How To Ask and Answer Yes / No Questions

1. Sentences with **one verb**

Subject	Verb	object		Subject	Verb	object
They	are	pretty.		We	like	cats

a) if the verb is **BE** (am/are/is)	b) **ALL** other verbs
move the **BE** before the subject.	1 change the verb to the infinitive form 2 add **DO** (do/does) before the subject

They **are** *pretty*
         Are *they pretty?*
	We **like** *cats.*
	     Do *we* **like** *cats?*

Also use **BE** *for the answer*	*Also use* **DO** *for the answer*

Yes they **are**
     No they **aren't**
	Yes we **do**
	     No we **don't**

Which question is correct?	
He walks to school.	Walks he to school? / Does he walk to school?
She is tall.	Is she tall? / Does she is tall?
They like running*.	Like they running? / Do they like running?

In this sentence, the word "running" is a noun, not a verb.

Which answer is correct?	
Does he walk to school	Yes he walks / Yes he does / Yes he do.
Is she tall?	No she not / no she not is / no she isn't.
Do they like running?	Yes they do / Yes they like to / Yes they like

2. Sentences with **more than one verb**

Subject	Verb1	Verb 2		Subject	Verb1	Verb 2	
I	can	hold	my breath	Alice	wants	to wait	for the bus

a) If the two verbs are together	b) If the order is Verb 1 + **to** + Verb 2
move Verb 1 before the subject.	1 change Verb 1 to the infinitive form 2 add DO (do/does) before the subject
I **can hold** *my breath* **Can** *I* **hold** *my breath?*	*Alice* **wants** *to* **wait** *for the bus* **Does** *Alice* **want** *to* **wait** *for the bus?*
Also use **Verb1** *for the answer*	*Also use* **DO** *for the answer*
Yes I **can** No I **can't**	Yes she **does** No she **doesn't**

Practice

A Choose the correct question and answer.		
1. He hasn't got an apple.		
2. You like swimming		
3. She wants to stop.		
4. It's a boy		
5. I'm not tired of walking.		
6. They don't know who he is.		
7. You can do everything you want to.		
8. Mark is waiting for the bus.		

B   These questions are incorrect. Correct them

1. Have you any brothers or sisters?   _____

2. Do you can swim?   _____

3. Are he understand the question?   _____

4. Do you be from England?   _____

5. She do like pizza?   _____

6. Do are he walking or driving?   _____

7. I can go to the bathroom please?   _____

8. You do want some lunch?   _____