1.3 Grammar

to be negative

Long form	Short form
I am not Spanish.	I'm not Spanish.
You are not Spanish.	You aren't Spanish.
He/She/It is not Spanish.	He/She/It isn't Spanish.
We/You/They are not Spanish.	We/You/They aren't Spanish.

1 **Rewrite the sentences using short forms of the verb *to be*.**

1 My friends are not at home.
My friends aren't at home.

2 You are not right.
_____

3 I am not a superhero.
_____

4 Ben is not my friend.
_____

5 She is not my aunt.
_____

6 They are not my cousins.
_____

2 **Write negative sentences. Use the short form of the verb *to be*.**



1 She's eleven.
She's at school.
She *isn't eleven*.
She _____.



2 They're happy.
They're at home.
They _____.
_____
_____



3 He's a teacher.
He's ready for school.
He _____.
_____
_____

3 **Vocabulary** **Complete the words and write the nationalities.**

1  P*o l a n*d *Polish*

2  F_____e _____

3  the ___ _____

4  I___y _____

5  C___a _____

6  the ___ _____

7  S___n _____

4 **Write sentences that are true for you. Write *am, 'm not, are, aren't, is* or *isn't*.**

1 My school _____ in the USA.
2 My English teacher _____ British.
3 My friends _____ in China.
4 My parents _____ Polish.
5 I _____ Italian.
6 I _____ ten.

***5** **Complete the dialogue with the verb *to be*. Use an affirmative form (✔) or a negative form (✘).**



Kit: It [1] *is* (✔) you, Dug! You [2] _____ (✔) with your granddad and granny, right?

Dug: No, I [3] _____ (✘). They [4] _____ (✔) my parents. My dad [5] _____ (✔) British, but my mother [6] _____ (✘) British. She [7] _____ (✔) Polish.

Kit: It [8] _____ (✘) a new photo.

Dug: That's right. The photo [9] _____ (✔) very old.

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