

## GRAMMAR PRACTICE

## 1.1 question forms

1 Underline the correct alternative.

- 1 *What/Who's* his name?
- 2 *What/Where* nationality is he?
- 3 *What/Who's* his boss?
- 4 *How old/How age* is he?
- 5 *What/Where* did you meet him?
- 6 *What/Which* of his brothers works here?
- 7 *How much/How many* information do we have about him?
- 8 *How often/How long* was his application letter?

2 Make questions with the prompts. Use the present simple and the past simple.

1 Where / you / from?

2 When / you / arrive / here?

3 Why / decide / to come / Ireland?

4 Who / you / know / in the class?

5 Where / your / accommodation?

6 How many / Spanish students / be / in the class?

7 How often / you / see / Sonia?

8 Which / café / you / go / to?

9 How / you / know / Sonia?

10 What / nationality / she?



## 1.2 past simple

1 Complete the table with the regular and irregular past simple forms of the verbs.

Verb	Past simple
be	(2 forms)
agree	
argue	
arrive	
ask	
become	
begin	
call	
decide	
eat	
email	
fall	
finish	
get	
go	
grow	
have	
know	
leave	
look	
love	
marry	
meet	
say	
see	
start	
study	

2 Complete the dialogue with the correct form of the verbs in brackets.

A: I <sup>1</sup>didn't have (not/have) a good day yesterday.B: Really? I <sup>2</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ (have) a fantastic day.A: The weather <sup>3</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ (not be) good.B: The weather here <sup>4</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ (be) great.A: I <sup>5</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ (not/meet) my friends.B: I <sup>6</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ (meet) Sandro and Carla.A: I <sup>7</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ (not/eat) out.B: I <sup>8</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ (eat) out.A: I <sup>9</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ (not/have) any fun.B: We <sup>10</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ (have) a lot of fun!A: And <sup>11</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ (not/finish) the homework either!B: Hmm. I <sup>12</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ (finish) mine last night.

**3** Rewrite the text in the past.

Sam meets Sally in a café. They get on really well. They decide to go to a restaurant for dinner. Sam has the fish and Sally has the pasta. They don't finish their desserts. They leave. Unfortunately, Sam falls ill during the night. He doesn't call Sally the next day ...

Sam met Sally in a café.

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**1.3 making conversation**

**1** Match statements and questions 1–6 with responses a)–f).

- 1 Did you have a good weekend?
- 2 This is my brother, Tom.
- 3 Nice to meet you.
- 4 So, where exactly do you live?
- 5 Let's keep in touch.
- 6 What do you do?

a) Right in the centre of town, opposite the old museum.  
 b) I'm in advertising.  
 c) Nice to meet you, Tom.  
 d) Nice to meet you, too.  
 e) Yes, I'll email you next week.  
 f) Yes, brilliant thanks.

**2** Number the sentences from the conversation in the correct order, 1–10.

- a) Hi. Are you Tom's friend? 1
- b) So, what do you do Marco?
- c) Yes, I am. We went to the same university. I'm Sue, by the way!
- d) Hi Sue. I'm Marco.
- e) I'm in the travel industry.
- f) Downtown. In the Max building.
- g) I'd love a coffee. We've got a lot to talk about!
- h) I don't believe it! I work there too! Which floor?
- i) Really? I am too! Where exactly do you work?
- j) The third. Hey, would you like a drink?

**Consolidation**

**1** Choose the best option, a), b) or c), to complete the dialogue.

A: Hi, I'm Fred. <sup>1</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ your name?

B: Hi Fred. I'm Marta.

A: <sup>2</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ to meet you, Marta.

B: Thank you. So, <sup>3</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ are you from?

A: Well, I <sup>4</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ born in Chile, but I <sup>5</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ up in Spain.

B: Really? <sup>6</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ exactly in Chile <sup>7</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ you born?

A: In Santiago. <sup>8</sup> \_\_\_\_\_?

B: Because I <sup>9</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ born in Chile too; In Valparaiso. <sup>10</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ old <sup>11</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ you when you left?

A: Five, so I don't remember much. Oh! Lesson time. <sup>12</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ you like to have a coffee sometime?

B: That would be great! <sup>13</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ you soon.

1 a) What's	b) Who	c) What
2 a) Let's	b) Hope	c) Nice
3 a) where	b) which	c) how
4 a) be	b) was	c) am
5 a) grew	b) growed	c) didn't grow
6 a) Why	b) Where	c) How
7 a) where	b) were	c) was
8 a) So	b) Why	c) How
9 a) was	b) were	c) is
10 a) When	b) What	c) How
11 a) are	b) did	c) were
12 a) Would	b) Did	c) So
13 a) Meet	b) See	c) When

**2** Find and correct the mistakes. There is a mistake or a missing word in each sentence.

*emailed*

- 1 She *emailed* last week.
- 2 How much people were there?
- 3 Nice day, is it?
- 4 They *marryed* last year.
- 5 What time did you *left*?
- 6 They didn't *began* on time.
- 7 What of these do you *want*?
- 8 How age is she?
- 9 What you *do*?
- 10 We didn't *had* enough time.