17 — Who – What

🎧 61 Listen and repeat. Act out.

What are you doing?

I'm writing a letter.

Who is it for?
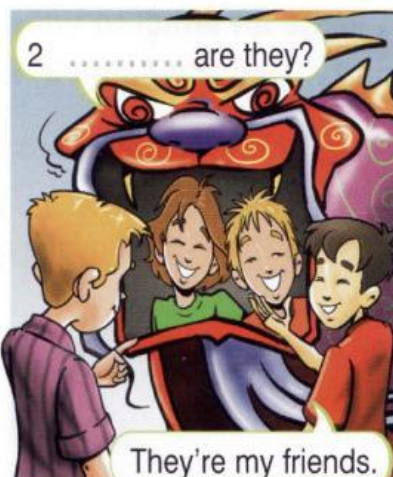
My baby brother.

But he can't read!

That's OK. I can't write!

Who – What

We use **who** for people. We use **what** for things and animals.

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1 Fill in: who or what.

1 **What** is that?
It's a dragon.

2 .... are they?
They're my friends.

3 .... is that?
It's a bear. Run!

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2 **Read and circle.**

1 "**What** / **Who** is that?" "It's a mouse."
2 "**Who** / **What** is she?" "This is Mary."
3 "**Who** / **What** is this?" "It's a doll."
4 "**What** / **Who** are they?" "My brothers."

5 "**What** / **Who** are those?" "They are monkeys."
6 "**Who** / **What** are you?" "I'm Charlie."
7 "**Who** / **What** is that?" "It's my new bike."
8 "**What** / **Who** is he?" "My English teacher."

3 **Fill in:** *who* or *what.*

1 *What* are those?

They're penguins.

2 .... is she?

She's Sarah.

3 .... are they?

They're Tom and Kim.

4 .... is that?

It's a hat.

5 .... is this?

It's a robot.

6 .... is he?

He's my father.
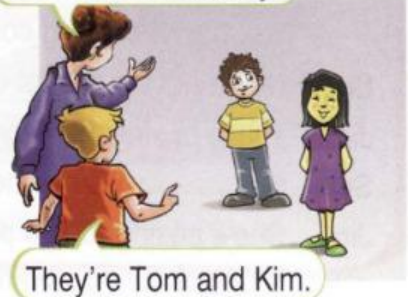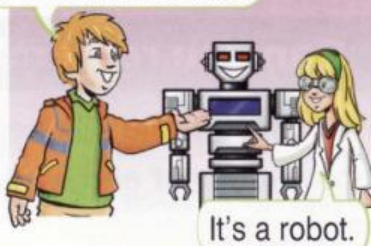
4 **Match.**

1 F Who is she?
2 ☐ What is this?
3 ☐ What are those?
4 ☐ Who are they?
5 ☐ What is he doing?
6 ☐ Who are they talking to?

A It is a book.
B He is sleeping.
C They are John and Mary.
D Their friend, Frank.
E They are fish.
F She is Ann.

5 **Write the questions to the answers. Use** *who* **or** *what.*

1 *What is it?*
It's a dolphin.

2 ....
Miss Ross is my favourite teacher.

3 ....
I usually eat eggs for breakfast.

4 ....
The people in the photo are my friends.

5 ....
The boy in the blue T-shirt is John.

6 ....
My brother's name is Pedro.

6 (62) Fill in: *who* or *what*. Listen and check.

Sue: 1) .... are you looking at, Jim?

Jim: A photo from my friend's costume party.

Sue: 2) .... are you wearing?

Jim: A tiger costume.

Sue: It's funny! And 3) .... is this behind you?

Jim: 4) .... are you talking about?
The boy in the dog costume?

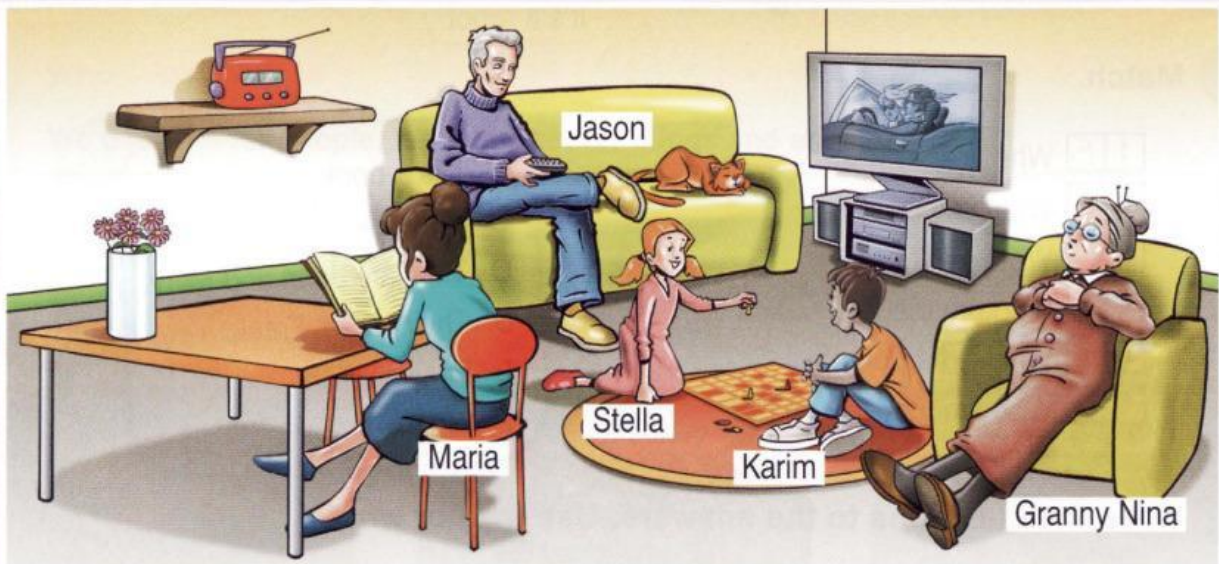Sue: No, the girl in the cat costume.

Jim: That's my friend, Mary.

Sue: 5) .... is she doing?

Jim: She's posing for the photo!

GAME

Can you remember?

Look at the picture for one minute. Close your book and in pairs ask and answer questions with *what* and *who*.

Jason

Maria

Stella

Karim

Granny Nina

Who is watching TV?

She's sleeping.

Jason is watching TV. What is Granny Nina doing?

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