**Here is a quick summary of common tasks a speaker learns to do in a beginning level class.**

**Are you just getting started in a language? Take a look at what to do. Are you reviewing? Check in and see what you need to review. Do you teach a language? Consider these Can Do tasks.**

**Below are the things that we will learn to say in this class:**

- Name the countries that speak the target languages.
- Name the capitals of the countries that speak the target language.
- Greet people in the morning.
- Greet someone in the afternoon.
- Greet someone in the evening.
- Ask someone what their name is.
- Say what your name is.
- Say the word for you formal.
- Say the word for you informal.
- Ask someone how they are (formal).
- Ask someone how they are (informal).
- Say how you are.
- Take leave.
- Tell someone that they are pleased to meet them.
- Have a conversation in which you meet someone for the first time.
- Say basic classroom commands.
- Count to ten.
- Count to twenty.
- Say your phone number.
- Say at least five body parts.
- Say the names for at least five things you use at school.
- Ask how something is said in the TL.
- Say the alphabet in the TL.
- Spell your name in the TL.
- Spell the names of your family members in the TL.
- Say the days of the week.
- Say the months of the year.
- Ask what day it is.
- Ask what the date is.
- Say today and tomorrow.

- Ask what the weather is like.
- Say what the weather is like.
- Say the seasons.
- Say the verbs for basic activities in the infinitive form.
- Say what you like to ask.
- Ask someone what they like to do.
- Say who you are.
- Say what you don’t like.
- Agree with what you like.
- Agree with what you don’t like.
- Describe your personality. Use adjectives that agree with their noun.
- Say the four ways to say *the* in the TL.
- Say the names of your classes.
- Describe your classes.
- Say I.
- Say you formal.
- Say you informal.
- Say you formal (plural).
- Say you informal (plural).
- Say the names for at least ten items in your classroom.
- Say *a* and *an* in the TL.
- Say what your possessions are.
- Ask what.
- Ask who and/or which.
- Ask when.
- Ask what something is.
- Ask what there is or there are.
- Ask how many.
- Ask where is..
- Ask from where…
- Ask why..
- Say what you love.
- Say basic foods.
- Say the names of meals.
- Say the names of basic drinks.
- Say what other people do using the present tense.
- Say basic physical exercises.
- Express hunger.

- Express thirst.
- Express being tired.
- Say the time.
- Express what you eat in the morning.
- Express what you eat in the afternoon.
- Express what you eat in the evening.
- Express your opinions on food.
- State the things that you have.
- State the things that other people have.
- Say where different people go.
- Say when activities are done.
- Say at what your classes are.
- Say the names of sports.
- Express to someone that you are sorry.
- Describe how you are feeling.

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