

Word of the Day – **Sabbatical**

Transcript

Hi everyone, this is Paul. Today's word of the day is **sabbatical**. **Sabbatical** is mainly used as a noun. It is formal but it's also neutral. The definition of **sabbatical** is any extended period of leave from one's customary work to acquire new skills or training. So what does this mean? So this means if you want to take a break or if you want to go on vacation, a long vacation, from your work in order to learn a new language or get additional training for your career. Usually big companies will let you do that. So if you're a senior company employee or a professional like a doctor or lawyer this is a very common case. For example, you can use it like this,

"After twenty years working at my law firm, I'm going to take a sabbatical for eight months. I'm planning to go to Canada to finally learn English and study international law."

So remember when you use **sabbatical**, you "go" on **sabbatical** or you "take" a **sabbatical**. If you need more information or you'd like the full transcript you can go to Practicus.co.kr. Thank you very much and take care.