1A GRAMMAR verb *be: I* and *you*

a Complete the conversation with *I* or *you*.

Miranda Hi, [1]I'm Miranda. Are [2]_____ Mei Ling?
Mei Ling Yes, [3]_____ am.
Miranda Nice to meet [4]_____.
Mei Ling Nice to meet [5]_____!

c Complete the conversation. Use contractions where possible.

A Where [1]_____ Thalía [2]_____? Is [3]_____ from the United States?
B No, she [4]_____.
A [5]_____ she from Mexico?
B Yes, she [6]_____.
A Where in Mexico? [7]_____ she from Guadalajara?
A No, she [8]_____. She [9]_____ from Mexico City.

Complete with the correct form of *BE*

Write the questions in order

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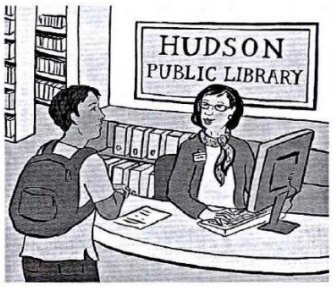
Woman [4]_____?
(your / first / what's / name)
Boy Henry.
Woman OK. [5]_____?
(last / what's / name / your)
Boy Schultz.
Woman [6]_____?
(spell / do / how / it / you)
Boy S-C-H-U-L-T-Z.
Woman Oh, yes. [7]_____?
(you / old / are / how)
Boy I'm 18.
Woman OK. That's fine.



b Look at the pictures. Write questions and answers.

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1 *What are they? They're pens.*

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2 *What is it? It's a piece of paper.*

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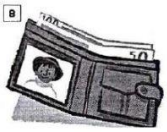
8 

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Complete the conversation with *THIS-THAT-THESE-THOSE*

Woman Excuse me. Is [8]_____ the bus to Toronto?

Driver No, ma'am. [9]_____ is the bus to Boston.

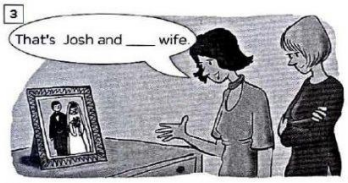
Woman Oh, no! Where's the bus to Toronto?

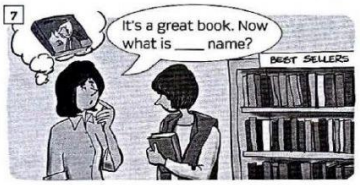
Driver [10]_____ is the bus to Toronto over there – number 41. Are [11]_____ your bags?

Woman Yes, they are.

Driver Here, let me help you.

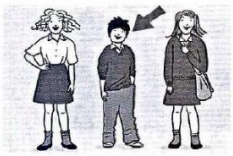
a Look at the pictures. Complete the sentences with *my, your, his, her, its, our* or *their*.





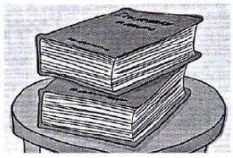
a Write sentences for the pictures. Use an adjective from the list.

big cheap long old slow ~~short~~

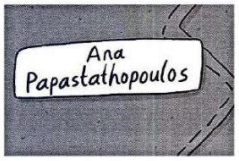


1 The boy *is short.*

2 The chair _____.

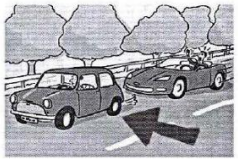


3 The books _____.



4 Ana's last name _____.

5 The watches _____.



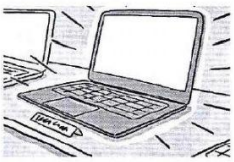
6 The car _____.

b Complete the sentences for the pictures. Use an adjective from the list and a noun.

small expensive tall new fast ~~good-looking~~

1 He's a good-looking man.

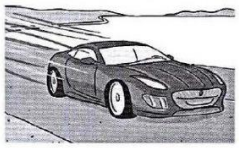
2 They _____.



3 It _____.

4 They _____.

5 They _____.



6 It _____.

a Complete the conversations with *do* or *don't*.

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A [1]*Do* you speak Arabic?
B No, I [2]_____, but I speak Spanish.
A Oh, [3]_____ you read in Spanish, too?
B Yes, I [4]_____. I read magazines in Spanish.

b Complete the conversations with the right form of the verb in parentheses.

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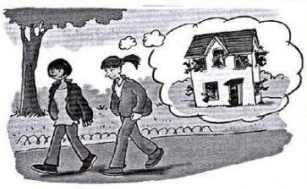
A [1]*Do* you *have* a big family? (have)
B Yes, I [2]*do*. I [3]_____ six brothers and sisters. (have)
A [4]_____ you _____ in a big house? (live)
B No, I [5]_____. Our house is very small.



Look at the pictures. Write about Tyler.

1 *He lives* in an apartment.
2 *He doesn't drink* coffee in the morning.
3 _____ in a computer store.
4 _____ salad for lunch.
5 _____ Portuguese after work.
6 _____ the newspaper in the morning.
7 _____ TV in the evening.
8 _____ an expensive car.

a Put the words in order to make questions.

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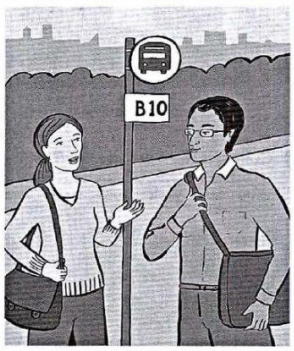
Woman [4]_____?
(always take / do / the number 10 bus / you)
Man Yes, I do.
Woman [5]_____?
(you / where / work / do)
Man I work at the art museum.
Woman [6]_____?
(tour guide / you / are / a)
Man Yes, I am.
Woman [7]_____?
(like / your / do / job / you)
Man Yes, I do. It's great.
Woman [8]_____?
(work / you / what time / do / finish)
Man I usually finish at five o'clock.