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GREETINGS IN PORTUGUESE

OK, no problem if it is your first time in Brazil and you don't know how to greet people. I mean, if you 'didn't' know how to do that, because from now on, you will be able to do that ;)

Let's see the basic ones then.

Good morning – **Bom dia!** ('bom' sounds like the first syllable of 'bonbon', and 'dia' like the sound of the letter 'g' + 'a' (open your mouth like in avatar). Repeat it, please. One more time. Great! That's it. Check it here!

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=EQmFYE6nfP8>



One more thing. The word 'dia' means 'day', not 'morning', which is 'manhã'.

Good afternoon – **Boa tarde!** (yees, equal to the 'boa' sound, plus 'tarde', similar to 'target' + 'g' sound again. Got it? Repeat it, one more time.

Good evening and good night – **Boa noite!** (you use the same words when you arrive and when you leave in the evening/at night) the same 'boa' plus 'noite' sound of **noise** and sound of 'tch' – **children**. Good! Repeat it, please, one more time.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=6LqJpiImhgw>

Hi – How are you? - **Oi! Tudo bem?** (usually used together) – oi = use 'oi' from 'oik'. - **Tudo bem?** – use 'too' from **took**+ 'doo' from **doodle** = tudo. Repeat it, please. One more time. Wow! Check it here!

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And finally, when it's time to say **goodbye**, just say **tchau** or **tchau, tchau!**

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