**सर्वनाम Sarvanaam (pronouns)**

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| **SINGULAR** | | **PLURAL** | |
| (हिंदी) Hindi | English | (हिंदी) Hindi | English |
| **मैं main - hoon** | I -am | **हम - HUM- hain** | We |
| **तू - (tu) -hai** | You (intimate) | **(aap)-hai/hain** | You |
| **तुम - (tum)- ho** | You | वे **(ve)-hain** | They/These |
| **वह (vah)/**  **यह (yeh) -hai** | He/She/It/That | **ये (ye)-hain** | They/Those |

Note (tu) is used only for very close person. Then (tum) is probably the most used word for "you" (sg) in Hindi. You can say that to everybody unless you want to be polite, if so you can use the word "aap" When meeting for the first time and when politeness is needed better use 'aap' for 'you'!

**Main hoom** : I am **Hum hain** : we are **Aap hain** : you are **vah hai** : He /she is **Ve hain** : They are  
Now let's have a look at some demonstrative pronouns:

* This **( yeh / yah )**  
  That **( voh / vah )**  
  These **( ye )**  
  Those **( ve )**

Now for the possessive pronouns:

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| **SINGULAR** | | **PLURAL** | |
| Hindi | English | (हिंदी) Hindi | English |
| **मेरा (mera)** | My | **हमारा (hamara)** | Our |
| **तेरा (tera )** | Your | **आपका (aapka)** | Your’s |
| **तुम्हारा (tumhara )** | Your |  |  |
| **इसका (iska)** | His/Her | **इनका (inka)** | They /Their’s |
| **उसका (uska)** | His/Her | **उनका (unka)** | They /Their’s |

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| **Mas. Singular** | **Feminine Sin/Plu** | **Mas. Plural** | **English** |
| **मेरा (mera)** | **मेरी (Meri)** | **मेरे (Mere)** | **My** |
| **तेरा (tera )** | **तेरी (Teri)** | **तेरे (Tere)** | **Your’s** |
| **तुम्हारा (tumhara )** | **तुम्हारी (Tumhara)** | **तुम्हारे (Tumhare)** | **Your’s** |
| **इसका (iska)** | **इसकी (Iskee)** | **इसके (Iske)** | **They /Their’s** |
| **उसका (uska)** | **उसकी (Uskee)** | **उसके (Uske)** | **They /Their’s** |
| **हमारा (hamara)** | **हमारी (hamari)** | **हमारे (hamare)** | **Our’s** |
| **आपका (Aapka)** | **आपकी (aapki)** | **आपके (Aapke)** | **Your’s** |
| **इनका (Inka)** | **इनकी (inkee)** | **इनके (Inke)** | **Theirs’** |
| **उनका (Unka)** | **उनकी (unkee)** | **उनके (Unke)** | **Theirs’** |

My name is Peter. = **Mera naam Peter hai**.    (naam) means "name" ).

***NB****: The verb in Hindi is placed always at the end of the sentence. That's a feature which many Asian languages share as well. So, Hindi is an SOV language (i.e Subject-Object-Verb). In our case, we don't say "My name is Peter", but "My name Peter is". That's the proper word order in Hindi*.

* His name is Peter. =**Uska naam Peter hai**.  
   This is water. =**Yah pani hai.**   
  This is a house. =**Yeh ghar hai**.

**To be – होना (hona) – root verb – हो ho**

**Ekvachan(Singular)**

मैं (main) – I – हूँ (hoom) – I am

तू (tu) – you - है (hai) – is - you are (informal)

तुम (tum) - हो (ho) – is – you are

आप (aap) - हैं (hain) – are – you are (formal /honorific)

यह (yeh) – है (hai) – He/she /This /it

वह (vah) - है (hai) -

**bahuvachan(Pul).**

हम (HUM) – we – हैं (hain)

आप (aap) - you - हैं (hain)

ये (ye) - these - हैं (hain)

वे (ve) - they- हैं (hain)

**सामान्य वर्तमान काल – saamanya vartamaan kaal (Simple present tense)**

1.पढ़ना (padhna) – to study

2. लिखना (likhna) – to write

3. रोना (rona) – to cry

4. भागना (bhagnaa) to run

5. सीखना (seekhna) –to learn

*To get the root of the verb you have to remove the* ***-na*** *ending. Once you've done that, you can conjugate the verbs. Add* ***tha*** *to verb-root for masculine singular and* ***the***  *for masculine plural. Add* ***thi*** *for feminine singular and plural.*

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| Rule for framing simple present in Hindi  Sub + root verb + ta/ti/te+hoom/hai/hain/ho |

मैं पढ़ता हूं (main padta hoom)- mas. I read

मैं पढ़ती हूं (main padhti hoom) – fem

तू पढ़ता है Tu padhta hai – you read

तू पढ़ती है (tu padhti hai)

तुम पढ़ते हो Tum padhte ho – you study

तुम पढ़ती हो Tum padhti ho

यह पढ़ता/ पढ़ती है | Yeh padhta/padhti hai

वह पढ़ता/पढ़ती है vah padhta/padhti hai - He/she reads

हम पढ़ते हैं - Hum padhte hain - we read

ये पढ़ते /पढ़ती हैं –ye padhte/padhtee hain

वे पढ़ते /पढ़ती हैं – ve padhte/padhtee hain