



Korean Ladder Study Note

사진 보냈어요 / 이거 보세요

Sharing Photos in Beginner Chat

Level	Topic	Focus
A1 · Beginner TOPIK 1	Colloquial Texting	사진 보냈어요 / 이거 보세요 Sharing Photos in Beginner Chat

Study Links

Open this lesson on Korean Ladder

<https://www.koreanladder.com/lesson.html?id=KOR-A1-COLLOQ-TXT-005>

Watch the full video on YouTube

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=LJZ2DMreqbl>

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Core Idea

I just sent a café photo in KakaoTalk. Can I write 사진 보내요 to mean I sent the photo?

이미 보냈으면 사진 보냈어요라고 해요. If you've already sent it, say 사진 보냈어요. That past-tense change matters.

오늘은 사진을 보내고, 설명하고, 반응해 볼 거예요. Today we'll send a photo, add a caption, and react. Our messages will be short but polite.

카페 사진이에요. It's a café photo. A simple caption tells the other person what they're looking at.

Conversation Snapshot

Speaker	Korean	Meaning
Hana	사진 보냈어요. 이거 보세요. —	I sent the photo. Look at this.
Junho	와, 예뻐요. 어디예요? —	Wow, it's pretty. Where is it?



Speaker	Korean	Meaning
Hana	집 근처 카페예요. —	It's a café near my home.
Junho	분위기 좋아요. —	It has a nice atmosphere.

Vocabulary & Useful Expressions

Word	Meaning	Example
사진 + 보냈어요 —	photo + sent	So 사진 is the photo, and 보냈어요 tells me the sending already happened?
보내요 → 보냈어요 —	send → sent	맞아요. 보내요는 현재형이고, 보냈어요는 과거형이에요. Right. 보내요 is the present form. 보냈어요 is the past form. Use the past form for an already-sent photo.
이거 igeo	this	이거는 this라는 뜻이에요. 이거 means this. In our chat, it points to the picture you've just shared.



Grammar / Structure Notes

사진 보냈어요.

사진 보냈어요. — I sent the photo.

Use this after sending.

사진 보냈어요. → 이거 보세요. → 예뻐요.

사진 보냈어요. → 이거 보세요. → 예뻐요. — I sent the photo. → Look at this. → It's pretty.

A polite photo-chat toolkit.

사진 보냈어요.

사진 + 보냈 + 어요. — I sent the photo.

사진 보냈어요. I sent the photo. This is a natural message right after you send it.

이거 보세요.

이거 + 보 + 세요. — Look at this.

이거 보세요. Look at this. Use it to draw attention to the picture you shared.

카페 사진이에요.

카페 사진이에요. — It's a café photo.

카페 사진이에요. It's a café photo. A simple caption tells the other person what they're looking at.

Pronunciation Loop

Phrase	How to practice
사진 보냈어요.	sajin bonaesseoyo.
이거 보세요.	igeo boseyo.

Self-Check

- 1 Say 사진 보냈어요 / 이거 보세요 three times: slow, natural, then inside a short sentence.
- 2 Write one original sentence that was not in the video.
- 3 Rewatch the YouTube lesson and pause when the same pattern appears.

Related / Subsequent Studies



Lesson	Why study it next	Link
ㅋ / ㅎ / ㅋㅋ Your First Korean Chat Reactions	A1 Colloquial: compare ㅋ / ㅎ / ㅋㅋ with this lesson so the boundary becomes clearer.	Open lesson https://www.koreanladder.com/lesson.html?id=KOR-A1-COLLOQ-TXT-001
넵 / 아뇨 / 확인했습니다 Polite Mini-Replies for Beginner Chat	A1 Colloquial: compare 넵 / 아뇨 / 확인했습니다 with this lesson so the boundary becomes clearer.	Open lesson https://www.koreanladder.com/lesson.html?id=KOR-A1-COLLOQ-TXT-004
잠깐만요 Buying Time in Beginner Korean Chat	A1 Colloquial: compare 잠깐만요 with this lesson so the boundary becomes clearer.	Open lesson https://www.koreanladder.com/lesson.html?id=KOR-A1-COLLOQ-TXT-003
첫 카톡 어떻게 보내요 Opening a Chat Thread Naturally	A1 Colloquial: compare 첫 카톡 어떻게 보내요 with this lesson so the boundary becomes clearer.	Open lesson https://www.koreanladder.com/lesson.html?id=KOR-A1-COLLOQ-TXT-002

My Notes

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