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Diego's First Day

a first day in class · who, what, where

new words · the story · ★ the missing word · ★★ who, what, where · ★★★ your phrase, in the chat

New words

Four new words. Tap each one and listen. Your language is under every word.

1 nervous 

a little afraid, before something new

2 lost 

you do not understand where you are

3 board 

a big wall in class, for words

4 bathroom 

the room with the toilet

Diego's First Day

Diego is new in class. Read. Tap a part to hear it again.

Today is Monday. Diego is new in the English class. He is from Mexico. He is a little nervous. The teacher is Ms. Harper. "Good morning! What is your name?" "My name is Diego."

Ms. Harper is very fast. Diego is lost. "I don't understand. Please speak more slowly." "Sorry! Of course." The new word on the board is schedule. "Can you spell that?" "S-C-H-E-D-U-L-E."

Chantal is a student, too. She is from Haiti. "Do you speak Spanish?" "No. I speak French and Kreyòl." "Where is the bathroom?" "It is on the left." Class is over at nine. Diego is happy.

Citizen life: at the citizenship interview, "Please repeat that" is okay.

★ Write the missing word

Write the missing word. Then type it in the chat.

1 Diego is from _____.

2 The teacher is Ms. _____.

3 Chantal is from _____.

4 Class is over at _____.

★★ Who, what, where?

Who, what, where? Read again. Find the answer in the story.

1 Who is from Haiti?

2 What is the new word on the board? Spell it.

3 Ms. Harper is very fast. What phrase is good for Diego?

4 Which two languages are in Chantal's answer?

5 Where is the bathroom?

★★★ Your phrase

Now YOU. What phrase do you need in class?

Excuse me. _ _ _

Like this: Excuse me. Can you repeat that? 🗣️ Excuse me. Please speak more slowly. 🗣️

Choose one phrase you need in class. Type it in the chat.

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