be: he/she/it

positive and negative			
+	He She	's is	a doctor. from Germany.
	It		in South Africa.
–	He/She/It	isn't is not	right.

He's, she's, it's = he is, she is, it is.
He isn't, she isn't, it isn't = he is not, she is not, it is not.
Use contractions (*he's, she's*, etc.) in speaking and informal writing.

questions				
?	Where	is	he/she/it	from?
		Is		in Mexico?

short answers		
Yes,	he/she/it	is.
No,		isn't.

Use *be* + subject (*he/she/it*) for questions.

She's a student. *Is she a student?*

Use short answers to *yes/no* questions: *Is she from Spain? Yes, she is.*
Don't use contractions in positive short answers: *Yes, it is.* NOT ~~*Yes, it's.*~~
Use *be* + *a/an* to talk about jobs: *I'm a nurse. He's an actor.*

A **Complete the answers.**

1 Where's Saint Petersburg?
It / Russia. *It's in Russia.*
2 Where's Tripoli?
It / Libya. _____
3 Where's Shakira from?
She / Colombia. _____
4 Is Angela Merkel from Germany?
Yes, / she. _____
5 Is Toyota from China?
No, / it. / It / Japan. _____
6 Where's Hagia Sophia?
It / Turkey. _____
7 Is Emma Watson from the USA?
No, / she. / She / the UK. _____
8 Is Buenos Aires in Brazil?
No, / it. / It / Argentina. _____

B **Complete the questions.**

1 *Where's* Frank?
He's in New York.
2 _____ Maria _____?
She's from Spain.
3 _____ Melbourne _____ the USA?
No, it isn't. It's in Australia.
4 _____ Liverpool?
It's in the UK.
5 _____ waiter?
No, he's a customer.
6 _____ teacher?
No, she's a student.
7 _____ from Germany?
Yes, it is.
8 _____ Magda?
She's in Warsaw.