

Thursday 21st, May

a) Complete the following dialogue using the questions in the box. There are three extra questions you don't need to use.

What's she doing now?	What do you usually do?	Would you like to have lunch with me?	How's Mara?
Do you want to have lunch?	What are you doing today?	Is she having breakfast now?	What does she usually do after breakfast?

*Two volunteers are talking about Mara, the elephant that has just arrived at a sanctuary for elephants in Brazil*

**José:** Hello, Ana! How are you? \_\_\_\_\_?

**Ana:** I'm fine, thanks. Mara's excellent!

**José:** Great! \_\_\_\_\_?

**Ana:** She's eating her breakfast at the moment.

**José:** \_\_\_\_\_?

**Ana:** She usually plays with the other elephants or sleeps after breakfast.

**José:** That's good for her. I heard she had a very sad past in Argentina. She worked in a circus and then she was at a zoo

**Ana:** Yes, that's very sad.

**José:** \_\_\_\_\_?

**Ana:** I'm checking the elephants are okay and then I'm having lunch.

**José:** \_\_\_\_\_?

**Ana:** Sounds cool! Yes, I'd love to have lunch with you!

**b) Choose the correct form of the verb to complete the following text:**

***Elephant Mara's new life in Brazil***

After so many years living in a little space in a zoo in Buenos Aires, elephant Mara is finally free in a sanctuary in Brazil. Poor Mara, after having a very sad life working in a circus and living in a zoo, she is finally happy in a safe place and in the company of other elephants.

Every day, Mara \_\_\_\_\_ very early in the morning. She always \_\_\_\_\_ a bath in a lake in the sanctuary and then she \_\_\_\_\_ breakfast. She usually \_\_\_\_\_ plants and leaves.

During the afternoons, she \_\_\_\_\_ around the sanctuary. Sometimes, she \_\_\_\_\_ with other elephants. Mara has made new friends, but she is really close to elephant "Lady", and the two \_\_\_\_\_ always together.

The volunteers often \_\_\_\_\_ to reassure Mara that they are taking care of her. Mara still is still in the process of adjusting to this new life in a sanctuary.

Many people \_\_\_\_\_ very happy to see Mara finally free. When she was taken out the Ecoparque of the City of Buenos Aires, neighbours and protectionists (people who protect animals) were there to say good bye to Mara and wish her a happy life.

Now you can \_\_\_\_\_ videos and pictures of Mara at the sanctuary at <https://globalelephants.org/>