

1A GRAMMAR question formation

a Complete the questions.



1 A I don't like her dress.
B What don't you like about it?
A The style. I think it's awful.
B It must have cost a fortune though.
A Yes. Who paid for it?
B Her grandparents paid for it. It was a wedding present.

2 A Do you know who is over there?
B That woman there? I think she's Claire's cousin.
A Her hairstyle is very old-fashioned!

3 A Where are they on their honeymoon?
B On an African safari, I think.
A How long are they going?
B Three weeks!

4 A Who came with Tony?
B Nobody. He came on his own. His girlfriend left him last month.
A Why did she him?
B I think she met someone else.

5 A Has she had the wedding cake yet?
B Yes, I have. It looks fantastic! Do you know who made it?
A Matt's aunt. Apparently, that's the second cake she made.
B Oh, really? Is it to the first one?
A She dropped it!
B Oh, no! What a shame!

b Change the direct questions to indirect questions.

1 'What's the wi-fi password?'
2 'Is it going to rain this afternoon?'
3 'Has Thomas arrived yet?'
4 'How much will it cost to repair the roof?'
5 'Do I have to pay to park here?'
6 'Why did you leave your last job?'
7 'What time does the library close?'
8 'Did Susan's flight take off on time?'

'Do you remember what the wi-fi password is?'
'Do you think it's going to rain this afternoon?'
'Do you know when Thomas arrived?'
'Can you tell me when the library closes?'
'Could you tell me why you left your last job?'
'Would you mind telling me when Susan's flight took off?'
'Do you know whether the roof will cost a lot to repair?'
'Do you have any idea when the car will be ready?'

ACTIVATION

Work with a partner. Write two direct and two indirect questions to find out something you don't know about your partner. Ask for more information.