# **UNIT 01**

# **HELLO**

#### Role Play

It is the first day of the new class. The friends meet each other.

**Sudeva**: Hello, Yoga good morning!

**Yoga**: Hello, Sudeva good morning! Is this grade 6A?

**Sudeva**: Yes, this is grade 6A.

**Yoga**: Great! That means I am in your class.

**Sudeva**: Welcome to our class!

Yoga: Thank you! Are Vismi and Arkil here?

**Sudeva**: Vismi is here but Arkil is not. He is in grade 6B. Raj is

also in our class.

**Yoga**: Oh, we will miss him. Where are the others?

**Sudeva**: They are arranging the class.

Yoga : Shall we go in?

**Sudeva**: Yes. Let's help them.

### Activity 1

Read the role play and answer.

- 1. What is their new class?
- 2. Who are the friends in grade 6A?
- 3. Which friend is not in grade 6A?
- 4. What are Vismi and Raj doing?
- 5. Write down a list of things you would do on your first day in a new class.

There are some new students in Grade 6A class. They introduce themselves.

Hello, I am Isuru. I am from Puttalam. Hello, I am Siththi. I am from Mullai Nagar. Hello I am Abdul. I am from Noor Nagar.







• Introduce yourself to the friend next to you.

Let's play a game =

Activity 2

Now listen to your teacher and play the game.





#### Read aloud

Here are some short essays on "Myself".

y name is Viruli. I live in Panadura. I am 10 years old. My school is Mahamaya Girls' College. I am in grade 6. My hobby is gardening. I have a brother and two sisters. My mother's name is Ruwini and my father's name is Rasika. I like pink most. I have a pet dog. My favourite subject is Science. I want to be a scientist one day.

Y name is Upendran Subramaniam and I am 10 years old. I am from Jaffna. I am a grade 6 student of Jaffna College. My father is Rakesh and my mother is Parvathi. They are teachers. I have two sisters. My favourite food is iddli. I like playing chess. Orange is my favourite colour. My favourite subject is Mathematics. My ambition is to be an engineer one day.

Iam Manuka Basuru Herath. I am 11 years old. I am studying in grade 7 at Vijayaba Vidyalaya. My family is small. I have two sisters. My mother is Kumari Herath and my father is Sampath Herath. I have a pet dog too. My hobbies are reading and writing poems. My favourite subjects are Sinhala and Science. I like to eat red rice with jak curry. My ambition is to be a writer.

My name is Fathima Rifka. I am 10 years old. My school is Muslim Ladies' College. I am in grade 6. My father is a businessman. He is Raslan. My mother is a teacher. She is Nihla. I have three sisters. My favourite food is biriyani. Green is my favourite colour. My hobby is playing badminton. I want to be a teacher one day.

## Activity 3

Now fill in the grid using the above descriptions. Write about yourself in the first column.

Name	 Viruli	Upendran	Manuka	Rifka
Age				
School				
Class				
Hobby				
Village/ Town				
Pet				
Favourite colour				
Favourite food				
Favourite subject				
Ambition				

• Give a speech on "Myself" to your classmates and write it in your writing book. You can start like this:

Good morning/afternoon! Dear teacher and friends, I'm here to speak about myself. I'm ......



### = Role Play =

Sudeva, Vismi, Yoga, Raj, Abdul, Hafza and a few other friends arranged their classroom.

**Raj**: Teacher asked us to form five groups.

**Sudeva**: How can we do that?

**Raj**: Give me the register.

**Hafza**: Here you are.

Raj : Thank you! We have 30 in our class.

**Yoga**: That means, six in one group.

**Hafza**: Six in one group?

**Yoga**: Yes. Then there are five groups.

Raj : Thank you, Yoga for helping me.

Yoga: You're welcome.

**Sudeva**: Who'll make the cleaning chart?

**Abdul**: I think you should do it, Sudeva. You are the monitor.

Vismi : It's alright. I'll do it.

**Sudeva**: Thank you, Vismi. It's really nice of you.

**Vismi**: It's my pleasure, besides, we're in the same class.

Raj : Yes, we are in the same class.

**Abdul**: You're right. We should help each other.

# Activity 4

Put a tick  $(\checkmark)$  in the box if you say "Thank you" to the following.

a)	"Wait, I'll help you."	
b)	"What's the time now?"	
c)	"Your dress is so beautiful."	
d)	"Can you give this to me?"	
e)	"Here you are. Use this pen."	

# Activity 5

Match the expressions with the possible situations.

$\mathbf{A}$	В
Thank you	You say thank you for a gift
It's alright	A friend thanks you for helping her to do homework
You're welcome	You forgot to bring your friend's story book. When you tell her this, she replies
It's my pleasure	You ask for an extra pen
It's nice of you	Your friend opens the door for you
Here you are	You visit a friend's mother in the hospital

## Let's sing

While making the chart Vismi hummed a song. Here's the song. Shall we sing together?

Listen to your teacher first.

### It's a Small World

It's a world of laughter, a world of tears It's a world of hopes and a world of fears There's so much that we share that it's time w

It's a small world after all

Chorus: It's a small world after all

It's a small world after all

It's a small world after al

It's a small, small world

It's a world of laughter, a world of tears It's a world of hopes and a world of fears Though the mountains divide and the oceans are wide It's a small world after all

#### Read aloud



Yes, I am Manuka.



**Is it** a football? Yes, it is a football

#### Are they singers?





#### Read and Match

### Activity 6

No, she is not Uma. She is Fathima. 1. Are you Manuka? 2. Are you a student? No, it is not a pen. It is a pencil. 3. Is he a student? Yes, I am an athlete. 4. Is it a football? No, they are not grade 6 students. 5. Are they dancers? Yes, they are dancers. 6. Are we singers? Yes, he is a student. 7. Are you an athlete? Yes, we are singers. 8. Is it a pen? Yes, I am a student.

#### Writing •

Yes, I am Manuka.

Yes, it is a football.

#### Activity 7

9. Is she Uma?

Fill in the blanks using am, is or are.

10. Are they grade 6 students?

- 1. I am a student. I..... in the classroom.
- 2. She ..... a teacher. She ..... in the staffroom.
- 3. We ..... scouts. We ......at the campsite.



- 4. He .... Mr. Perera. He .... in the office.
- 5. They ..... cricketers. They ..... in the playground.
- 6. You ..... a good student. You ...... doing your homework.
- 7. It ..... our library. It ..... very quiet in the library.

#### = Writing =

### Activity 8

Make questions.

	They are in the classroom.	
2.	He is a cricketer.	
3.	She is a prefect.	
	They are new textbooks.	
	It is a volleyball.	
6.	We are in the correct group.	

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There was a **cat**,
Who sat on a **mat**,
It was so **fat**,
It couldn't even catch a **rat**.

What are the words that sound similar? **Example:** - cat – rat



## Activity 9

Underline the word with a different sound.

- a) hot, sat, mat, vat
- b) van, man, dam, bill
- c) pan, cot, tan, van
- d) cat, rot, mat, fat
- e) bit, set, jet, wet
- f) rat, rim, fat, hat

## Activity 10

Listen to your teacher and identify similar sounds.

A	В	С	D	Е
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tax	mad	sand	map	lack
gang	sank	clash	vax	rat
bank	lap	sang	rank	max
band	rash	ban	brand	fan
at	wax	tank	lad	tang
dash	stand	fax	mat	cap
wrap	an	bad	bang	blank
man	rang	sap	can	land
had	bat	sat	cash	bash
jack	sack	back	pack	sad