

QUESTION TAGS

Question tags are short questions that can follow sentences, especially in **spoken** English.

We make question tags with **auxiliary verbs** (have, be, can) + **pronoun** (I, you..).

We use question tags to ask if something is true, or to ask people to agree with us.

Positive Sentence

Negative question tag

He is a boy, isn't he ?
They can fly, can't they ?
We have got a problem, haven't we?
Tom was so nice, wasn't he?
You were late, weren't you?
Peter is singing, isn't he ?
She was playing, wasn't she ?
They will buy a horse, won't they ?
He would like to dance, wouldn't he?
They could come alone, couldn't they?
You learn English, don't you ?
Peter writes you, doesn't he ?
They visited him, didn't they ?
He went alone, didn't he ?

Negative Sentence

Positive question tag

He isn't a boy, is he ?
They can't fly, can they ?
We haven't got a problem, have we?
Tom wasn't so nice, was he ?
You weren't late, were you ?
Peter isn't singing, is he ?
She wasn't playing, was she ?
They won't buy a horse, will they ?
He wouldn't like to dance, would he ?
They couldn't come alone, could they ?
You don't learn English, do you ?
Peter doesn't write you, does he ?
They didn't visit him, did they ?
He didn't go alone, did he ?

REMEMBER !

I am late, aren't I ?

A) Add question tags to the following sentences:

1. You are going to clean my bedroom for me, _____ ?
2. I met you yesterday, _____ ?
3. I left the wallet there, _____ ?
4. It sounds very exciting, _____ ?
5. I love this town, _____ ?

6. Her mother lives in Manchester, _____?

7. I sent you roses yesterday, _____?

8. That is the stolen bracelet, _____?

9. He'll never forget that day, _____?

10. This film is about a man who loses his memory, _____?

11. I am a very clever student, _____?

12. She is a very good tennis player, _____?

13. You weren't at the party yesterday, _____?

14. I didn't promise you anything, _____?

15. Donald didn't forget your birthday, _____?

16. I don't need your help, _____?

17. They are playing chess, _____?

18. Andy can't speak Italian, _____?

19. Brian is American, _____?

20. You don't know Betty, _____?

21. It's an exciting job, _____?

22. He won't send me a postcard, _____?

23. We are in front of his house, _____?

24. Lola lost her glasses yesterday, _____?

25. You've got a polaroid camera, _____?

26. I'm late, _____?

27. Bob's absent, _____?

28. George doesn't drink tea, _____?

29. We're happy, _____?

30. He comes from Italy, _____?

31. You like playing the piano, _____?

32. Mary lived in Washington, _____?

33. He'll be five in three days, _____?

34. You won't do that, _____?

35. People often tell lies, _____?