

am/is/are (questions)

Affirmative

I	am
he she it	is
we you they	are

Question

am	I?
is	he? she? it?
are	we? you? they?



What's your name?

David.

Are you married?

No, I'm not.

How old are you?

25.

Are you a student?

Yes, I am.



- ☐ "Am I late?" "No, **you're** on time."
- ☐ "Is **your** mother home?" "No, **she's** out."
- ☐ "Are **your** parents home?" "No, **they're** out."
- ☐ "Is **it** cold in your room?" "Yes, a little bit."
- ☐ **Your shoes** are nice. **Are they** new?

We say:

- ☐ **Is she** home? / **Is your** mother home? (not Is home your mother?)
- ☐ **Are they** new? / **Are your** shoes new? (not Are new your shoes?)

B

Where ... ? / What ... ? / Who ... ? / How ... ? / Why ... ?

- ☐ **Where is** your mother? Is she home?
- ☐ "**Where are** you from?" "Canada."
- ☐ "**What color is** your car?" "It's red."
- ☐ "**How old is** Joe?" "He's 24."
- ☐ "**How are** your parents?" "They're fine."
- ☐ These shoes are nice. **How much are** they?
- ☐ This hotel isn't very good. **Why is** it so expensive?

what's = what is who's = who is how's = how is where's = where is

- ☐ **What's** your phone number? ☐ **Who's** that man?
- ☐ **Where's** Emily? ☐ **How's** your father?

C

Short answers

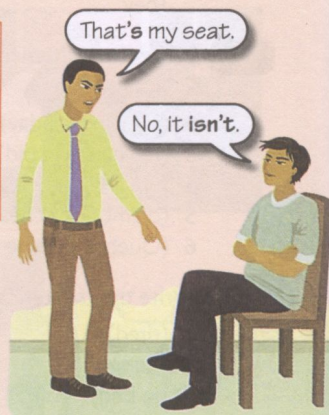
Yes,	I	am.
	he she it	is.
	we you they	are.

No,	I'm	not.
	he's she's it's	
	we're you're they're	

or

No,	he she it	isn't.
	we you they	aren't.

- ☐ "Are you tired?" "Yes, I am."
- ☐ "Are you hungry?" "No, I'm not, but I'm thirsty."
- ☐ "Is your friend Japanese?" "Yes, he is."
- ☐ "Are these your keys?" "Yes, they are."
- ☐ "That's my seat." "No, it isn't."



Exercises

Unit
2

2.1 Find the right answers for the questions.

- 1 Where's the camera?
- 2 Is your car blue?
- 3 Is Nicole from London?
- 4 Am I late?
- 5 Where's Megan from?
- 6 What color is your bag?
- 7 Are you hungry?
- 8 How is Christopher?
- 9 Who's that woman?

- A Toronto.
- B No, I'm not.
- C Yes, you are.
- D My sister.
- E Black.
- F No, it's black.
- G In your bag.
- H No, she's American.
- I Fine.

- 1 G
- 2
- 3
- 4
- 5
- 6
- 7
- 8
- 9

2.2 Make questions with these words.

- 1 (is / home / your mother) Is your mother home ?
- 2 (your parents / are / how) How are your parents ?
- 3 (interesting / is / your job)
- 4 (the stores / are / open today)
- 5 (from / where / you / are)
- 6 (interested in sports / you / are)
- 7 (is / near here / the train station)
- 8 (at school / are / your children)
- 9 (you / are / late / why)

2.3 Complete the questions. Use **What ... / Who ... / Where ... / How ...**.

- 1 How are your children?
- 2 the bus stop?
- 3 your children?
- 4 these oranges?
- 5 your favorite sport?
- 6 the man in this photo?
- 7 your new shoes?

They're fine.
At the end of the block.
Five, six, and ten.
\$1.50 a pound.
Skiing.
That's my father.
Black.

2.4 Write the questions.

- 1 (name ?) What's your name?
- 2 (Australian?)
- 3 (how old?)
- 4 (a teacher?)
- 5 (married?)
- 6 (wife a lawyer?)
- 7 (from?)
- 8 (her name?)
- 9 (how old?)

Eric.
No, I'm Canadian.
I'm 30.
No, I'm a lawyer.
Yes, I am.
No, she's a teacher.
She's from Mexico.
Ana.
She's 27.

2.5 Write short answers (**Yes, I am.** / **No, he isn't.**, etc.).

- 1 Are you married? No, I'm not.
- 2 Are you thirsty?
- 3 Is it cold today?
- 4 Are your hands cold?
- 5 Is it dark now?
- 6 Are you a teacher?