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basic phrases

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Dobrý den. – Dobrý den. Hello. – Hello.

Informal

- Ahoj. Ahoj.
 Čau. Čau.
- Zdar. Zdar.

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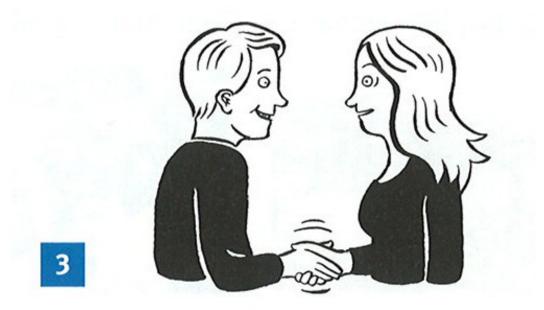
Useful phrases.

- Já jsem Martin.
- Já jsem učitel. (*I am a teacher*)

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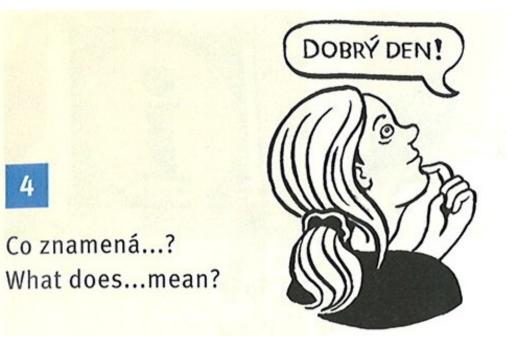
• Já jsem student.



Literaly

• It pleases me.

Těší mě. – Těší mě. Nice to meet you. – Nice to meet you.



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• Use this phrase to ask about the meaning of czech words.



• Use this phrase to ask for translation into czech language.

 Task: think about one czech word you really need to know. Ask me for it using this phrase.



• Spelling is not a big deal in Czech language.

Jak se to píše? How is that written?



Rozumíte? – Nerozumím. Do you understand? – I don't understand.



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Ano. Yes. *coll*. Jo. Yeah. Ne. No.

Other important phrase.

• Ano, rozumím. (Yes, *I understand.*)

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Ještě jednou, prosím. Can you repeat that, please.

Literaly

• Once more / one more time, please.

Compare with ultra frequent phrase

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- Ještě jedno, prosím! (one more, please)
- guess the context @



Important

- Use this phrase when asking me a question. Combine it with "Jak se řekne …?" phrase.
- "I have a question" question will be ignored. ③



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Mluvíte anglicky, německy, rusky? Do you speak English, German, Russian?

Interested in other languages? Ask me...



Děkuji./Děkuju. – Prosím. Thank you. – You're welcome.

Why two forms? Or three...?

Děkuji = a bit more formal thank you
Děkuju = normal thank you
Díky = thanks