

## Grammar “To be: present simple”

AFFIRMATIVE		
Full form	Contracted form	Translate into Spanish
I am	I'm	
You are	You're	
He is	He's	
She is	She's	
It is	It's	
We are	We're	
You are	You're	
They are	They're	

### 1 Circle the correct words.

They are/ is from the Spain.

Castro Urdiales is/ are in the Cantabria.

We am / are Spanish.

She is/ are from Spain.

I am / is French.

He 'm / 's Canadian.

You are / is from the UK.

It 'm / 's my dog.

We 'm / 're brothers.

They 's / 're from Japan.

You 'm / 're my friend.

NEGATIVE		
Full form	Contracted form	Translate into Spanish
I am not	I'm not	
You are not	You aren't	
He is not	He isn't	
She is not	She isn't	
It is not	It isn't	
We are not	We aren't	
You are not	You aren't	
They are not	They aren't	

### 2 Complete the sentences with the affirmative or negative form of be.

X I \_\_\_\_\_ from England.

X I \_\_\_\_\_ 15.

X My friends \_\_\_\_\_ Spanish.

✓ We \_\_\_\_\_ good friends.

✓ Toby \_\_\_\_\_ my dog.

QUESTIONS AND SHORT ANSWERS		
Questions	Short answers	Translate into Spanish
Am I?	Yes, I am/No, I'm not	
Are You?	Yes, You are/ No, You aren't	
Is He?	Yes He is/ No, He isn't	
Is She?	Yes, She is/ No, She isn't	
Is It?	Yes, It is/ No, It isn't	
Are We?	Yes, we are/ No, We aren't	
Are You?	Yes, You are/ No, You aren't	
Are They?	Yes, They are/ No, They aren't	

### 3 Complete answers a-d with Yes or No. Then match the questions with the answers.

Ex: Are you French? Yes, I am. I'm from France.

1 Is it a pencil?

2 Are they from the USA?

3 Is Sara Spanish?

4 Are we in Class 2?

a) \_\_\_\_\_, we aren't. We're in Class 1.

b) \_\_\_\_\_, they are. They're American.

c) \_\_\_\_\_, it isn't. It's a pen.

d) \_\_\_\_\_, she isn't. She's Colombian.

### 4 Complete the questions with the following words: Am Are Are Is Is

\_\_\_\_\_ you Spanish?

\_\_\_\_\_ your mum from Portugal?

\_\_\_\_\_ they your parents?

\_\_\_\_\_ I a student?

\_\_\_\_\_ she your sister?

### 5 Read the questions and circle the correct short answers.

Are you French? ✓ Yes, I am. / No, I'm not.

Are your friends from China? ✗ Yes, they are. / No, they aren't.

Are they English? ✗ Yes, they are. / No, they aren't.

Is he from South Africa? ✓ Yes, he is. / No, he isn't.

Is this cat your pet? ✗ Yes, it is. / No, it isn't.

Are we in your class? ✓ Yes, you are. / No, you aren't.

### 6 Translate into English:

Yo soy un chico. \_\_\_\_\_

Tú eres una chica. \_\_\_\_\_

Ella no es una chica. \_\_\_\_\_

Él es un chico. \_\_\_\_\_

Eso es un perro. \_\_\_\_\_

Nosotros no somos chicos. \_\_\_\_\_

¿Sois vosotros chicas? \_\_\_\_\_

¿Son ellos chicos? \_\_\_\_\_

**7 Change the underlined name to the correct pronoun: I,you,he,she it,we,you,they.**

Mary is a girl. \_\_\_\_\_  
John isn't a student. \_\_\_\_\_  
Toby is my dog. \_\_\_\_\_  
Peter and Eve aren't my friends. \_\_\_\_\_  
Castro is my city. \_\_\_\_\_  
Ann is my friend. \_\_\_\_\_  
Bruce isn't a student. \_\_\_\_\_

**8 Write the following sentences in negativa and interrogative:**

ej: John is a boy. \_\_\_ John isn't a boy / Is John a boy?

I am a student. \_\_\_\_\_  
She is my friend. \_\_\_\_\_  
They are boys. \_\_\_\_\_  
It is my cat. \_\_\_\_\_  
We are girls. \_\_\_\_\_  
You are my teacher. \_\_\_\_\_  
He is my brother. \_\_\_\_\_

**9 Complete with the verb to be: is/ am/ are.**

We \_\_\_\_\_ friends. He \_\_\_\_\_ my brother. They \_\_\_\_\_ Mary and Peter. It  
\_\_\_\_\_ my brown dog. You \_\_\_\_\_ a boy and she \_\_\_\_\_ a girl. Mary \_\_\_\_\_ a  
student. He \_\_\_\_\_ Spanish and I \_\_\_\_\_ English. My brother \_\_\_\_\_ John. My  
name \_\_\_\_\_ Robert. I \_\_\_\_\_ a student. I \_\_\_\_\_ Italian. Alice \_\_\_\_\_ not German.  
She \_\_\_\_\_ French. Mr. Blake \_\_\_\_\_ my teacher. He \_\_\_\_\_ not French.

**10 Write He's, She's, or it's.**

Mr. Blake isn't a student. \_\_\_\_\_ a teacher.  
This isn't my umbrella. \_\_\_\_\_ your umbrella.  
Alice isn't a teacher. \_\_\_\_\_ a student.  
Mr. Ford isn't English. \_\_\_\_\_ American.  
Stella isn't German. \_\_\_\_\_ Italian.  
This isn't a German car. \_\_\_\_\_ an Italian car.