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Hello

Flat open hand touches near the forehead, then moves outward in a small salute.



Hi

Open hand up by the shoulder, palm out, with a small side-to-side wave.



Bye

Hand up, palm out, fingers flex open and closed together — a wave goodbye.



Please

Flat open hand on the center of the chest, rubbed in a circular motion.



Sorry

Closed fist on the chest, rubbed in a circular motion, with an apologetic face.



Me / I

Point your index finger to the center of your own chest.



You

Point your index finger straight out toward the person you mean.



Your

Open flat hand, palm out, pushed toward the person (possessive).



He / She / Him / Her

Point toward the person, or the spot in space that stands for them.



His / Hers / Theirs

Open flat palm presented toward the person or their spot in space.



They / Them

Point and sweep the index finger across the group you mean.



What

Both open hands, palms up, shaken slightly with a questioning look.