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# Introduction

## PART 1

Hello.  
Listen, please.  
I'm Mr. Laker.  
I'm American.  
I'm a teacher.



You're a student.  
You aren't American.

I'm speaking English.  
You're learning English.

This is a book.



a book

This is a tape.



a tape

This is a cassette.



a cassette

This is a record.



a record



## INTRODUCTION

### PART 2



- Mr. Laker* Hello!
- Student* Hello, Mr. Laker.
- Mr. Laker* How are you?
- Student* I'm very well. How are you?
- Mr. Laker* I'm very well, thank you. Are you a student?
- Student* Yes, I am.
- Mr. Laker* Are you American?
- Student* No, I'm not.
- Mr. Laker* Are you learning English?
- Student* Yes, I am.
- Mr. Laker* Do you have a book?
- Student* Yes, I have a book.
- Mr. Laker* Is it the French book?
- Student* No, it isn't. It's the American English book.
- Mr. Laker* Good. Where is it?
- Student* Here it is.
- Mr. Laker* Where?
- Student* It's on the table.



## INTRODUCTION

### PART 3



*Mr. Kent* Hello.  
I'm Mr. Kent.  
This is my wife, Kathy.

*Mrs. Kent* Hello.  
I'm Kathy Kent.  
I'm American.  
I'm forty.  
I'm a housewife.



*Mr. Kent* This is my daughter.

*Laurie* Hello.  
I'm Laurie.  
I'm eighteen.  
I'm a student.  
I'm American, too.



## INTRODUCTION

*Mr. Kent* And my son.  
*Danny* Hi.  
I'm Danny.  
I'm American.  
I'm fifteen.  
I'm a student, too.



*Mr. Kent* And this is a friend, Sandra.  
*Sandra* Hello.  
I'm Sandra Warner.  
I'm twenty-one.  
I'm a secretary.



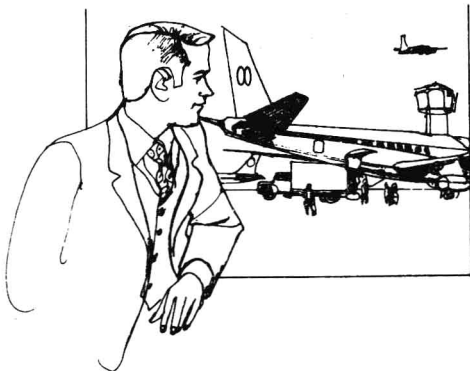
*Mr. Kent* And here's Skip.  
*Skip* Hello.  
I'm Skip Wallace.  
I'm twenty-six.  
I'm a friend of Mr. and Mrs. Kent, too.



LESSON ONE (1)  
FIRST (1ST) LESSON

## The airport

### PART 1



*Skip* Hello!

I'm Skip Wallace.

I'm American.

I'm from New York City.

I'm a friend of the Kents.

I'm at Kennedy Airport.

Kennedy Airport's in New York.

The Kents are coming to New York.

They're coming from Geneva.

The plane's arriving.

There are the passengers.

There are Mr. and Mrs. Kent.

They're going to the customs area.



*a plane*

## Lesson 1

There's an immigration officer.  
He's looking at the passports.



*a passport*

There's a customs officer.  
He's looking at the suitcases.  
He's opening the suitcases.



*a customs officer*



*a suitcase*

I'm going to the waiting room.



## Lesson 1

### PART 2

#### Immigration



*Immigration officer* Are you American?

*Mr. Kent* Yes, I'm American.

*Immigration officer* Do you have a passport, sir?

*Mr. Kent* Yes, I have a passport.

*Immigration officer* Thank you.

Passport **please**, madam.

*Mrs. Kent* One minute, **please**.

It's in the **bag**.

Here it is.

*Immigration officer* Thank you.

Passport **please**, miss.

*Laurie* Yes, sir.

Here it is.

*Immigration officer* Do you **have a passport**?

*Danny* Yes, sir.

Here it is.

*Immigration officer* Passport, miss?

*Sandra* Yes, sir.

*Immigration officer* Thank you.

## Lesson 1

### Customs



*Customs officer* Do you have anything to declare?  
*Mr. Kent* Yes, I have a bottle of perfume and a bottle of whiskey.

*Customs officer* One bottle of perfume?  
*Mr. Kent* Yes, one bottle of perfume.

*Customs officer* And what's this?  
*Mr. Kent* It's a bottle of whiskey.

*Customs officer* O.K. Thank you.  
Do you have anything to declare, madam?

*Mrs. Kent* No.  
*Customs officer* Anything to declare, miss?

*Sandra* No, sir.  
*Customs officer* Do you have anything to declare, miss?

*Laurie* Yes, sir.  
*Customs officer* What?

*Laurie* I have a box of candy.  
*Customs officer* Is it liqueur candy?

*Laurie* No, sir. It's chocolate candy.  
*Customs officer* Thank you.



*a bottle of perfume*



*a bottle of whiskey*

## Lesson 1

### Waiting room



*Mr. Kent* There's Skip.  
*Mrs. Kent* Where's Skip?  
Here he is.



*Dave Kent*

*Skip* Hello, Dave.  
How are you?  
*Mr. Kent* I'm fine, thank you.  
And you?

*Skip* Very well, thank you.  
How are you, Kathy?  
*Mr. Kent* Kathy! How are you?  
*Mrs. Kent* Fine, thank you.



*Kathy Kent*



## Lesson 1

### The children

*Mr. Kent* Skip, here are the children.  
This is Laurie.  
She's eighteen.  
*Laurie* Hello, Skip.  
*Skip* Happy to know you, Laurie.  
How are you?  
*Laurie* I'm tired.



*Laurie Kent*

*Mr. Kent* And this is Danny.  
He's fifteen.  
*Skip* Hello, Danny.  
*Danny* Hi, Skip.



*Danny Kent*

*Mr. Kent* Skip, this is Sandra Warner.  
She's a friend from Geneva.  
*Skip* How do you do, Sandra?  
Nice to meet you.  
*Sandra* Happy to know you, Skip.  
*Skip* Are you Swiss?  
*Sandra* No, I'm American.  
*Skip* Here's a taxi.  
Taxi!  
Where are Danny and Laurie?  
*Mr. Kent* Here they are.  
*Skip* Good.  
The Beardsley Hotel, please.  
*Taxi driver* O.K.



*Sandra Warner*