Greeting my teachers & friends

A COVID-19 related story

When I’m at school I usually greet my friends and teachers.
We used to give high fives, hugs, and handshakes.

But, there is a virus going around the world right now. It is called Coronavirus.
Coronavirus can make people get sick.

In school, we will not touch each other during greetings. This will help prevent us from getting sick.
But, we will find new ways to greet each other!

We can give air hugs.
We can wink at each other.

We can greet with spirit fingers.
We can wave at each other.

Another way we could greet each other is by bowing!
We can also curtsy.

If we are wearing hats, we can tip our hats at each other.
Another way to greet without touching is to say “namaste”. People do this a lot in yoga.

There is no touch at all in those greetings.
There are also some greetings where we touch a little bit, but not with our hands.

We can greet with a hip bump.
We can also do an elbow bump!

Or, we can do a foot bump.
Greeting each other at school is going to look a little bit different this year.

But, it will be fun to learn new ways to greet each other!
Choose Your Greeting

wave  spirit fingers  namaste  curtsy

wink  air hug  bow  hat tip
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foot bump

elbow bump

hip bump
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