

## Basics 1

**Welcome!** Hallo!

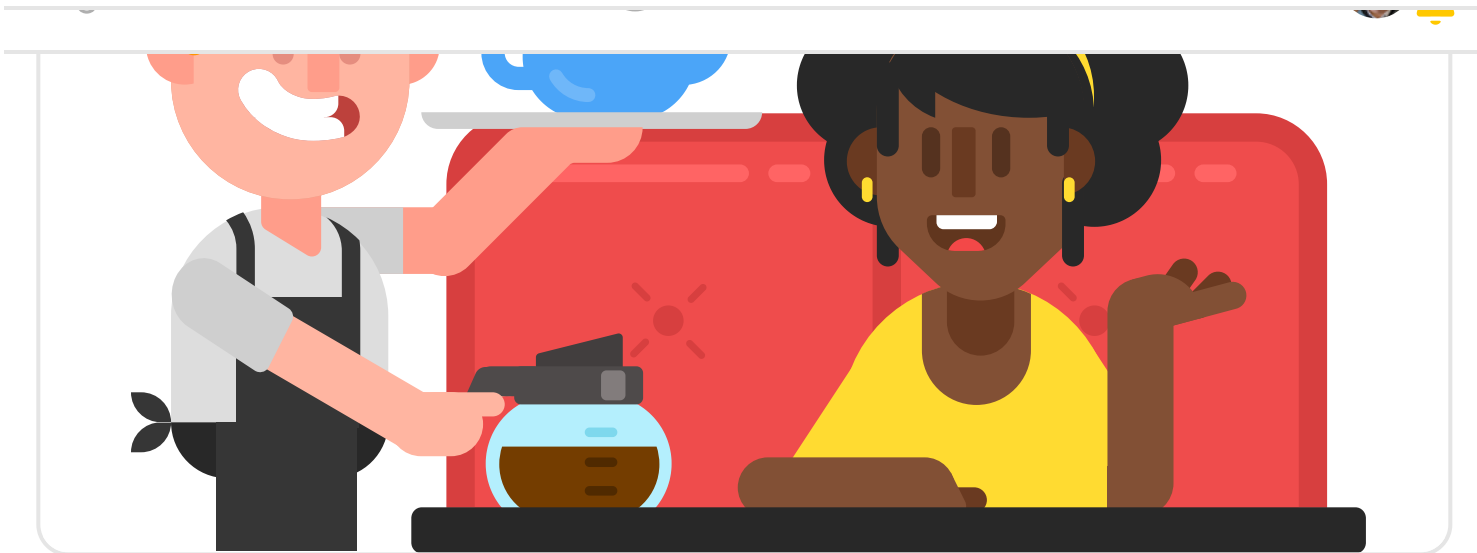
Did you know that German and English are in the same language family? German might seem tricky, but there are also a lot of similarities. Welcome to the German course! Let's get started.


**So many capitals!**

In English, we capitalize some words, like people's names. In German, you capitalize all nouns!



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 Kaffee und Tee  
coffee and tea

## Wasser or Vasser?

Wasser Wasser, **w**ir (as in "**v**ine")

Junge Junge, **j**a (as in "**y**es")

tschüss **t**schüss (as in "**ch**ew")

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**Hallo** and **tschüss** are typically used with friends. So, until next time:



 Tschüss!