

Gaisuwa (greeting)

- 1. 1. Gaisuwa [gɛ̃isuwa] : greeting
- 2. Sannu [sɛ̃nnu] : ≈ Hey, you doin’ well !
- 3. Sanu da aiki? : ≈ your doing well with work
 - 1. aiki : work
- 4. Sanu da zuwa : welcome (well coming etc.)
 - 1. zuwa : coming /come
- 5. Sanu da kokari : ≈ good effort ! (with whatever you were doing)
 - 1. kokari : effort
- 6. Na gode : thank you (lit. I’m greatful)
- 7. Yawwa : ok , alright
- 8. Yawwa sannu !

- 1. Yaya / ya ? : how is ?
 - 1. Ya aiki ?
 - 2. Yaya gida?
 - 1. gida : home
 - 3. Ya iyali?
 - 1. iyali : family
 - 4. Yaya harkoki?
 - 1. harkoki : things
- 2. Lafiya / lafiya lau [l:a]
- 3. aiki da godiya : work is good , thank you !
- 4. iyali da godiya : î
- 5. harkoki da godiya : î