

A New Family



Audio



Ugly Duckling is not ugly. He is not a duckling. He is a swan like all swans. Ugly Duckling is happy.

Can you fly?

Yes, I can.

Nice to meet you.

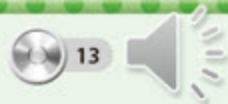
Nice to meet you, too.

He is not lonely. He is a white swan. He has a new family. He lives with the swans. He says goodbye to the ducklings.

Yes, I am!

Are you a swan?

New Words



meet



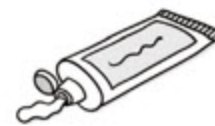
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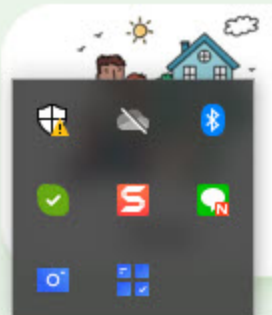
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family



goodbye




Key Expressions


Listen and look. Then say.  14



Role-Play

Role-play with a partner. Change the words.


1.  A: Nice to meet you.

 B: Nice to meet you, too.





2.  A: Can you fly?

can't = cannot

 B: Yes, I can. / No, I can't.



3.  A: Are you a swan?

 B: Yes, I am. / No, I'm not.



Practice

A Look and number the pictures in the correct order.



B Watch the acting tip video. Then read and practice.



Video

Show How You Feel

Show the feelings of the characters when you read. If your character is happy, smile! Try to feel happy. Then your voice will sound happy.

Practice

Look at the photos. How does the girl feel? Copy her expression and say "Are you a swan?"



happy



angry





surprised



sad

C Read the sentences with feelings.

-  Nice to meet you, too.
-  Are you a swan?

D Listen to the script. Practice with the video.



Video

Characters



Narrator



Swans



Ugly Duckling



Ducklings



Ugly Duckling talks to the swan.



Nice to meet you.



Nice to meet you, too.



You are a beautiful swan.



Thank you!



Can you fly?



Yes, I can. I can fly.



Ugly Duckling is a beautiful swan.



Wow! Are you a swan?



Yes, I am.



You're a beautiful swan!



Are you happy?



Yes! I'm happy!



Beautiful swan. Come live with us.



OK. Goodbye ducklings!

E Now read the script aloud. Practice using the acting tip from p.28.



The Ugly Duckling

Cast of Characters

Choose a person to play each character.

Roles	Names
Narrator	
Mother Duck	
Bird	
Rabbit	
Squirrel	
Ugly Duckling (A)	
Ugly Duckling (B)	
Swan 1	
Swan 2	
Duckling 1 (A)	
Duckling 1 (B)	
Duckling 2 (A)	
Duckling 2 (B)	
Duckling 3 (A)	
Duckling 3 (B)	
Duckling 4 (A)	
Duckling 4 (B)	

★ (A) = Young, (B) = Adult

Performance

1. Highlight your part.
2. Practice several times before performing with your classmates.
3. Make sure you use proper voice, gesture, and feelings.

Scene 1

Narrator: Mother Duck has five ducklings.

Duckling 1, 2, 3, & 4 (A), Ugly Duckling (A): *Quack! Quack!* We are five ducklings.

Mother Duck: They are my pretty ducklings.

Narrator: Animals come to meet the ducklings.

Rabbit: Hello?

Bird: Hello? *Tweet! Tweet! Tweet!*

Squirrel: Hello? *Squeak! Squeak! Squeak!*

What Is it?

Hop! Hop! What is it? It is a rabbit.

Hop, hop, hop, hop! How are you, Rabbit?

Tweet! Tweet! What is it? It is a bird.

Tweet, tweet, tweet, tweet! How are you, Bird?

Quack! Quack! What is it? It is a duckling.

Quack, quack, quack, quack! How are you, Duckling?

Squeak! Squeak! What is it? It is a squirrel.

Squeak, squeak, squeak, squeak! How are you, Squirrel?