**Chapter 4**

**Study Guide**

**Reflexive verbs**

These are verbs that describe actions that you do to yourself. They tend to be morning and nighttime routines, as you get ready for the day or end of night.

They must be used with the reflexive pronouns. If these verbs are used to do something to something else or someone else, then they are no longer reflexive.

**Se laver – to wash**

Je me lave Nous nous lavons

Tu te laves Vous vous lavez

Il/elle/on se lave Ils/elles se lavent

Ex.

Elle se lave les mains. = She washes her hands. (reflexive)

Elle lave la voiture. = She washes the car (not reflexive)

**IMPORTANT:**

when talking about your body parts with a reflexive verb, you do not say “my” hands but “the” hands, since you are already usig a reflexive pronoun.