Life

Beginner Unit 2a

am, is, are (to be)



Presentation

Affirmative

I	am	from Brazil. eighteen. married.	I'm	from Brazil. eighteen. married.
He She	is		He's She's	
You We They	are		You're We're They're	

TIP Use *I'm, he's, you're* for speaking.

Key vocabulary **Personal details:** married, single (= not married)

Exercises

1 Match the sentences in the box to the pictures.

a She's twenty-five.	b He's fifty.	c ~~She's two.~~	d They're sixteen.	e He's twelve.



1 c 2 _____ 3 _____ 4 _____ 5 _____

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2 Write sentences with the words in the box.

~~Brazil~~ Egypt Italy Japan Russia the USA



1 I'm from Brazil.



2 .....



3 .....



4 .....



5 .....



6 .....

3 Put the words in order. Use contractions.

1 are from Spain they — They're from Spain.
2 are married we — .....
3 am I from Russia — .....
4 is single he — .....
5 are twenty-one you — .....
6 am I single — .....
7 are from Japan they — .....
8 is from she the UK — .....
9 are from Poland we — .....
10 are China from you — .....

4 Write sentences. Then listen and check.

1 Andrea / Poland / 21 + single
Hi. I'm Andrea. I'm from Poland. I'm twenty-one and I'm single.

2 Bruno / Germany / 32 + married
.....

3 Marisol / Mexico / 18 + single
.....

5 Complete sentences 1–4 for you and write sentences 5–8 for a friend. Use *He* and *She*.

1 I'm ..... . (name)
2 I'm from ..... . (country)
3 I'm ..... . (age)
4 I'm ..... . (married or single)
5 ..... . (name)
6 ..... . (country)
7 ..... . (age)
8 ..... . (married or single)

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