

# Present simple questions

Does Polly like going to the cinema?

Yes, she does.  
She goes every week!

## Language focus

Use **simple present** questions to ask people about habits and routines.

Yes/No questions are formed with **be** or **do**:

**Are** you from Izmir?

Yes, I am.

No, I'm not.

**Are** we / they from Istanbul?

Yes, we / they are.

No, we / they aren't.

**Is** he / she from Bursa?

Yes, he / she is.

No, he / she isn't.

**Do** you / we / they like playing the guitar?

Yes, I / we / they do.

No, I / we / they don't.

**Does** he / she love watching films?

Yes, he / she does.

No, he / she doesn't.

'Wh' questions are formed by putting **where, what, why**, etc., before **be** or **do**:

**What** is your favourite type of music?

1 Complete the questions with either **do / does** or the correct form of **be**.

Hi, Liam

We're doing a project in school about people's lives. I've got some questions for you. Please send me your answers soon!

a **Do** you do any sports?

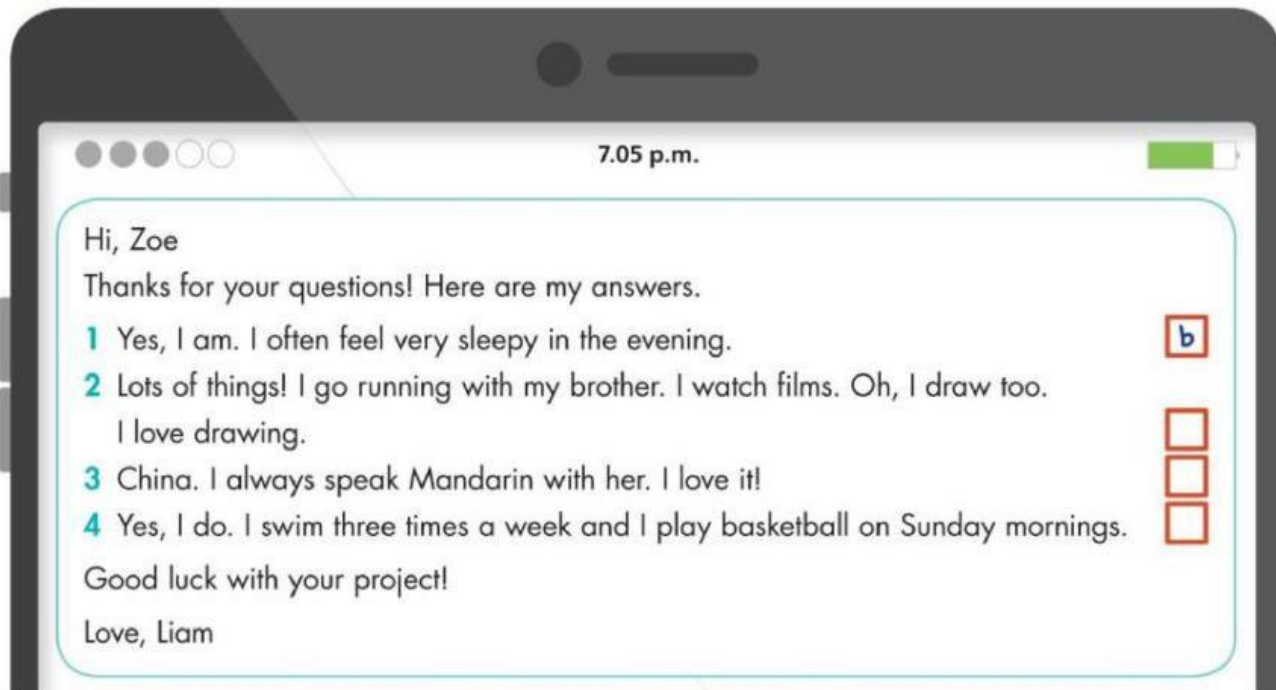
b you often tired after school?

c What you like doing at the weekend?

d Where your mother from?

Love, Zoe

**2** Match the questions from Activity 1 with the answers below.



**3** Complete the dialogue with the words from the box.

does ~~what~~ don't who live Yes

<input type="radio"/>	<b>Mehmet</b>	(1) <u>What</u>	does your brother do, Nick?
<input type="radio"/>	<b>Nick</b>		He's a journalist.
<input type="radio"/>	<b>Mehmet</b>		Really? Is it an exciting job?
<input type="radio"/>	<b>Nick</b>	I (2) _____	know. I think he likes it.
<input type="radio"/>	<b>Mehmet</b>	(3) _____	does he work for?
<input type="radio"/>	<b>Nick</b>		He writes for the <i>El País</i> newspaper. In Spain.
<input type="radio"/>	<b>Mehmet</b>	What (4) _____	he write about?
<input type="radio"/>	<b>Nick</b>		He interviews famous people – actors, singers.
<input type="radio"/>	<b>Mehmet</b>	Does he (5) _____	in Madrid?
<input type="radio"/>	<b>Nick</b>	(6) _____	, he does. In a place called La Latina.

# Past simple questions



## Language focus

Use **past simple questions** to ask what people did at a specific time in the past.

Yes/No questions are formed with **was / were** or **did**:

**Were** you at the park yesterday?      Yes, I was.      No, I wasn't.

**Was** he / she in the cinema?      Yes, he / she was.      No, he / she wasn't.

The question form with **did** is the same for every person, i.e. **I, he, she, they**:

**Did** you / he / she / we / they go surfing?

'Wh' questions are formed by putting **Where, What, Why**, etc., before **was / were** and **did**:

**Where** were you on Saturday?      **Where** did you go on holiday?

## 1 Complete the questions and answers about a holiday in Italy.

1 **Were** you happy on holiday?

Yes, we **were**.

2 \_\_\_\_\_ your brother with you?

No, he \_\_\_\_\_. He had to work.

3 \_\_\_\_\_ you go to Venice?

No, we \_\_\_\_\_. We went to Rome.

4 \_\_\_\_\_ your parents like Italy?

Yes, they \_\_\_\_\_.  
They want to go back next year!

5 \_\_\_\_\_ the people friendly?

Yes, they \_\_\_\_\_.  
They taught me some Italian.



**2** Are the questions correct or incorrect? Correct the questions you think are incorrect.

1 What do you do yesterday?

Incorrect. What did you do yesterday?

2 Were you at school yesterday?

3 Do you go to the beach last summer?

4 Was you tired this morning?

5 What was the last film you saw?

6 Do you did your homework last night?

**3** Answer the questions from Activity 2.

- 1 \_\_\_\_\_  
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- 3 \_\_\_\_\_  
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- 5 \_\_\_\_\_  
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- 6 \_\_\_\_\_  
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