Indirect Questions

Part 1: Choose the correct indirect question

1. A) Could you tell us what you studied at university?

   B) Could you tell us what did you study at university?

2. A) Can you tell me how long you have been working in sales?

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3 A) Could you tell me why you want this job?

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4. A) Can you tell us how long were you with your last company?

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5. A) Would you mind telling me why did you leave your previous job?

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LIVEWORKSHEETS

Instructions: Match the situations on the left to the indirect questions on the right.

You're not wearing your watch.	**Have you any ideas where my keys are?**
You need to buy some stamps on vacation.	**Could you tell me what time it is?**
The store is still closed.	**Do you know what her name is?**
You're surprised by what he did.	**Can you tell me how to use the photocopier?**
You need to copy some documents at the library.	**Have you any idea when it opens?**
You would like to introduce yourself to a beautiful stranger at the party.	**Can you what the capital of Bolivia is?**
You are studying for a Geography test.	**Have you any idea why he did that?**
You want to lock the door.	**Do you know where the post office is?**

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Instructions: Fill in the gaps using the words in the boxes.

No, that's fine.	Yes, certainly.	I'm sorry, but	please
Do you mind	if	where I could find the ladies?	Can you tell me
Excuse me	but	Sure, no problem.	Yes,

1. **Q:** Do you mind _____ I sit here?
   A: _____ it's already taken.

2. **Q:** Could you tell me _____ (toilets), please?

   A: _____ . It's just down the hall and to the left.

3. **Q:** _____, is it OK to smoke here?

   A: I'm sorry,_____, this is a no smoking zone

4. **Q:** _____, if I borrow your pen.

   A: _____. Take it, I have another one.

5. **Q:** Could you tell me what the time is, _____?

   A: _____. It's 12:30pm.

6. **Q:** Excuse me, _____ how long the movie runs for?

   A: _____, certainly. It runs for 1 hour and 50 minutes.

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