**Lesson 4 Nationality 第四课 国籍**

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| **国籍** | **guó jí** | **Country + Membership => Nationality**  |
| **兰兰** | **lán lán** | **Orchid + Orchid => Girl’s name** |
| **这** | **zhè** | **This** |
| **是** | **shì** | **Be, yes** |
| **新** | **xīn** | **New** |
| **朋友** | **péng yǒu** | **Friend** |
| **同学** | **tóng xué** | **Common + Learning => Classmate** |
| **哎** | **āi** | **Hey** |
| **哪** | **nǎ** | **Which** |
| **国** | **guó** | **Country** |
| **人** | **rén** | **Person** |
| **吗** | **ma** | **Question tag** |
| **英国** | **yīng guó** | **Brave + Country => England** |
| **美国** | **měi guó** | **Beautiful + Country => America** |
| **中国** | **zhōng guó** | **Central + Country => China** |
| **加拿大** | **jiā ná dà** | **Add + Take + Big => Canada** |
| **不是** | **bù shì** | **not** |
| **认识** | **rèn shì** | **know** |

**Homework:** Rewrite Chinese characters and Pinyin above once. Turn in your handwriting homework to your instructor in the beginning of class next Thursday.

**对话 (duì huà) Dialogue:**

小明：兰兰！

Xiǎomíng: lán lán!

Xiaoming: Lan Lan!

兰兰：小明？这是 …

Lán lán: xiǎomíng? zhè shì

Lan Lan: Xiaoming? This is …

小明：噢，这是麦克。

Xiǎomíng: ō, zhè shì màikè.

Xiaoming: Oh, this is Mike.

麦克：你好! 我叫麦克，我是小明的新朋友。

Màikè: Nǐ hǎo! Wǒ jiào màikè, wǒ shì xiǎomíng de xīn péngyǒu.

Mike: Hello! I'm Mike, I'm Xiaoming's new friend.

兰兰：麦克，你好。我叫兰兰，我是小明的同学。

Lán lán: Màikè, nǐ hǎo. Wǒ jiào lán lán, wǒ shì xiǎomíng de tóngxué.

Lan Lan: Mike, hello. My name is Lan Lan, I am Xiaoming's classmates.

兰兰：哎，麦克，你是哪国人？是英国人吗？

Lán lán: Āi, màikè, nǐ shì nǎ guórén? Shì yīngguórén ma?

Lan Lan: Hey, Mike, who are you from? Is it English?

麦克：噢，我不是英国人，我是美国人。你是哪国人？

Màikè: Ō, wǒ bùshì yīngguó rén, wǒ shì měiguó rén. Nǐ shì nǎ guó rén?

Mike: Oh, I'm not an Englishman. I'm an American. what country are you from?

兰兰：我和小明是中国人。很高兴认识你。

Lán lán: Wǒ hé xiǎomíng shì zhōngguó rén. Hěn gāoxìng rènshí nǐ.
Lan Lan: I and Xiaoming are Chinese. Nice to meet you.

* Video [3:50]: [阿福Thomas Talked about Chinese Food](https://www.facebook.com/shinping.tucker)
* Video [14:49]: [Growing Up with Chinese Lesson 6 Nationality](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=hatojlHJCZA)
* Video [1:40]: [Asking "Where are you from?" in Chinese](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=mdEirvtwlQs)