

GRAMMAR

PRESENT SIMPLE: BE

1 Put the words in the correct order to make sentences.

1 A: Yasmin / your / is / name

Is your name Yasmin _____?

B: no, / isn't / it. / Anna / name / 's / my

_____.

2 A: Sofia / are / you

_____?

B: David / I / am. / yes, / this / and / is

_____.

3 A: are / a / student / you

_____?

B: I'm / no, / not. / teacher / I'm / a

is / teacher, / a / too / David

_____.

4 A: you, / Sofia and David / to / nice / meet

_____.

B: nice / you, / meet / to / too

_____.

2 Complete the conversations with the correct form of *be*.

Conversation 1

Ben: Hello. How are you?

Ed: Er ... hello.

Ben: Sorry, ¹are you Mr and Mrs Rutter?

Ed: No, we ² _____. They ³ _____. Mr and Mrs Rutter.

Ben: Oh, sorry.

Conversation 2

Ben: Excuse me. ⁴ _____. you Jerry Rutter?

Jerry: Yes.

Ben: I ⁵ _____. Ben Pastor.

Jerry: Oh, hello. Nice to meet you, Ben. This ⁶ _____. my wife, Sally.

Sally: Hi.

Ben: Sorry. ⁷ _____. your name Sandy?

Sally: No, it ⁸ _____. It's Sally.

Ben: Nice to meet you, Sally.

3 Write questions and answers using the prompts.

1 A: you / American? Are you American?

B: no / I / Canadian No, I'm not. I'm Canadian.

2 A: he / a student?

B: no / he / a teacher _____.

3 A: we / late?

B: no / you / early _____.

4 A: they / from India?

B: no / they / China _____.