

## 5 GRAMMAR FOCUS

### ▶ Statements with *be*; possessive adjectives

| Statements with <i>be</i> | Contractions of <i>be</i> | Possessive adjectives |
|---------------------------|---------------------------|-----------------------|
| I'm from Mexico.          | I'm = I am                | my                    |
| You're from Brazil.       | you're = you are          | your                  |
| He's from Japan.          | he's = he is              | his                   |
| She's a business student. | she's = she is            | her                   |
| It's an exciting city.    | it's = it is              | its                   |
| We're in the same class.  | we're = we are            | our                   |
| They're my classmates.    | they're = they are        | their                 |

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A Complete these sentences. Then tell a partner about yourself.

1. My name is Aiko Yoshida. from Japan. family is in Nagoya. brother is a college student. name is Haruki.
2. name is Matias. from Santiago. a really nice city. sister is a student here. parents are in Chile right now.
3. Angelica, but everyone calls me Angie. last name is Newton. a student at City College. parents are on vacation this week. in Las Vegas.