## 관계에 관한 전치사(~에 관해서) about, of, on

(고등영문법, 정호영 저, p.563)

about: 상세한 사정에 관하여 말할 때 쓰인다.

of: 단순이 생각난 것, 존재,있었던 일을 언급할 때,쓰이고, 문어적 이다.

on: 문어적이며, 연설, 논문, 연구, 저서 등의 주제에 대하여 언급할 때 쓰인다.

He spoke about democracy. 민주주의에 관하여 이야기 했다.

He spoke of democracy. 민주주의를 들먹였다.

He spoke on (the subject of) democracy. 민주주의 대한 연설을 해다.

think (타동사) + that절/명사구/명사: ~라고 여기다, ~라고 생각하다 I think (that) Mary likes him. ⇒ Do you think (that) Mary likes him? ⇒ What do you think? (What is your opinion?) ⇒ What do you think about their relationship?

think (자동사) + 전치사 + 명사: 생각하다, 사색하다, 궁리하다, 생각해 내다 think of someone/something as something:

Nobody seriously thought of him as a candidate for the job.

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## 1. think sth about/of sth/sb: (think: transitive verb)

to have a particular opinion of something or someone

to consider somebody/something when you are doing or planning something

What do you think of the new manager?

What do you think of his offer?

## 2. think about/of sth/sb: (think: intransitive verb)

It still upsets him when he thinks about the accident.

I was just thinking about you when you called.

I'm thinking of good food when I talk about France.

I thought of you immediately when they said they wanted someone who could speak English.