



Annual
International Friendship Day
A fun day of Multicultural Hospitality!

- *Say “Hi!” in their language*
- *Invite an International Student for Dinner!*

Canada has the privilege of hosting over thousands of international students from around the world!

International Friendship Day is a wonderful way to show multicultural hospitality to both new international students and to welcome back students who have already been studying in Canada.

By virtue of having had a North American education and learning English, many of these students will return home after their studies to rise quickly through the ranks of university, business and government to become leaders in their country.

Just think... someday when your classmate becomes Prime Minister of Korea, you'll be able to say, “Hey! I was in Math class with him back in Grade 11! Plus... maybe he'll invite you over for a state visit!

There are three parts to International Friendship Day:

1. Take the “Say ‘Hello’ to all the world” Challenge and win a Starbucks Prize. Smile! Say “hi” and make a new friend. Meet as many people from school (and your neighbourhood) as possible- as you discover their cultural heritage, and learn to say “hi” in their cultural language. Whoever fills in the most languages on the language chart during the contest week, wins the Starbucks Prize. In the result of a tie, there will be a draw.
2. Sit with someone new during lunch—especially try to invite an international student to “hang out” with you.
3. Invite an international student home for dinner—either on this International Friendship Day or make plans for a future meal together.

"Says Hello!" to all the World

Win a FREE Starbucks Card!



Challenge: Smile & Learn to say "Hi!" in the language of as many people as you can!
Make a friend & win a prize!

CONTEST RULES:

1. Smile at people when you pass them!
2. Say "Hi! My name is _____. I'm in a contest to meet as many people from different cultures as possible here at the International Festival and to learn to say "Hi!" in their language!
3. Ask them, "What is your cultural background?" "How do you say "Hi!" in your language?"
4. Try to say it! Then ask them if they would write what "Hello" really looks like in their script.
5. Ask them for their autograph! Enjoy conversation with your new friend!
6. Meet as many people from different backgrounds as you can... then sign your contest sheet and put it in the contest basket! The person with the most filled in, wins a Starbucks Card! If a tie, then we'll have a draw!
Here are a few samples of languages!

Judi The Manners Lady's Multicultural Hospitality Challenge "Say Hello!"

Language	What it sounds like:	What it really looks like:	Autograph of New Friend:
Arabic	Sa-lam a lay-KOOM! Keef HA-lek?	_____	_____
Chinese (Cantonese)	NAY ho ma? _____	_____	_____
Chinese (Mandarin)	NEE how? _____	_____	_____
French	Bon-JOOR! _____	_____	_____
German	GOO-ten talk! Vee-GATES? _	_____	_____
Greek	Ka-lee-MER-a! Tee-CAN-iss?	_____	_____
Hebrew	Sha-LOM! MA-neesh-ma? _____	_____	_____
Hindi	NA-ma stay? _____	_____	_____
Hungarian	Yo nappot kee-VON-ik! SEE-ya!	_____	_____
Italian	Ciao! Commeh-STAI? Buon JOOR-nol	_____	_____
Japanese	Kon-EE-chee-WA! _____	_____	_____
Karen (Myanmar)	Ná à hsà hà? NEE-lally!	_____	_____
Korean	Ang young HA say yo! _____	_____	_____
Punjabi	Sat surrey a-CALL! _____	_____	_____

Being a Friends starts by saying "Hello!" Have Fun Making New Friends from Around the World!

Say "Hello!" to All the World



Challenge: Smile & Learn to say "Hi!" in the language of as many people as you can! You'll make a new friend!

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Language	What it sounds like:	What it really looks like:	Autograph of New Friend:
Albanian	Tung!	_____	_____
Arabic	Sa-lam a lay-KOOM! Keef HA-lek?	_____	_____
Armenian	PAR-ev!	_____	_____
Bosnian	ZDRA-vo!	_____	_____
Botswana	Dum-ella rah!	_____	_____
Bulgarian	ZDRA-veit! Kak si?	_____	_____
Croatia	Bog! Dobar DAN!	_____	_____
Chinese (Cantonese)	NAY ho ma?	_____	_____
Chinese (Mandarin)	NEE how?	_____	_____
Cree (Canada)	Tánisi!	_____	_____
Czech	Ahoy! Dobry den nazdar!	_____	_____
Danish	Hey!	_____	_____
Dutch	Hallo! Hoo-ya DAK?	_____	_____
English	Hi! How are you?	_____	_____
Estonian	Tere!	_____	_____
Ethiopian/ Amharic	Ten-Ah-yee-still-ing!	_____	_____
Finnish	Hey! Moy-ka	_____	_____
Fijian	BU-la BU-la!	_____	_____
Filipino (Tagalog)	Ka-MOO-sta-ka? Ma-BOO-hi!	_____	_____
French	Bon-JOOR!	_____	_____
German	GOO-ten talk! Vee-GATES? _	_____	_____
Greek	Ka-lee-MER-a! Tee-CAN-iss?	_____	_____
Hawaiian	A-LO-ha!	_____	_____
Hebrew	Sha-LOM! MA-neesh-ma?	_____	_____
Hindi	NA-ma stay?	_____	_____
Hungarian	Yo nappot kee-VON-ik! SEE-yal	_____	_____
Indonesian	Abba-ka-BARI!	_____	_____
Italian	Ciao! Commeh-STAI? Buon JOOR-nol	_____	_____
Japanese	Kon-EE-chee-WA!	_____	_____
Karen (Myanmar)	Ná à hsà hà? NEE-lally!	_____	_____
Korean	Ang young HA say yot	_____	_____
Mohawk	Se-kohl	_____	_____
Navaho	Yá'-át'-ééh	_____	_____
Nepali	Na-ma-sute!	_____	_____
Nonwegian	God dag! or Hei!	_____	_____
Pakistani/Urdu	As Salaam Aley Kum	_____	_____
Persian / Farsi / Iranian	Sa-laam chet-OOR-ee!	_____	_____
Polish	Jin-DOH-bray! Yak-sheh-MASH?	_____	_____
Portuguese	Bom-DEE-ya!	_____	_____
Punjabi	Sat surrey a-CALL!	_____	_____
Swahili	JAM-bo!	_____	_____
Sioux Indian	Da-ko-ta! (means "Hi friend!")	_____	_____
Spanish	O-lal! Bwen-os dee-yas!	_____	_____
Russian	Do-bre dyen! Kak-dela? Pree-vyet!	_____	_____
Swahili	Jam-bo! Num-ne-gani?	_____	_____
Swedish	God dag!	_____	_____
Taiwanese	NEE-how?	_____	_____
Tamil	Van-a-kam!	_____	_____
Thai	Sa-wa DEE Krab!	_____	_____
Tibetan	Ta-shi De-lek!	_____	_____
Turkish	MARE-ha-bal! Na-sill-sin?	_____	_____
Other	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
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Smile! Say "Hi!" & Make a New Friend!





International Friendship Day

8 TIPS TO MAKING INTERNATIONAL FRIENDS!



Tips For **Canadian Students...**

We are very honoured that so many international students have chosen Canada as a place to come and study. For many of these students, it is their first time away from home—a new country... a new culture... a new family to live with... new customs... and now they have to study high school courses in a new language. It must be overwhelming.

Let's show our new friends "Canadian multicultural hospitality," just the way Vancouver welcomed the world for the Olympics! We have the privilege of being "**Friendship Ambassadors**" as we welcome international students to our school. We hope it will be the best year of their life! Remember *The Golden Rule*—think of how you'd want your classmates to treat you if you went to China or Korea to study for a year.

Here are a few simple tips to help you build bridges of friendship to our International Students.

1. As you walk down the hall, it's really nice to give a friendly smile and say "hi!"
2. Ask "What country are you from?"
3. Then, if you don't know what language they speak (beside English) ask them, "What language do you speak?"
4. Then it's fun to say, "Cool! Can you teach me how to say 'Hi!' in your language?"
5. Invite international students to join you and your friends for lunch or invite them to watch a "Titans" Volleyball or Basketball game, or come to "The Wizard of Oz," a school concert or to a movie with your friends.
6. Invite them to come over to your home for dinner. Look up their home and school on Google Earth! (It's very cool.. and they love it when someone cares enough to ask about their hometown.)
7. Ask if they are on Facebook or if they aren't on yet, show them how—if they are interested. Get their email address and cell phone number so you can keep in touch. Many international students are more confident writing than speaking, so send them a little note. A few words from a new Canadian friend will mean a lot—and who knows—you could become friends for a **lifetime!!**



Tips For **International Students...**

Welcome to Canada! We're glad you picked our school!

Here are a few tips to help you make friends faster at school in Canada!

1. As you walk down the hall, it's really nice to give a friendly smile and nod at other students and teachers as you pass them in the hall. (If you don't smile or if you just ignore people as you pass them, they might think that you don't like them or that you are snobby.)
2. Don't be shy. Introduce yourself to kids in your class. "Hi, I'm _____. What's your name?" If they say their name too fast, ask them, "Could you say it slower please?" Names are VERY important. We all love it when someone remembers our name.
3. Try to get to know your teachers better. Maybe you could stop by their class after school. Tell them where you're from and a bit about yourself and your family. If you are having trouble understanding some things in class, they will be glad to help you.
4. Ask one of your new Canadian friends if they'd like to have lunch with you. Invite Canadian kids into the international classroom for lunch, or go hang out with the Canadian kids—in the small gym or outside.
5. Invite a Canadian friend over to your homestay home for a visit or a meal. (Let your host parents know in advance, but I'm sure they'll love it if you have guests!)
6. Canadian kids think it's cool if you show them your home and school on Google Earth! Suddenly your far-away country seems nearby... and normal!! And show them photos of your family and life back home.
7. Ask your Canadian friends if they'd like to learn to say "Hi!" in your language! At first they'll say, "I could never speak Chinese!" Just tell them, "It's easy!" and give them a few memory tricks! i.e.,
 - **In Chinese**, think about rubbing your knee. Say "**Knee-how!**"
 - **In Korean**, think of a big onion! Say "**On-ion ha-say-yo!**"
 - **In Punjabi**, just pretend that you "**sat down**"... then went to "**Surrey**" and then you "**called**" out! "**Sat-surrey-a-call!**"

They'll be happy that you taught them how to say "hi" in your language! Enjoy your new Canadian friends—you **could become friends for a lifetime!**