Lesson 1 Greetings

Dialogue 1: Exchanging Greetings

Grammar

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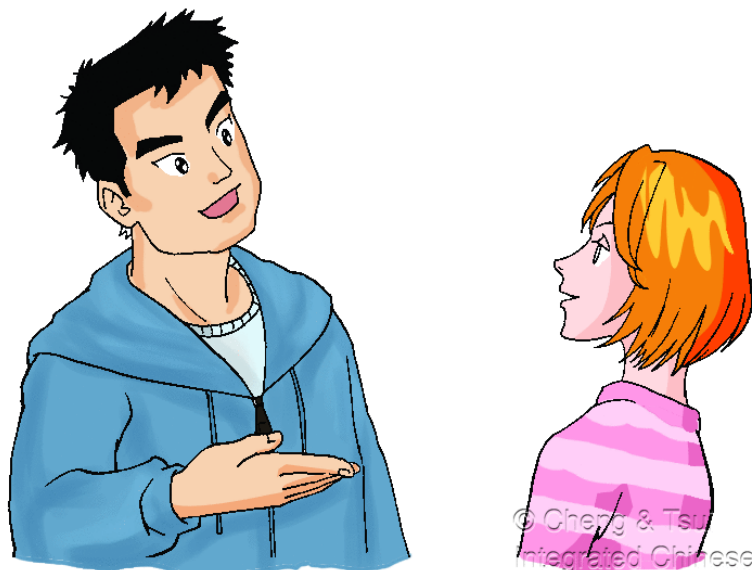
What are we going to learn in this period?

- Brief introduction to Chinese grammar
- Basic Chinese sentence order/structure
- Xìng姓；Jiào叫；ne呢

Chinese Grammar

- No verb conjugations
- No tenses
- No genders
- No cases
- No change in singular/plural nouns

Word Order

What is the basic word order in English Sentences?

I	like	her
My name	**is**	**Lily**

What is the basic word order in Chinese sentences?

Subject + Verb + Object

她Tā	叫 jiào	李友 lǐ yǒu
她 Tā	姓 xìng	李 lǐ
我 Wǒ	问 wèn	你 nǐ

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Xìng 姓

- Xìng姓 is both <u>a noun </u>and a <u>transitive verb</u>.
- When it is used as a verb, it must be followed by an object.

<u>Examples:</u>

My family name is Hu.

Wǒ xìng Hú.我姓胡。

Nǐ ne? 你呢？

Lǐ ān

lín shū háo

yáo míng

ào bā mǎ

Jiào 叫

In this lesson, Jiào 叫 means "to be called"

Sb. + Jiào 叫 + [Full name] OR [Given name]

Example:
Wǒ jiào Lǐ Yīguì. Nǐ ne? 我叫李一贵。你呢？

Practice: Can you introduce the following people, including their <u>family names</u> and <u>names.</u>

yáo míng   lǐ ān

Ask One's Name!

- **Ask one's family name**

Nǐ xìng shénme? 你姓什么?
Nǐ guì xìng? 你贵姓？

- **Ask one's name**

Nǐ jiào shénme míngzì?
你叫什么名字?

Questions ending with 呢 (ne)

- 呢（ne）often follows a noun or pronounce to form a question when the content of the question is already clear from the content.

- The English translation can be "how about you?"

Qǐngwèn, nǐ guì xìng?

请问，你贵姓？

Wǒ xìng lǐ. Nǐ ne?

我姓李。你呢？

Qǐngwèn, nǐ jiào shén me míngzì?

请问，你叫什么名字？

Wǒ jiào lǐ yī guì. Nǐ ne?

我叫李一贵。你呢？

Practice

- Ask your classmate's name and his/her family members' names.

Try to use 呢 (ne)

bàba
爸爸

Māma
妈妈

Activity One

- ## Instruction:

- Both of you have a name sheet of the Feb. Group team.

- However, the name information on your sheet is not completed. So you need to ask your classmate to complete the name information.

- At last, each of you will introduce 3 members (including the family names and names) of the team to the class.
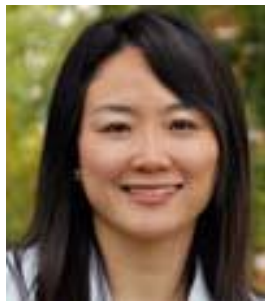
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Supervisor

Coordinator
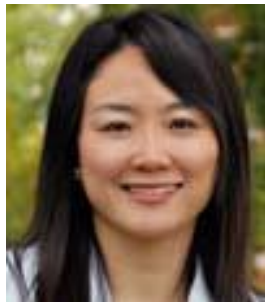
Prog Asst

Teaching Team

Introducing Our Team

Supervisor: ___, Mary

Coordinator: Wú, ___

Prog Asst: ___, Kari

Ins: Xú, ___

Ins: ___, Xīyí

Ins: Hú, ___

Ins: ___, Dàkě

Introducing Our Team

Supervisor: Kim, ____

Coordinator: ____, Fú'nà

Prog Asst: Deuth, ____

Ins: ____, Sūlì
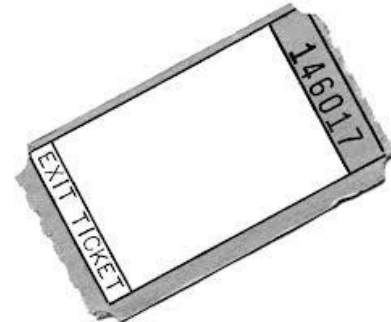
Ins: Wǔ, ____

Ins: ____, Máyī

Ins: Lǐ, ____

Exit Ticket

Can you complete the following tasks？

- Greet people

- Introduce your name

- Ask a lady's family name

- Ask a lady's name

- Ask a guy's family

- Ask a guy's name

- Ask "how about you?"

Please construct sentences on Notebook

Shénme
什么

Nǐ
你

Jiào
叫

míngzì
名字

xìng
姓

xiǎojie
小姐

Guì
贵

hǎo
好

xiānsheng
先生

qǐng wèn
请问