

[2월-1 실전대화] 직장에 적응 못하는 친구

A: Hey, you seem a bit off today. Everything alright at work?

seem a bit off 좀 안 좋아 보인다

B: You know, I didn't mean to bring it up, but lately, things have been a bit challenging in my new sales role.

2.4 I didn't mean to-V ~하려는 의도는 아니었어.

A: Sales can be a demanding field, especially when you're just starting.

B: It's clear to me that it's more challenging than I initially thought. **I mean,** the constant rejection is really getting to me.

2.6 It's clear to me (that) ~ ~라는 건 분명해.

2.3 I mean, ~ 내 말은, ~

get to somebody ~를 괴롭히다

A: I see your point, but you know, it's important to stay positive and learn from these experiences. Every "no" brings you closer to a "yes."

2.1 I see your point, but ~ 네 뜻은 알겠지만, ~

Every "no" brings you closer to a "yes." (영업맨들끼리 토닥거리며 서로 자주 쓰는 패턴)

B: I'd love to, but maintaining that positivity is not as easy as it sounds. It's not easy to find motivation when you feel like you're hitting a wall!

2.5 I'd love to, but ~ 나도 그러고 싶지만, ~

be not as easy as it sounds ~은 말처럼 쉽지 않다

motivation 일반적인 동기부여, the motivation 특정한 동기부여

2.9 It's not easy to find ~ ~을 찾기가 쉽지 않아.

hit a wall 난간에 부딪히다, 한계에 부딪히다

A: Why are you shouting at me? Well, if I were in your shoes, I would try to focus on building genuine relationships with potential clients rather than just making a sale. It might take time, but it pays off in the long run.

2.10 If I were in your shoes, I would V 내가 너라면, ~할 거야.

pay off 빚을 갚다, 성공하다, 성과를 올리다(비즈니스 상황에서 특히 많이 쓰임)

in the long run 장기적으로 보면

B: You look like someone who's good at connecting with people.

2.12 You look like ~ 년 ~인 것처럼 보여.

8.19 be good at ~ing ~하는 데 능숙하다

connect with someone ~와 친해지다

A: It's hard for everyone at first. But I'll let you know, persistence pays off. You're gaining valuable experience with every interaction.

2.13 I'll let you know ~ ~을 알려 줄게

B: So why are you making things so complicated with your words? It feels like my brain is running a marathon every time we talk! Anyhow, I appreciate your encouragement.

1.23 feel like + N ~처럼 느껴져 cf. 1.24 feel like + ing ~하고 싶어

A: Fine, I'll stop. Seems like talking more just makes it more complicated. (leave the place)

2.25 It seems like ~ ~인 것 같아.

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