Ask about people’s lives (1)

Present Simple be • yes/no questions

Am I ...
Are you ...
Is he/she/it ...
Are we ...
Are they ...

1 Write one word at the beginning of each question.

a Is he a good driver?
b you cold?
c the visitors in the meeting room?
d it time to start?
e I on the list?
f your daughter interested in science?
g we the winners?

2 Put the words in the correct order to make questions.

a doctor you are a ?
b late train is the ?
c the dry are clothes ?
d printer is the on ?
e the library in are children the ?
f are with you your work happy ?
g you sorry are ?

Are you a doctor?

Are you 

Are you + noun?
a teacher?
a good driver?
a musician?
a gardener?

Are you + adjective?
hungry?
married?
ready to go?
interested in cinema?

Is he/she/it + noun?
a good cook?
an only child?
a student?
a nice place?

Is he/she/it + adjective?
busy?
asleep?
il?
interesting?
Give short answers

Present simple be • short yes/no answers

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1. What answers does Tim give to Bruce?

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<th>Bruce</th>
<th>Tim</th>
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<td>a) That’s my pen!</td>
<td>1. Yes, they are.</td>
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<td>b) These chips are cold!</td>
<td>2. Yes, she is.</td>
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<td>c) Peter’s so funny.</td>
<td>3. No, it isn’t!</td>
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<td>d) Are we late?</td>
<td>4. No, we aren’t.</td>
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<td>e) Are you excited about the party?</td>
<td>5. Yes, he is.</td>
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<td>f) Is she your new girlfriend?</td>
<td>6. No, you aren’t!</td>
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<td>g) I’m ready!</td>
<td>7. Yes, I am.</td>
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2. Internet Quiz

Answer the questions. Find pictures of the underlined words on the internet to help you.

- a) Is Uluru a very large rock? Yes, it is.
- b) Is Rapunzel a girl? Yes, she is.
- c) Is camembert a drink? No, it isn’t!
- d) Are the Monkees a football team? No, you aren’t.
- e) Is the Aintree Grand National a car race? Yes, he is.
- f) Is penicillin a drug? Yes, it is.
- g) Is Baloo a tiger? Yes, she is.
- h) Are sweaters clothes? Yes, I am.
- i) Is Ganon a person in a computer game? No, he isn’t.
- j) Are turacos birds? No, it isn’t.

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3. About You

Write true short answers. Use your dictionary to help.

- a) Is this book about grammar? Yes, it is.
- b) Are you good at Maths? No, he isn’t.
- c) Is it windy today? Yes, he is.
- d) Are you a good tennis player? No, it isn’t.
- e) Is it after midday? Yes, you are.
- f) Is your dad a good cook? Yes, I am.
- g) Are you a football fan? Yes, I am.
- h) Is your teacher in the room? Yes, she is.
- i) Are your books in your bag? Yes, I am.
- j) Is this a noisy room? No, you aren’t.
- k) Is the television on? Yes, they are.
- l) Is your best friend funny? No, you aren’t.

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4. The Tough One

Write true short answers. Use your dictionary to help.

- a) Are you a nail-biter? Yes, I am. / No, I’m not.
- b) Are you a vegetarian? Yes, it is.
- c) Are you left-handed? Yes, he is.
- d) Are you allergic to penicillin? Yes, I am.