	— दर्ज करना,	Complaint	— शिकायत
Blanket	— चादर,	Stink	— बदबू देना,	Vacate	— खाली करना



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25. Could I use your charger? I forgot to bring mine.
26. I am afraid, someone has stolen my luggage.
27. Hurry up! the train is about to leave.
28. I want to change my seat. Could you help me get a vacant seat?
29. Do not stand at the gate. You may fall down/you may meet with an accident.
30. How much does a ticket cost?
31. Sir don't pull the chain else the Railway will penalize you.
32. Yuck! How dirty the toilet is. Are you providing this poor facility for this exorbitant fare?

Steal	—	चुराना	About to leave	—	प्रस्थान करने वाली है।
Penalize	—	दण्ड देना	Exorbitant	—	बहुत ज्यादा
Stranger	—	अजनबी	Dangerous	—	खतरनाक
Yuck!	—	छी:			

33. Could you let me sit near the window as I feel like vomiting during the journey?
34. I have two RC tickets. We need to adjust.
35. Do not eat anything given by any stranger. It may be dangerous.
36. Where have you reached?
37. Is the train late?
38. The train is late by two hours.
39. It will reach Varanasi at 11 pm. The train is late by two hours.
40. The train is running late.
41. The train will reach before time.

Last year, in November, I planned to go to my hometown Patna on Chhat. It is a festival of immense faith in Bihar. I tried to book a tier III reservation but there was no seat available in any train. There were a few special trains too especially for Chhat but none of them had a vacant seat available. I was dejected and sad but I had to go no matter how. A day before 'Khadna' I went to the station. I went to the TTE and tried to talk to him. The station was so crowded that there was no room to stand. I located the TTE with great difficulty. He was surrounded by hundreds of passengers begging him for help. Naturally such earnest requests will make anyone proud of himself. So he kept ignoring all. He was just entertaining a few requests. I had no ticket and the time of departure of the train arrived. I had my bag in my hand and the train before me.

Immense – बहुत अधिक
Dejected – निराश
Room – स्थान

Faith – आस्था
No Matter – चाहे
Earnest – तीव्र

Especially – खासकर
How – कैसे भी
Ignoring – नजरअंदाज करना

I kept thinking for a few minutes and then the train wistled. It slowly crawled and my heart sank. Without giving a second thought, I jumped on to the bogie that I could hold on and lo! I was in the train. I felt a light pain on my neck while boarding the train and to my horror my nightmare seemed turn true. Someone had snatched away my gold chain while I was boarding the train. I was extremely sad and heartbroken. It was an expensive gift from my father. I felt like crying. I couldn't control my tears. It is really painful to lose such an expensive thing in such a manner. The train was late by several hours and I reached home tired and dejected. This was the most painful journey of my life.

Crawled – रेंगना

Seemed – दिखा

Heartbroken – दिल टूट गया

Heart sank – दिल बैठ गया

Horror – डर

Expensive – महंगा

Nightmare – दुस्पन

Snatched – छिन