Suggested Lesson Plan- unit 1- Hello!

This lesson should take about 3 or 4 academic hours to teach and practice. One academic hour is 40 minutes. However, if you have a class of very smart kids, this should take less time.

**Goal:** To get the kids to say simple greetings – *Hello, Hi and Goodbye*

**Vocabulary:** Hello, Goodbye, Hi and Names – Tommy, Siki, Mommy, Daddy

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**Presentation Stage**

**Powerpoint:** You could use the first academic hour to teach the phrases *hello, hi, goodbye* using the powerpoint presentation or the video slide. Teach them the *“Hello, mommy”* song or rhyme at the end of the presentation. If you don’t have computers or projectors in the classrooms, then print the powerpoint cards and use them instead.

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**Practice Stage**

**Puppet show:** Use puppets and do a little dialogue with the phrases.

**Mouthing words game:** Mouth words without a sound and get the kids to guess what you are saying. A right guess may earn them a sticker.

**Flashcard Game:** Cut out the small-sized flashcards and bring to class. Get the kids to sit in a circle. This is usually possible when you have a small group. First teach them the words on the cards using a show- tell- repeat approach. Then put the cards on the floor or table and when you say a word, the kids touch the card. For example: *Hello mommy* Kids touch the *hello* card. Give praise for each correct move. Use the big-sized cards for larger groups or play the fly-swatting game with them: [http://www.english-4kids.com/gamespkg3.html](http://www.english-4kids.com/gamespkg3.html)

**Writing Worksheets:** Hand out one worksheet at the end of each lesson in the order *worksheet 1, 2, 3.* Let the kids trace or write the words learnt.

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**Production/Output stage**

**Short Dialogue Role Play:** Repeat the puppet show with the key phrases as if the puppets were actually talking to each other. Have kids come and take turns doing the puppet show.