



# TO BE

Affirmative – Negative – Interrogative

**Exercise 1** : Fill in the blanks with the verb 'to be' in the affirmative, negative and interrogative form.



| Affirmative |             | Negative        |                 |
|-------------|-------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| Full form   | Short form  | Full form       | Short form      |
| I <u>AM</u> | I <u>'M</u> | I <u>AM NOT</u> | I <u>'M NOT</u> |
| You _____   | You _____   | You _____       | You _____       |
| He _____    | He _____    | He _____        | He _____        |
| She _____   | She _____   | She _____       | She _____       |
| It _____    | It _____    | It _____        | It _____        |
| We _____    | We _____    | We _____        | We _____        |
| They _____  | They _____  | They _____      | They _____      |

## Questions and answers

|        |             |                                         |
|--------|-------------|-----------------------------------------|
| (I)    | <u>am I</u> | ? Yes, <u>I am</u> / No, <u>I'm not</u> |
| (You)  | _____       | ? Yes, _____ / No, _____                |
| (He)   | _____       | ? Yes, _____ / No, _____                |
| (She)  | _____       | ? Yes, _____ / No, _____                |
| (It)   | _____       | ? Yes, _____ / No, _____                |
| (We)   | _____       | ? Yes, _____ / No, _____                |
| (You)  | _____       | ? Yes, _____ / No, _____                |
| (They) | _____       | ? Yes, _____ / No, _____                |



**Exercise 2 :** Complete the sentences with the verb 'to be' in the interrogative form and answer the questions with YES and NO.

1. Am I an English teacher? Yes, I am / No, I'm not
2. \_\_\_\_\_ you brothers? Yes, \_\_\_\_\_ / No, \_\_\_\_\_
3. \_\_\_\_\_ Laura happy? Yes, \_\_\_\_\_ / No, \_\_\_\_\_
4. \_\_\_\_\_ we a family? Yes, \_\_\_\_\_ / No, \_\_\_\_\_
5. \_\_\_\_\_ Mike your brother? Yes, \_\_\_\_\_ / No, \_\_\_\_\_
6. \_\_\_\_\_ it a cat? Yes, \_\_\_\_\_ / No, \_\_\_\_\_
7. \_\_\_\_\_ they my parents? Yes, \_\_\_\_\_ / No, \_\_\_\_\_
8. \_\_\_\_\_ Paul a good doctor? Yes, \_\_\_\_\_ / No, \_\_\_\_\_
9. \_\_\_\_\_ I in the class? Yes, \_\_\_\_\_ / No, \_\_\_\_\_
10. \_\_\_\_\_ she my aunt? Yes, \_\_\_\_\_ / No, \_\_\_\_\_

**Exercise 3 :** Write the questions corresponding to these answers.

1. Are you siblings?  
Yes, we are siblings.
2. \_\_\_\_\_?  
Yes, John is my father.
3. \_\_\_\_\_?  
No, they are not in the park.
4. \_\_\_\_\_?  
Yes, Sylvia is my grandmother.
5. \_\_\_\_\_?  
No, it isn't my cat.