

Language Addicts
Greek Vocabulary Builder, Volume. 1 - Family & Friends

Topic 1: Greetings & pleasantries

English	Greek	Pronunciation guide
welcome	Καλωσορίσατε!	kah-loss-or-EES-ah-the
how are you	τι κάνετε;	tee KA-neh-teh
hello / good bye	Γεια σας!	ya sass
good morning	Καλημέρα!	kah-lee-MER-ah ka-LEE thee-ah-ske-tha-see (th as in the)
have fun!	Καλή διασκέδαση!	ka-lee-SPER-ah
good evening	Καλησπέρα!	KAH-the AH-lo
not at all	Κάθε άλλο!	ka-lee-NICH-ta (ch as in loch)
good night	Καληνύχτα!	CHE-ro po-LEE (ch as in loch)
pleased to meet you	Χαίρω πολύ!	ka-LEE ah-DAH-mo-see
see you soon	Καλή αντάμωση!	tha se tho AV-ree-oh
see you tomorrow	Θα σε δω αύριο!	si-STEE-noh
to introduce	συστήνω	fee-LO
to kiss	φιλώ	ef-cha-REES-toss
with pleasure	Ευχαρίστως!	lee-PA-meh
I'm sorry	λυπάμαι	pa-ra-ka-LOH
please	παρακαλώ	

Topic 2: Being polite

do you mind	σας πειράζει	sass pee-RAH-zee
excuse me	συγγνώμη	see-GNO-mee
congratulations	συγχαρητήρια	seen-cha-ree-TEE-ree-ah (ch as in loch)
thank you	ευχαριστώ	ef-char-ees-TOH (ch as in loch)
good luck	καλή τύχη	ka-LEE TEE-chee (ch as in loch)
many happy returns	Χρόνια Πολλά	CHRON-ee-ah po-LA (ch as in loch)
cheers	για μας	ya mass min sten-oh-cho-REE-ess-ah (ch as in loch)
don't worry about it	μην στενοχωριέσαι	
it doesn't matter	δεν πειράζει	then pee-RAH-zee
fine	καλά	ka-LA
ok	εντάξει	en-DAC-see
just a minute	μισό λεπτό	mee-SOH lep-TO
that's very kind of you	πολύ ευγενικό εκ μέρους σας	po-LEE ef-yen-ee-KO ek MER-oo sass
have a nice trip	καλό ταξίδι	ka-LO tac-SEE-thee (th as in the)

Topic 3. Family members

the daughter	η κόρη	ee CHOR-ee (ch as in loch)
the man / the husband	ο άντρας	oh AN-drass
the sister	η αδελφή	ee ah-thel-FEE
the brother	ο αδελφός	oh ah-thel-FOSS
the niece	η ανηψιά	ee ah-nip-see-AH
the nephew	ο ανηψιός	oh ah-nip-see-OSS
the grandmother	η γιαγιά	ee ya-YA
the son	ο γιός	oh yoss oh gron-YOSS (gr somewhere between g and r)
the parent	ο γονιός	
the aunt	η θεία	ee THEE-ah
the uncle	ο θείος	oh THEE-oss
the mother	η μητέρα	mee-TER-ah
the cousin (male)	ο ξάδελφος	oh KSAH-thel-foss (th as in the)
the cousin (female)	η ξάδελφη	ee KSAH-thel-fee (th as in the)
the grandparents	οι παππούδες	ee pa-POO-thez (the as in the)
the grandfather	ο παππούς	oh pa-POOS
the father	ο πατέρας	oh pa-TER-ass
the woman / the wife	η γυναίκα	ee yi-NAY-kah
the grandchild	το εγγόνι	to eh-GO-nee
the grandson	ο εγγονός	oh eh-go-NOSS
the granddaughter	η εγγονή	ee eh-go-NEE

Topic 4: Relationships

the brothers and sisters	τα αδέρφια	ta ah-THEL-fee-ah
the children	τα παιδιά	ta peh-thee-AH
engaged	αρραβωνιασμένος	ah-ra-von-yaz-MEN-oss
the friend / the boyfriend	ο φίλος	oh FEE-loss
the friend / the girlfriend	η φίλη	ee FEE-lee
to live	μένω	MEH-no
married	παντρεμένος	PAN-dreh-meh-noss
single	ελεύθερος	eh-LEF-ther-oss (th as in theatre)
the engagement	ο αρραβώνας	oh ah-rah-VON-ass
the relatives	οι συγγενείς	ee si-gen-EES
the family	η οικογένεια	ee ee-ko-YEN-ee-ah
the kiss	το φιλί	to fi-LEE
to love	αγαπώ	ah-ra-POH
to get married	παντρεύομαι	pan-DREV-oh-meh
to like	μου αρέσει	moo ah-RESS-ee
angry	θυμωμένος	thee-moh-MEN-oss (the as in theatre)
upset	στενοχωρημένος	sten-oh-chor-ee-MEN-oss
to be angry	θυμώνω	thi-MO-no

Topic 5: Appearances

fat	χοντρός	chon-DROSS (ch as in loch)
ugly	άσχημος	AH-schee-moss (ch as in loch)
big	μεγάλος	meh-RAH-loss
olive-skinned	μελαχρινός	meh-lah-chree-NOSS (ch as in loch)
young	νέος	NAY-oss
thin	αδύνατος	ah-THEEN-ah-toss (th as in the)
strong	δυνατός	theen-ah-TOSS (th as in the)
short	κοντός	con-DOSS
small	μικρός	mee-KROSS
blonde	ξανθός	ksan-THOSS (th as in theatre)
curly	σγουρός	sgoo-ROSS
tall	ψηλός	psee-LOSS
beautiful / handsome	ωραίος	oh-RAY-oss
the hair	μαλλιά	ta mah-lee-AH
the eyes	μάτια	ta MAH-tee-ah
the face	πρόσωπο	to PROSS-oh-po
old	παλιός	pa-lee-OSS
the age	ηλικία	ee lih-KEE-ah

Topic 6: Characteristics

serious	σοβαρός	so-va-ROSS
open	ανοιχτός	ah-nich-TOSS (ch as in loch) ef-CHAR-ees-toss (ch as in loch)
pleasant	ευχάριστος	oh cha-rak-TEE-rass (ch as in loch)
the character	χαρακτήρας	cha-ROO-men-oss (ch as in loch)
cheerful	χαρούμενος	
dear	αγαπημένος	ah-rah-pee-MEN-oss
rude	αγενής	ah-yen-EES
silly	ανόητος	ah-NO-ee-toss
funny	αστείος	ah-STEE-oss
polite	ευγενικός	ef-yen-EEK-OSS
kind-hearted	καλόκαρδος	ka-LO-ka-thoss (th as in the)
friendly	φιλικός	fi-lee-KOSS
ambitious	φιλόδοξος	fi-LO-tho-ksoss (th as in the)
hospitable	φιλόξενος	fi-LO-kseh-noss
sensible	φρόνιμος	FRO-nee-moss
mature	ώριμος	OR-ee-moss
the personality	προσωπικότητα	ee proh-sop-ee-KOH-tee-tah oh see-NEE-thee-us (th as in the)
the habits	συνήθειες	
to laugh	γελώ	ye-LO
intelligent	έξυπνος	EH-kseep-noss

Topic 7: People & personal details

the young man	ο νέος	oh NEY-oss
the pensioner (male)	ο συνταξιούχος	oh seen-dac-see-OO-choss (ch like the ch in loch)
the boy	το αγόρι	ah-GOR-ee
the person	το άτομο	to AH-to-mah
the old woman	η γριά	ee gree-AH
the girl	το κορίτσι	to ko-REET-see
the young woman	η νέα	ee NEY-ah
the young people	η νεολαία	ee ney-oh-LEY-ah
the child	το παιδί	to peh-THEE (th as in the)
the old man	ο γέρος	oh YER-oss
the birthday	τα γενέθλια	ta ye-NETH-lee-ah (th as in theatre)
the date of birth	η ημερομηνία γέννησης	ee im-eh-rom-in-EE-ah YEN-ee-sees
Mrs	η κυρία	ee kee-REE-ah
Mr	ο κύριος	oh KEE-ree-os ee thess-pin-EES / ee thess-pin-
Miss	η δεσποινίς / η δεσποινίδα	EE-tha (th as in the)
the name	το όνομα	to OH-no-ma
to be called	ονομάζομαι	oh-no-MAH-zo-meh
the pensioner (female)	η συνταξιούχος	ee seen-dacs-ee-OO-choss (ch as in loch)