

Name and course:

The verb

TO BE

affirmative/negative

Simple

Present

Affirmative

Negative

Long form	Short form	Long form	Short form
I am	I'm	I am not	I'm not
you are	you're	you are not	you aren't
he is	he's	he is not	he isn't
she is	she's	she is not	she isn't
it is	it's	it is not	it isn't
we are	we're	we are not	we aren't
you are	you're	you are not	you aren't
they are	they're	they are not	they aren't

A.) Choose the correct long form of "to be" (am, is, are):

- I am happy today.
- Alice and Susi are my cats.
- We are at school.
- She is in Year Five.
- The girls are in the park.
- They are from Italy.
- The cat is in the school bag.
- My name is Linda.
- Angela is a nice girl.
- Liz is eleven years old and I am ten.
- The bike is blue and green.
- My brothers are always nice to me.
- Her dog is very small.
- You are my friend.
- We are in London.
- Mary is beautiful.



B.) Change the sentences into negative using the long form:

- Jane is a teacher.
Jane is not a teacher.
- They are from Spain.

- I am sad.

- You are right.

- It is his book.

- My mother is at work.

- Mike and Brian are brothers.

- Kate is tired.

- John is her cousin.

- We are in the classroom.



C.) Rewrite the following negative sentences using the short form:

- I am not a painter.
I'm not a painter.
- You are not late.

- Ann and Betty are not friends.

- The parrot is not in the cage.

- Alan is not German.

- My mobile phone is not new.

- We are not twins.

- Mr. Jakes is not an English teacher.

- Lily is not at home.

- I am not twelve.



D.) Write down the words in the correct order:

- Paris/we/from/not/are/.

- late/the train/is/.

- hungry/not /they/are/.

- is/nice/Mrs. Miller/.

- eight/are/you/not/.

- school/are/the pupils/at /.

- a doctor/not/Bill/is/.

- black/are/his/cats/.



Good luck !

