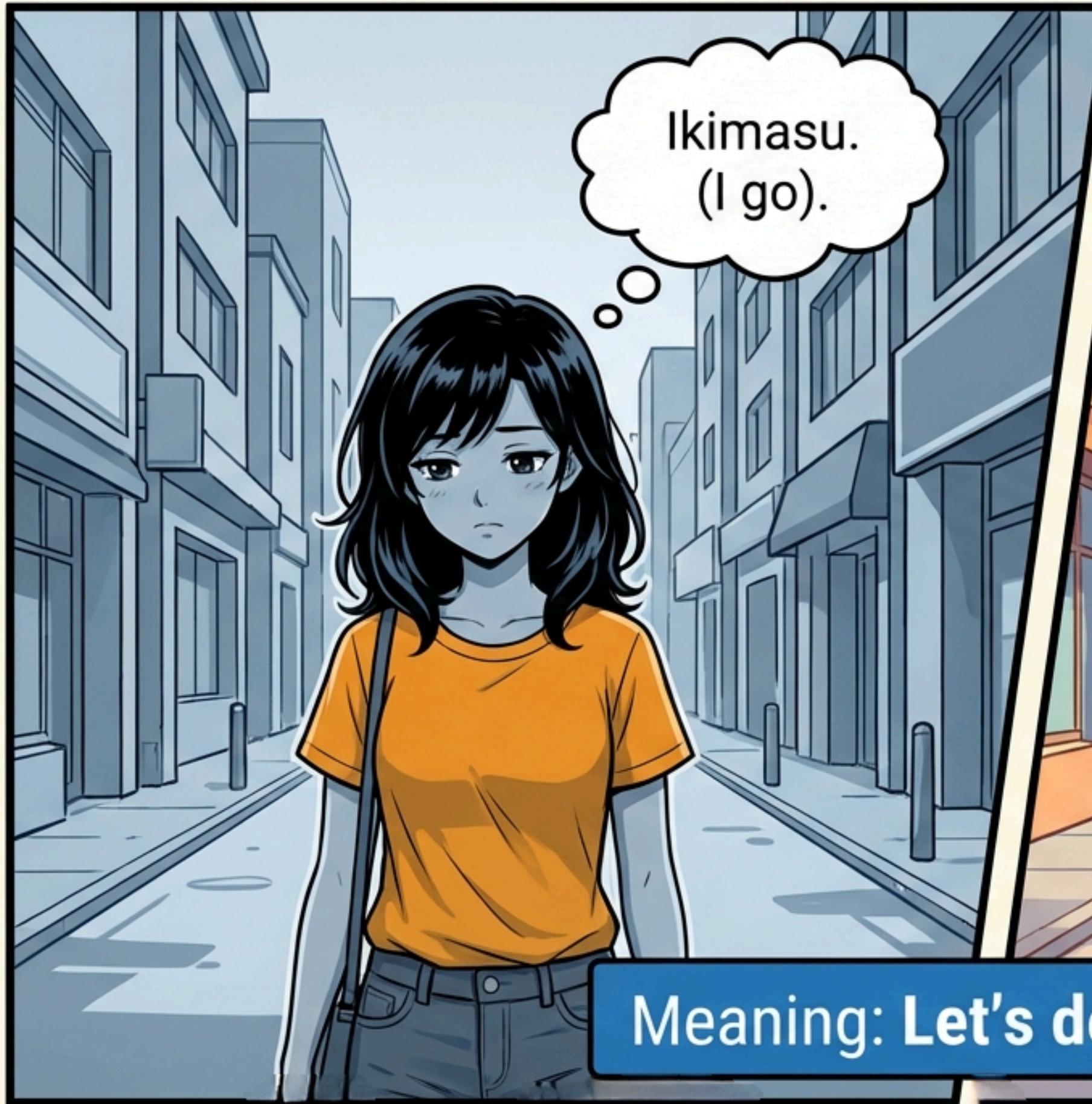




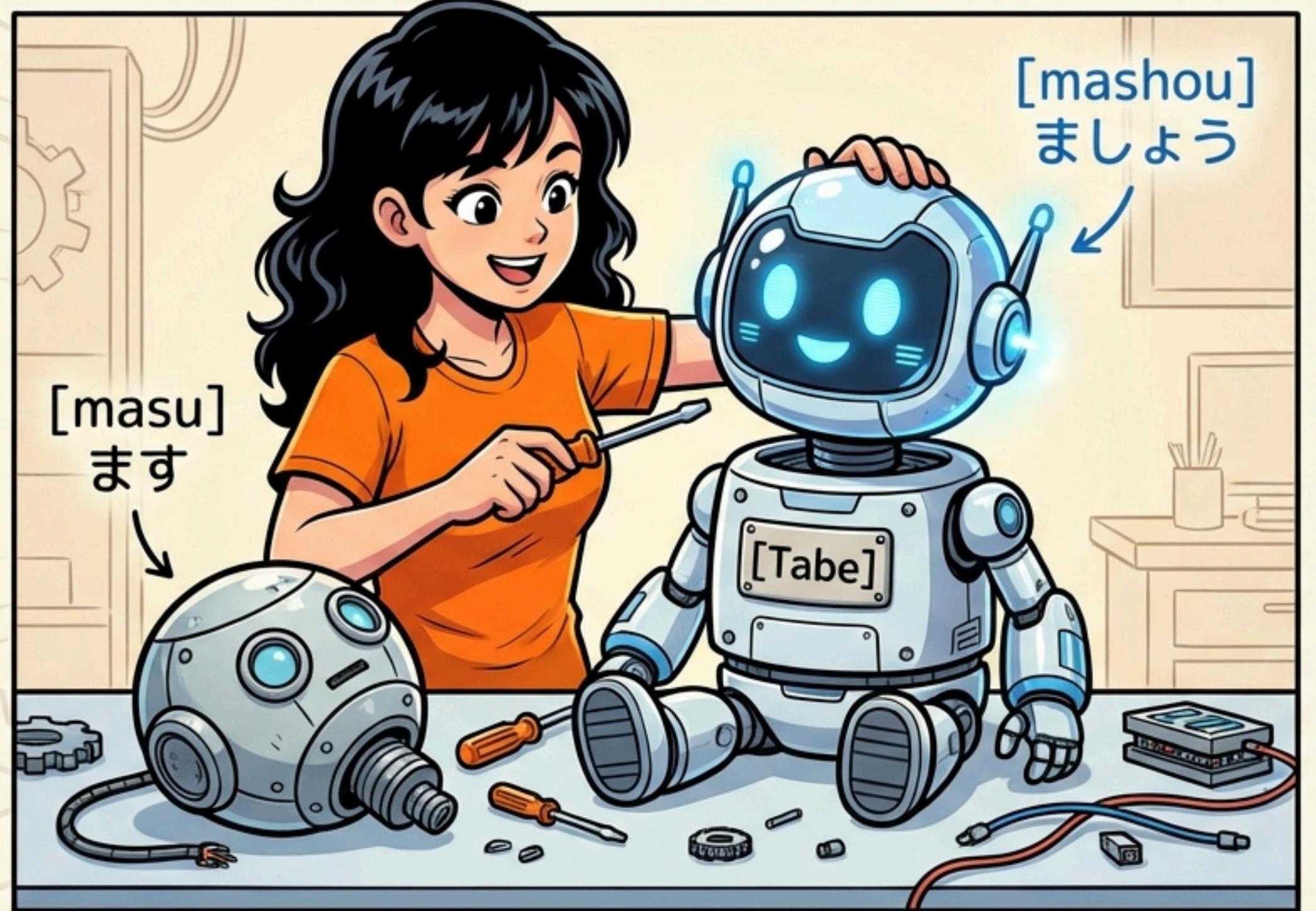
The Friendly Invitation (楽しいお誘い)



Meaning: Let's do it Together!

'Masu' is a statement about yourself. 'Mashou' involves the listener. It's an energetic invitation!

The 'Masu' Swap



Iki-masu → Iki-mashou
(Let's go)

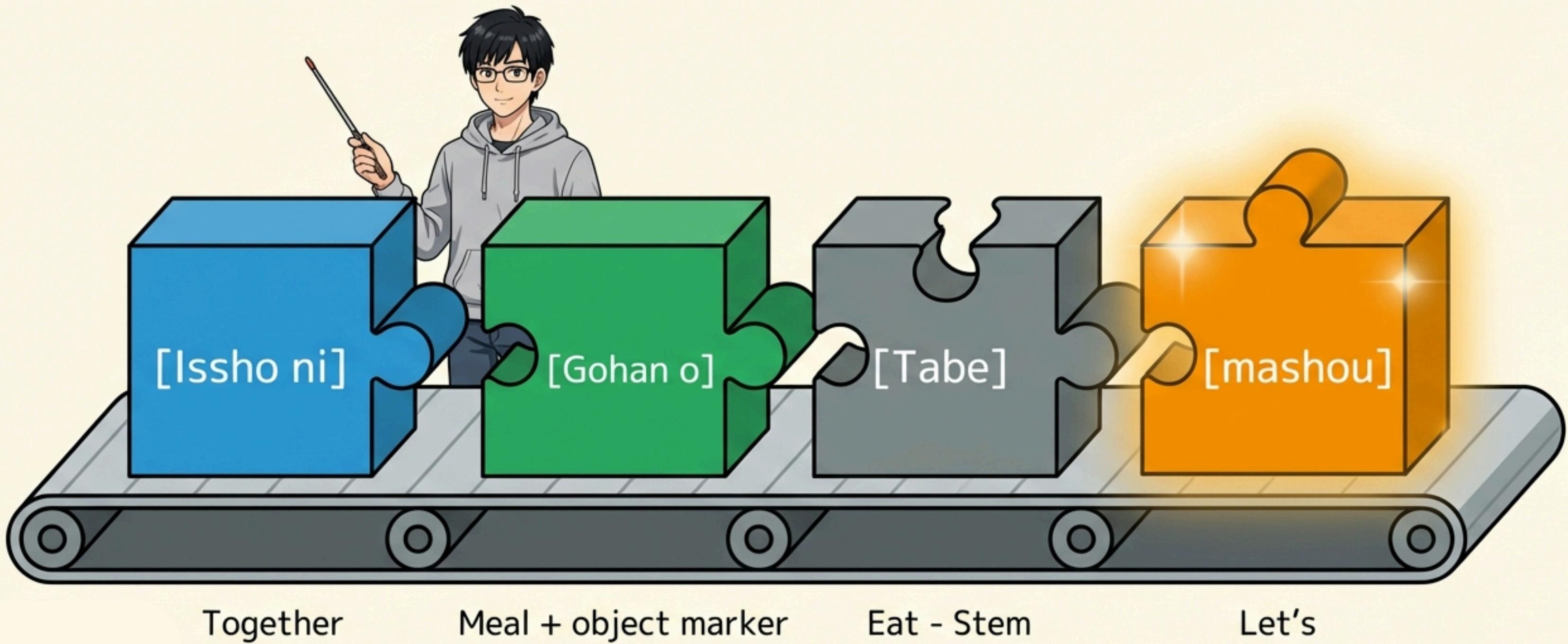
Nomi-masu → Nomi-mashou
(Let's drink)

Benkyou shi-masu
→ Benkyou shi-mashou
(Let's study)

Easy! Cut 'Masu',
Add 'Mashou'.

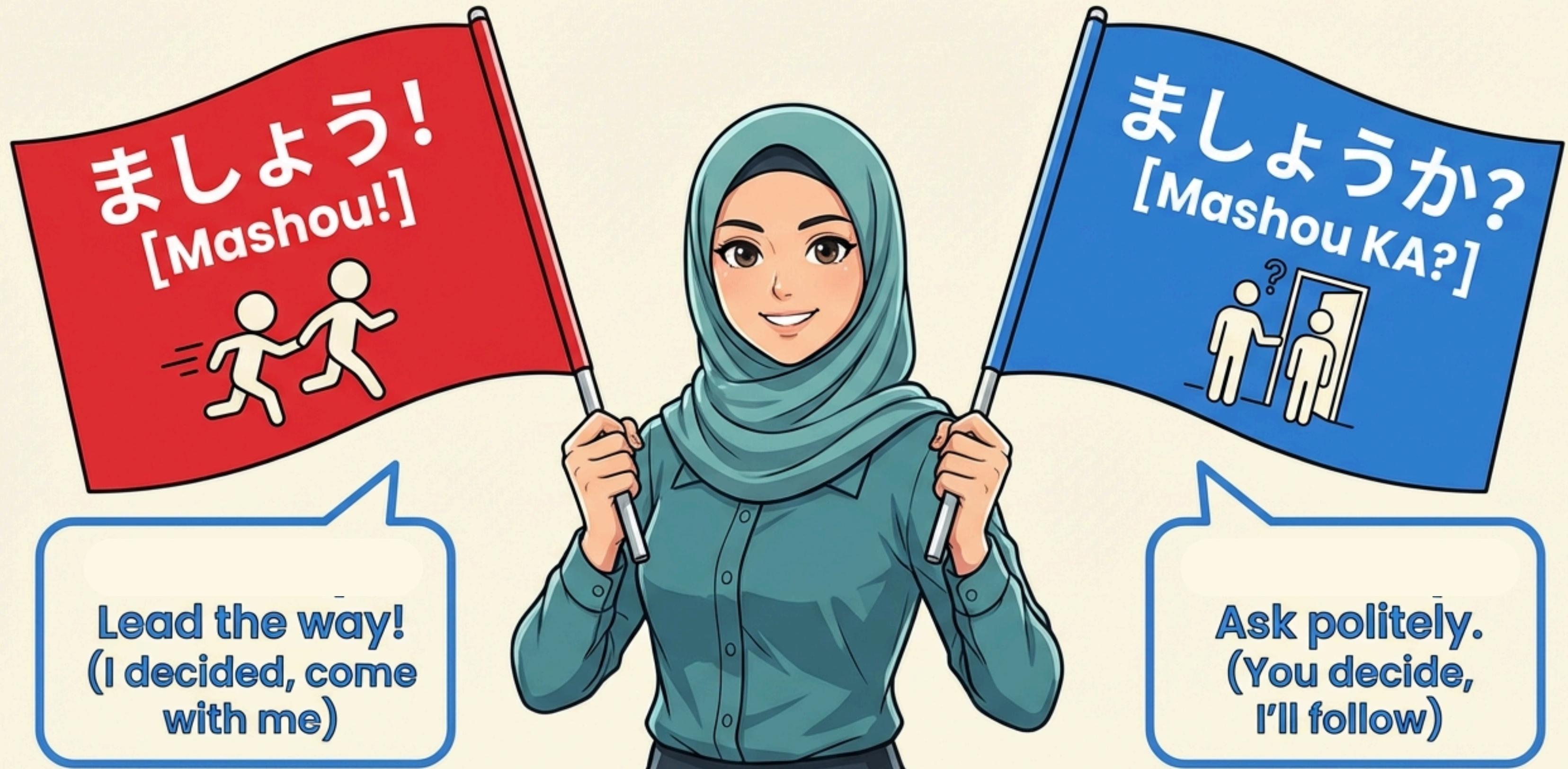


Building the Invitation Sentence

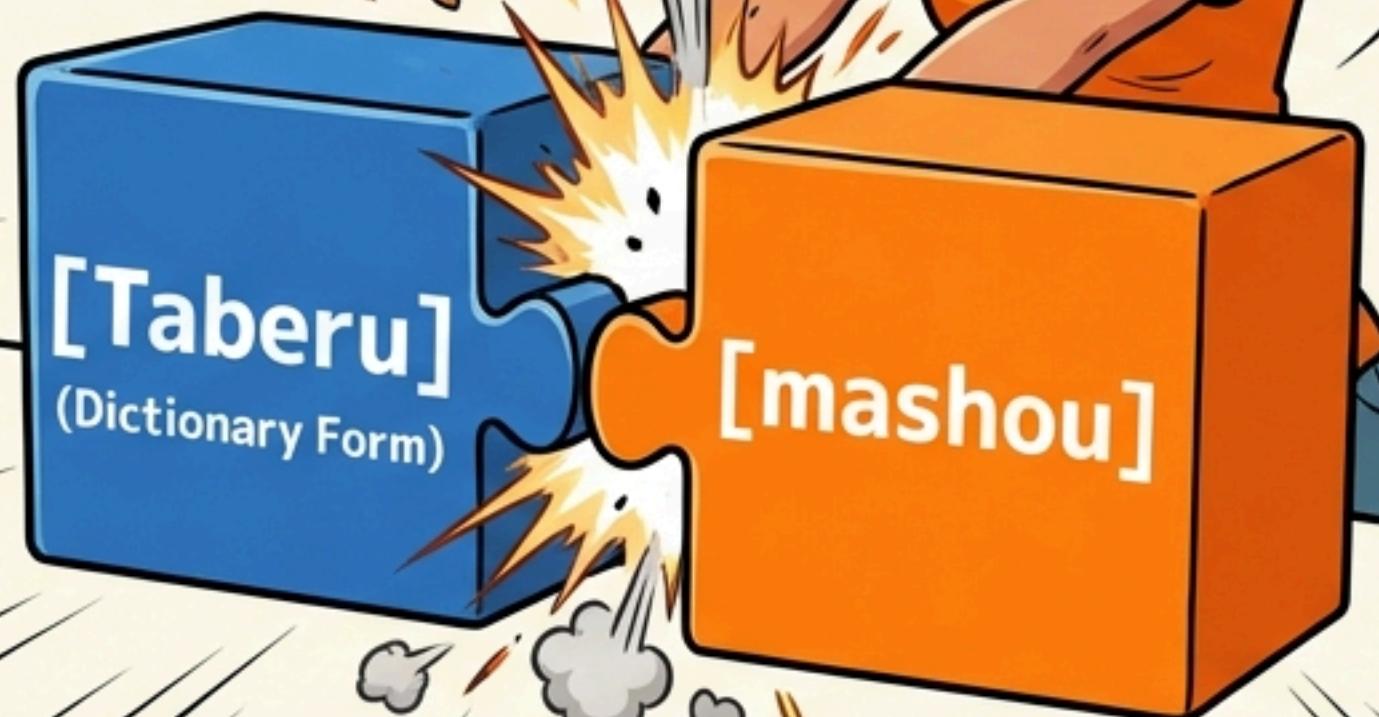


一緒に ご飯を 食べましょう。 (Let's eat together.)

Raya's Hack: Leading vs. Asking



**Taberu
mashou!**



**Don't do
this! **



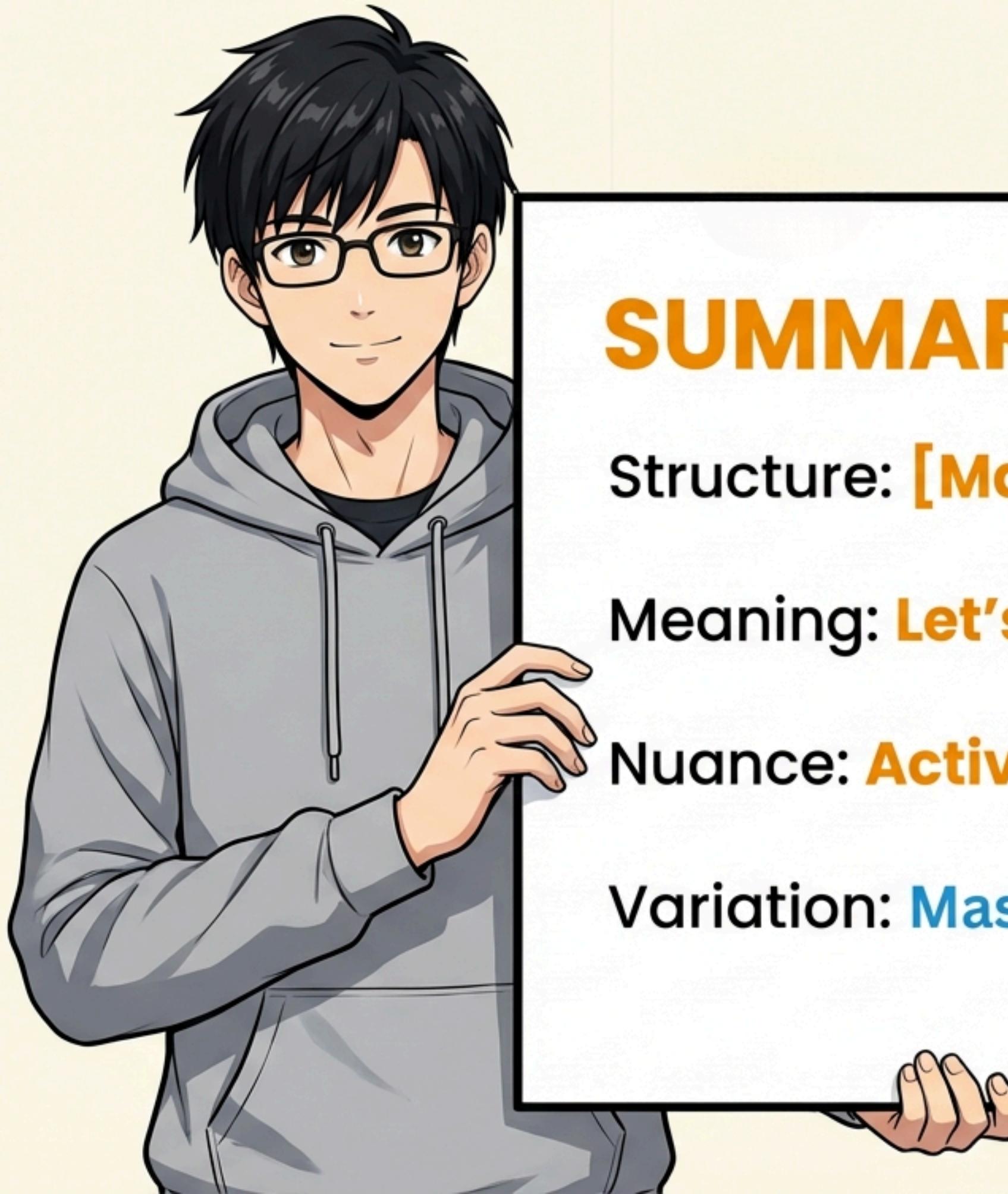
**Poppins
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Taberu mashou (Dictionary Form Error)



Tabe mashou (Stem Form Correct)



SUMMARY: Polite Volitional

Structure: **[Masu-stem] + mashou**

Meaning: **Let's** (do something).

Nuance: **Active invitation** (Leadership).

Variation: **Mashou ka?** (Shall we? - Polite Offer)