Unit one

Hello

Language in use

1. Greeting (kinds of greeting)

- Hello
- *Hi* (with close friends)
- How are you?
- How do you do?(formal)
- Good morning
- Good afternoon
- Good evening

Examples

1.

A Good morning!

B Good morning! What a lovely day!

2.

Pablo Hello. I'm Pablo. What's your name?
Mika My name's Mika.
Pablo Hello, Mika.

3.

A Hi, Eda. How are you?

B Fine, thanks, David. And you?

A Very well, thanks.

2. What's your name?

Are/am/is/ (auxiliary verbs)

My/your (possessive pronouns)

Example

- A Hello. My name's Ana. What's your name?
- B My name's Mario.

3. Introductions

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This is ..... (to introduce others)
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Nice to meet you (to express pleasure for meeting new persons)

My name is.... (to introduce yourself)

Examples

1.

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Pablo Ben, this is Mika.
Mika, this is Ben.
Mika Hello, Ben.
Ben Hello, Mika.
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2.

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Judy Hello. My name's Judy Koblenz.

Robert Hello. I'm Robert Smith.

Nice to meet you.

Judy And you.
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3.

- A Max, this is Carla.
- B Hi, Carla.
- C Hello, Max. Nice to meet you.

4. Openings and closings

1. Openings include types of greeting and expression like "excuse me" such expressions are used to start conversation.

Example

- A Good morning!
- B Good morning! What a lovely day!
- 2. Closings include expression like goodbye, goodnight.

Examples

- A Goodbye! Have a nice day!
- B Thank you. And you. See you later.
- A Good night! Sleep well.
- B Thank you. And you.

5. Numbers and plurals

1. Numbers

One (with singular nouns)

Example

I bought **one** book.

Two and more (with plural nouns)

Example

She bought **two** books.

2. Plurals

There are two types of plurals **regular** and **irregular**.

Regular plural is formed by adding 's' plural to the noun like

Book + s = books

Student + s = students

If the word end with 's' like *bus* it is pluralized as *buses* by adding 'e' between the two 's'.

Irregular plural is not formed by adding 's' to the noun, but it either includes modification or adding new sounds like

Child = children

Ox = oxen

Mouse = mice

Foot = feet

6. Grammar

1. Abbreviation

I'm = I am name's = name is What's = What is

2. Questions (with question words like *how*, *what*)

What's your name? (what's = what is) How are you?

3. Are/ am/is

I	'm am	Ben.
You	re are	Mika.
My name	's is	James Bond.
This	is	Judy Koblenz.