Lesson 1: Starting a Conversation

GOALS

- *Teacher and Student Introductions*
- *Formal and Informal Greetings*
- *Name Card Interviews*

Dialogue 1 Dialogue 2

Useful Phrases for Starting a Conversation:

Dialogue 1:
Chen Li, a new university student, is meeting her foreign teacher, Sarah, for the first time. Listen carefully to the words Chen Li uses as she greets her teacher.





Dialogue 2:
Chen Li and Sarah have been friends for several months now. What kind of greetings do they now use when they see each other?

Formal	Informal

Name Cards

(front of card)



(your photo)

English name
Name in pinyin (with tones)
Chinese name (in characters)
Phone Number
Class #_____
Room #_____
Student ID #_____

(back of card)

Student introduction (hometown, hobbies, interests, major, etc.)

LIVEWORKSHEETS