

Grammar “To be: present simple”

AFFIRMATIVE		
Full form	Contracted form	Translate into Spanish
I am	I'm	
You are	You're	
He is	He's	
She is	She's	
It is	It's	
We are	We're	
You are	You're	
They are	They're	

1 Circle the correct words.

- They are/ is from the Spain.
 Castro Urdiales is/ are in the Cantabria.
 We am / are Spanish.
 She is/ are from Spain.
 I am / is French.
 He 'm / 's Canadian.
 You are / is from the UK.
 It 'm / 's my dog.
 We 'm / 're brothers.
 They 's / 're from Japan.
 You 'm / 're my friend.

NEGATIVE		
Full form	Contracted form	Translate into Spanish
I am not	I'm not	
You are not	You aren't	
He is not	He isn't	
She is not	She isn't	
It is not	It isn't	
We are not	We aren't	
You are not	You aren't	
They are not	They aren't	

2 Complete the sentences with the affirmative or negative form of be.

- X I _____ from England.
 X I _____ 15.
 X Myfriends _____ Spanish.
 ✓ We _____ good friends.
 ✓ Toby _____ my dog.

QUESTIONS AND SHORT ANSWERS		
Questions	Short answers	Translate into Spanish
Am I?	Yes, I am/No, I'm not	
Are You?	Yes, You are/ No, You aren't	
Is He?	Yes He is/ No, He isn't	
Is She?	Yes, She is/ No, She isn't	
Is It?	Yes, It is/ No, It isn't	
Are We?	Yes, we are/ No, We aren't	
Are You?	Yes, You are/ No, You aren't	
Are They?	Yes, They are/ No, They aren't	

3 Complete answers a-d with Yes or No. Then match the questions with the answers.

Ex: Are you French? Yes, I am. I'm from France.

1 Is it a pencil?

2 Are they from the USA?

3 Is Sara Spanish?

4 Are we in Class 2?

a) _____, we aren't. We're in Class 1.

b) _____, they are. They're American.

c) _____, it isn't. It's a pen.

d) _____, she isn't. She's Colombian.

4 Complete the questions with the following words: Am Are Are Is Is
 _____ you Spanish?

_____ your mum from Portugal?

_____ they your parents?

_____ I a student?

_____ she your sister?

5 Read the questions and circle the correct short answers.

Are you French? ✓ Yes, I am. / No, I'm not.

Are your friends from China? ✗ Yes, they are. / No, they aren't.

Are they English? ✗ Yes, they are. / No, they aren't.

Is he from South Africa? ✓ Yes, he is. / No, he isn't.

Is this cat your pet? ✗ Yes, it is. / No, it isn't.

Are we in your class? ✓ Yes, you are. / No, you aren't.

6 Translate into English:

Yo soy un chico. _____

Tú eres una chica. _____

Ella no es una chica. _____

Él es un chico. _____

Eso es un perro. _____

Nosotros no somos chicos. _____

¿Sois vosotros chicas? _____

¿Son ellos chicos? _____

7 Change the underlined name to the correct pronoun: I,you,he,she it,we,you,they.

Mary is a girl. _____
John isn't a student. _____
Toby is my dog. _____
Peter and Eve aren't my friends. _____
Castro is my city. _____
Ann is my friend. _____
Bruce isn't a student. _____

8 Write the following sentences in negativa and interrogative:

ej: John is a boy. ___ John isn't a boy / Is John a boy?
I am a student. _____
She is my friend. _____
They are boys. _____
It is my cat. _____
We are girls. _____
You are my teacher. _____
He is my brother. _____

9 Complete with the verb to be: is/ am/ are.

We _____ friends. He _____ my brother. They _____ Mary and Peter. It _____ my brown dog. You _____ a boy and she _____ a girl. Mary _____ a student. He _____ Spanish and I _____ English. My brother _____ John. My name _____ Robert. I _____ a student. I _____ Italian. Alice _____ not German. She _____ French. Mr. Blake _____ my teacher. He _____ not French.

10 Write He's, She's, or it's.

Mr. Blake isn't a student. _____ a teacher.
This isn't my umbrella. _____ your umbrella.
Alice isn't a teacher. _____ a student.
Mr. Ford isn't English. _____ American.
Stella isn't German. _____ Italian.
This isn't a German car. _____ an Italian car.