FINGER PUPPETS RHYME

Age: 4-8

Language focus:

- any vocabulary (in the example: zoo animals)
- Hello. / Bye, bye.
- Where are you? / Here I am.
- How are you? / I'm fine, thank you.

Materials: finger puppets (in the example zoo animals)

Procedure:

- 1. Put on one of the finger puppets and say "Hello, children. I'm (ex. *a parrot*)." and encourage children to say "Hello (ex. *parrot*)".
- 2. Then say or sing the rhyme like this:

"Parrot finger, parrot finger, where are you? Here I am, here I am. How are you?"

and students respond:

"I'm fine, thank you."

- 3. Continue with other animals.
- 4. Then take out finger puppets one by one and say "Bye, bye children." and students respond "Bye, bye, (ex. *a parrot*)."



Teaching tips:

- You can introduce different types of greetings at the beginning (Hello, Hi, Good morning, Good afternoon) and at the end (Bye, Goodbye, See you) of the activity.