1.4 Grammar

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?	Do you go to West Green High?	Yes, I do./No, I don't.
	Does he work in London?	Yes, he does./No, he doesn't.
	Do they live in Paris?	Yes, they do./No, they don't.
	Where do you come from?	I come from Paris.
	What instrument does he play?	He plays the violin.
	How often does she see him?	She sees him every day.

Time expressions (*once/twice/three times a week/month*) go at the end of a sentence.

1 ● Write the questions.

1 Q: Where *does he live*?
A: He lives in London.
2 Q: When _____ school?
A: I start school at 9.30.
3 Q: What _____ in the evenings?
A: They do homework in the evenings.
4 Q: What _____ reading?
A: My sister likes reading poems.
5 Q: How often _____ dance lessons?
A: We go to dance lessons twice a week.
6 Q: What time _____ finish?
A: The film finishes at 7.30.

2 ● Make questions from the prompts.

1 you / like / modern art / ?
Do you like modern art?
2 your sister / speak / French / ?
_____
3 Mr Jacobs / live / in a big house / ?
_____
4 Jack / play / an instrument / ?
_____
5 your dad / work / in the city / ?
_____
6 your classmates / listen to / rap music / ?
_____

3 ● Complete the short answers to the questions in Exercise 2.

1 Yes, *I do*.
2 No, _____.
3 Yes, _____.
4 No, _____.
5 Yes, _____.
6 No, _____.

4 ●● Complete the dialogue with one word in each gap.

A: [1]*Do* your parents work?
B: Yes, [2]_____ do. My mum and my dad both work.
A: [3]_____ your mum work every day?
B: Yes, she [4]_____. She's a teacher.
A: [5]_____ she teach at your school?
B: No, she [6]_____. I'd hate that!
A: [7]_____ does she teach?
B: She teaches at Garfield High School.
A: Which school [8]_____ you go to?
B: I go to Minchester Academy.
A: [9]_____ you like it there?
B: Yes, I [10]_____. It's a great school.
A: [11]_____ do you do in your free time?
B: I play football and I listen to music.
A: [12]_____ often do you play football?
B: About [13]_____ or twice a week.
A: And [14]_____ you play an instrument?
B: Yes, I [15]_____. I play the guitar.

5 ●●● Complete the email with the Present Simple form of the words in brackets.

Hi Jenna,

I'm really glad you're my online English friend. Please write and tell me something about yourself! Where [1]*do you live* (live)? [2]_____ (have) any brothers and sisters? [3]_____ (they/go) to school too or [4]_____ (work)? [5]_____ (you/listen to) music? What type of music [6]_____ (like)? What magazines [7]_____ (usually read)? [8]_____ (often go) to other countries on holiday? What are your favourite subjects at school? And [9]_____ (speak) my language? Sorry to ask so many questions. I'm really interested!

Best wishes,
Lucia

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