

Meeting Others and Introducing Yourself:

Tomita: Hajimemashite. (はじめまして。)

Tomita desu. (とみたです。)

Johnson: Hajimemashite. (はじめまして。)

Johnson desu. (ジョンソンです。)

Tomita: Doozo yoroshiku. (どうぞよろしく。)

Johnson : Doozo yoroshiku. (どうぞよろしく。)

Tomita: Hi. (How do you do?) I am Tomita.

Johnson: Hi. (How do you do?) I am Johnson.

Tomita: I'm glad to meet you.

Johnson: It's nice to meet you.

Addressing People:

Tomita (family name) sensee (とみたせんせい) (Professor ~, Dr. ~, etc.)

Tanaka (family name) san (たなかさん) (Mr. ~, Ms. ~, Mrs. ~, Miss ~)

Yamada (Family name) kun (やまだくん) (equal or lower; male)

Hiroshi (First name) kun (ひろしくん) (close friends; male) (children; male)

Yooko (First name) chan (ようこちゃん) (close friends; female)

(children; female)

Bowing:

Vertical Distance (Social Status):

“Uchi (Ingroup)” & “Soto (Outgroup)”:

Practice: Stand up! Walk around, and introduce yourself to at least 5 students. (Write down the names of the students that you talked to.) Don't forget to bow!