

## My Name

In this collaborative project students will explore and work on following issues - Process of Name Giving in the country, region or town - history of this celebration, who and how take part in it, what this process mean for students, for his/her parents and grandparents.

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**Ages:** 7 - 18

**Languages:** Georgian, English, Russian



Students research, find and send information about their own name. Students will answer the questions:

1. What is your name?
- . What does your name mean in your native language and in other languages?
- . Why do you have this name?
- . Who gave you this name?
- . Who was the first person in your family, which has/had the same name?
- . Which famous persons had your name?
- . What is nonofficial version of your name (what is the nickname)?

Write an acrostic with the letters for your first name. Here is an example from a teacher in India:

**S**imple and sincere in duty  
**H**umble in approach  
**O**ptimistic in thought  
**B**rilliant in action  
**H**onest in relations  
**A**rdent and aesthetic in nature.