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English – Level2

– Lesson 06 – English Vocabulary in Use

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Objectives of the Lesson: This lesson has been designed to provide students the skills they need to effectively and powerfully communicate their ideas and thoughts in everyday life

8 Conversations 1: Greetings and wishes

A Every day



When we leave someone we usually say **Goodbye** and also perhaps **See you soon!** See you soon is quite informal.
 When someone goes to bed, we usually say **Goodnight**. We sometimes also say **Sleep well**.
 Don't say **Goodnight** when you arrive somewhere, only when you leave.
 If you ask for something you usually say **Please**.
 If someone does something nice for you, you say **Thank you** or **Cheers** (informal).



B Special days

When:	you say:
it's someone's birthday	Happy Birthday!
it's Christmas	Happy / Merry Christmas! /'krɪsməs/
it's New Year's Day	Happy New Year!
someone is doing something difficult, e.g. taking an exam or having an interview for a job	Good luck!
someone has done something special, e.g. done well in an exam or had a baby	Congratulations! / Well done!

Common mistakes

When it's someone's birthday we say: **Happy Birthday** [NOT Congratulations].

Exercises

8.1 Choose one of the phrases from the opposite page to fit the dialogues.

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| 1 A: (sneezes) Atishoo! | 5 A: It's my birthday today. |
| B: <i>Bless you!</i> | B: |
| 2 A: I'm taking my driving test today. | 6 A: How are you? |
| B: | B: |
| 3 A: I passed my driving test! | 7 A: Hello! |
| B: | B: |
| 4 A: Goodbye. | 8 A: Here's your tea. |
| B: | B: |

8.2 What is the person saying in the pictures?



8.3 What do you say? Choose a phrase from the opposite page.

- You want to go through a doorway. There are some people blocking it. *Excuse me!*
- A friend buys you a drink.
- A child says 'Goodnight' to you.
- You answer the phone at work. It is 10.30 am.
- You answer the phone at work. It is 3 pm.
- It is 2 am on January 1st. You meet a friend in the street.
- You are on a very crowded bus and you stand on someone's foot.
- It is 24th December. You meet a friend on the bus.

8.4 You meet Ann, an English friend. Reply to her.

- ANN: Good evening.
 YOU: *Hello.*
 ANN: How are you?
 YOU:
 ANN: It's my birthday today.
 YOU:
 ANN: Would you like a drink?
 YOU:
 ANN: Here you are.
 YOU:

8.5 Write a conversation between you and a friend. He / She has passed an exam.

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