# Nice to meet you!

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#### **CONVERSATION**





Marco Hi. My name's Marco. What's your name?

Kelly Hi, Marco. My name's Kelly.

Marco So, where are you from, Kelly?

Kelly I'm from Toronto. How about you?

Marco I'm from San Diego, California.



### **PRONUNCIATION**—Syllable stress

1 Listen. Notice the stressed and unstressed syllables. Circle the stressed syllable in each word.

1. (Mar)• co

3. Me•xi•co

5. Ca•na•da

2. To •ron •to

4. Ko•re•a

6. stu•dent

Listen again and repeat. Which words have the same syllable stress?

#### LANGUAGE PRACTICE

#### Statements with be Grammar Reference page 124 Possessive adjectives I'm a student. $lam \rightarrow l'm$ my You're from Mexico. you are → you're your He's from Korea. he is $\rightarrow$ he's his She's from Canada. she is $\rightarrow$ she's her We're students. we are -> we're our They're from the US. they are → they're their I'm not a teacher. I'm a student. is not → isn't He isn't from Brazil. He's from the US. They aren't teachers. They're students. are not → aren't

#### Complete the sentences.



"Hi. My name is Nelson da Silva.
 I \_\_\_\_\_'m \_\_\_ a photographer. This is my wife. \_\_\_\_\_\_ name is Gloria.
 We \_\_\_\_\_\_ from São Paulo, Brazil."



A Hi, \_\_\_my \_\_ name is Jung-hwa Ban.
 B And \_\_\_\_\_ name is Jae-won Kim.
 A We \_\_\_\_\_ from South Korea. He \_\_\_\_\_ from Seoul, and I'm from Busan.



3. "Hi. My name \_\_\_\_\_'S \_\_\_ Greg White.

I \_\_\_\_\_\_ an English teacher. I'm from Sydney, Australia. My parents \_\_\_\_\_ from Australia, they're from Ireland. Their names \_\_\_\_\_ Brendan and Maggie.

## PAIR WORK. Tell your partner about yourself.

Hi, I'm Yuko. Nice to meet you.

Nice to meet you, too. I'm Ana. I'm from Brazil.