

Question tags & Present Simple

Question tags can be positive (+) and negative (-). All of them use short forms of auxiliary verbs and subject pronouns.

Look at the examples below:

- *Richard plays tennis, doesn't he?*
- *Our friends don't like marrows, do they?*
- *Mr. Black is an engineer, isn't he?*
- *Rob and Ted aren't students, are they?*
- *I am your roommate, aren't I? (exception)*

Exercise 02. Use the necessary tag questions

1. They read a lot of books every month, **don't they** ?
2. Gregory isn't ready for this event, _____ ?
3. Nathan and I collect foreign stamps, _____ ?
4. I am a native speaker of Russian, _____ ?
5. We are your new students this semester, _____ ?
6. Anthony enjoys camping very much, _____ ?
7. Bob has a new job in a new city, _____ ?
8. Frank doesn't feel well this week, _____ ?
9. His parents aren't glad to be here, _____ ?
10. Ray Bradbury is her favorite author, _____ ?
11. Math isn't his favorite subject, _____ ?
12. Brenda lives here for many years, _____ ?
13. Your mother doesn't teach history, _____ ?
14. William and Mary are our guests, _____ ?
15. Zed is the last letter in the alphabet, _____ ?
16. I am not your parent to teach you, _____ ?
17. We aren't ready with our answers, _____ ?
18. Ted goes fishing every two weeks, _____ ?
19. Our colleagues like karaoke, _____ ?

Exercise 01. Construct the sentences with question tags

1. **loves/he/he/doesn't/golf/playing**
He loves playing golf, doesn't he?
2. **abroad/tutor/is/isn't/our/he**

3. **Dylan/our/need/doesn't/does/notes/he**

4. **and/Tom/Sheila/married/aren't/are/they**

5. **pets/his/are/aren't/two/dogs/they**

6. **I/your/am/aren't/I/instructor/new**

7. **we/we/do/don't/travel/long/time/for**

8. **speaks/he/he/four/languages/doesn't**

9. **in/street/my/house/is/isn't/this/it**

10. **friends/your/well/don't/swim/they**

Exercise 03. Correct the mistakes

1. Fred is her schoolmate, **isn't he?**
2. Money is at the bank, **aren't they?**
3. Jay isn't a bird, **is she?**
4. We don't have free time today, **don't we?**
5. Hank works at the university, **does he?**
6. Bill don't know English, **does he?**
7. Our relatives like watching TV, **do they?**
8. I am good at Geometry, **am I?**
9. We aren't his partners, **aren't we?**
10. Tom has three cats, **doesn't Tom?**