



Conversation

Do you want to see one?

## Pronunciation

**Pronounce these words in pairs:**

through-throw, blew-blow, new-no, flew-flow, due-doe

*Who knew you blew through Kalamazoo?*

## Reading

Hiro continues his conversation with the exhibitor next to him.

Hiro : Do you want to see one?

Exhibitor: Yes, I do.

Hiro : Here it is, the Yamamoto 123. Weighs about 6 pounds. Average notebook size. Two megabits of memory expandable to ten. the built-in modem is standard, not option.

Exhibitor: Looks very nice.

Hiro : High-resolution, full-color screen. IBM compatible.

Exhibitor: Just one more question. How much is it?

Hiro : Around four thousand dollars retail.

## Vocabulary

1. expandable-(adj) - to make greater in size, bulk, scope, etc.; enlarge; dilate; extend
2. built-in-(adj) - made as part of the structure; not detachable
3. compatible-(adj) - a. 1. that can work well together, get along well together, combine well, etc. a compatible couple, compatible colours