

# The Verb 'to be' (Present Tense)

## Affirmative

I	am	cold.
He She It	is	
You We They	are	

Fill in the gaps using the correct form of the verb 'to be'.

1. I \_\_\_\_\_ hungry.
2. She \_\_\_\_\_ playing football.
3. You \_\_\_\_\_ in the classroom.
4. He \_\_\_\_\_ writing.
5. They \_\_\_\_\_ reading.
6. We \_\_\_\_\_ playing a game.
7. It \_\_\_\_\_ a sunny day.



## Affirmative Contractions

I	'm	cold.
He She It	's	
You We They	're	

Fill in the gaps using the correct form of the verb 'to be'.

1. He \_\_\_\_\_ walking to school.
2. She \_\_\_\_\_ playing football.
3. They \_\_\_\_\_ in the hall.
4. It \_\_\_\_\_ raining.
5. You \_\_\_\_\_ at school.
6. We \_\_\_\_\_ in the library.
7. I \_\_\_\_\_ on the phone.



## Negative

I	am not	cold.
He She It	is not	
You We They	are not	

Fill in the gaps using the correct form of the verb 'to be'.

1. She \_\_\_\_\_ hungry.
2. You \_\_\_\_\_ playing football.
3. They \_\_\_\_\_ in the classroom.
4. It \_\_\_\_\_ a sunny day.
5. We \_\_\_\_\_ reading.
6. He \_\_\_\_\_ playing a game.
7. I \_\_\_\_\_ hungry.



## Negative Contractions

I	'm not	cold.
He She It	isn't	
You We They	aren't	

Fill in the gaps using the correct form of the verb 'to be'.

1. They \_\_\_\_\_ walking to school.
2. He \_\_\_\_\_ playing football.
3. We \_\_\_\_\_ in the hall.
4. You \_\_\_\_\_ at school.
5. It \_\_\_\_\_ raining.
6. We \_\_\_\_\_ in the library.
7. I \_\_\_\_\_ on the phone.



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### Singular

I	am/am not	cold.
He She It	is/is not	
You	are/are not	

Replace the **pronouns** with proper nouns.

\_\_\_\_\_ is on the playground.

\_\_\_\_\_ is not in the library.

### Plural

We They	are/are not	in the classroom.
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Replace the **plural pronouns** with proper nouns.

\_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ are on the playground.

\_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ are not in the library.

Now write your own sentences using different forms of the verb 'to be'.

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