

The Verb “To Be” – Affirmative and Negative

Complete the following sentences with the correct form of the verb “to be”. Use *am*, *am not*, *is*, *isn't*, *are* or *aren't*.

Ex. A carrot is a vegetable. It isn't a fruit.

1. Tokyo _____ a city. It _____ a continent.
2. A feather _____ heavy. It _____ light.
3. Winters _____ cold in Canada. They _____ hot.
4. A candy _____ sweet. It _____ sour.
5. Giraffes _____ tall animals. They _____ short.
6. Hockey _____ a fast game. It _____ slow.
7. Elephants _____ light. They _____ heavy animals.
8. Lemons _____ sweet. They _____ sour.
9. A child _____ young. Grandparents _____ old.
10. Parties _____ usually noisy. They _____ usually quiet.
11. A library _____ usually noisy. It _____ usually quiet.
12. Canada _____ a continent. It _____ a country.
13. I _____ a teacher. I _____ a student.
14. My family _____ big. It _____ small.
15. Five star hotels _____ cheap. They _____ expensive.

D. Complete the questions and answers with the correct form of the verb *to be*.

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| 1. What her name? | 6. you OK? No, I |
| 2. Where you from? | 7. I right? No, you |
| 3. he your father? Yes, he | 8. we there yet? No, we |
| 4. he rich. No, he | 9. they students? Yes, they |
| 5. you English? Yes, I | 10. she a teacher? Yes, she |

E. Rewrite the sentences, correcting the verb *to be* errors.

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| 1. We is students. | |
| 2. They isn't lazy. They is active. | |
| 3. He are smart. | |
| 4. We is excited about the holiday. | |
| 5. I aren't a doctor. | |
| 6. My hair are blonde. | |
| 7. This shirt are blue. | |
| 8. I aren't tired. | |
| 9. You is a dancer. | |
| 10. I are 20 years old. | |

F. Use the singular and plural forms of the verb *to be* to make two sentences about each topic.

Example: Your mother

..... *My mother **is** a good cook. Her cakes **are** delicious.*

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| 1. Your town or city | |
| 2. Your favourite hobby | |
| 3. Your friends | |

The Verb "To Have"

A. Use the correct form of the verb "to have" (*has, have*) in the following sentences.

1. Marilyn and Robert _____ three children.
2. Birds _____ feathers.
3. This book _____ 100 pages.
4. My car _____ 4 doors.
5. Our teacher _____ a cold today.
6. That businessman _____ a lot of money.
7. Some big cities _____ a lot of crime.
8. We _____ three bedrooms in our house.
9. I _____ a lot of work to do today.
10. She _____ a doctor's appointment today.

B. Use *has, doesn't have, have, don't have* in the following sentences.

1. A dog _____ six legs.
2. Canada _____ a lot of land, but it _____ a lot of people.
3. Fish _____ fins but they _____ feathers.
4. Cars _____ 4 wheels, but a bicycle _____ two wheels.
5. High rise buildings _____ elevators, but my house only _____ stairs.