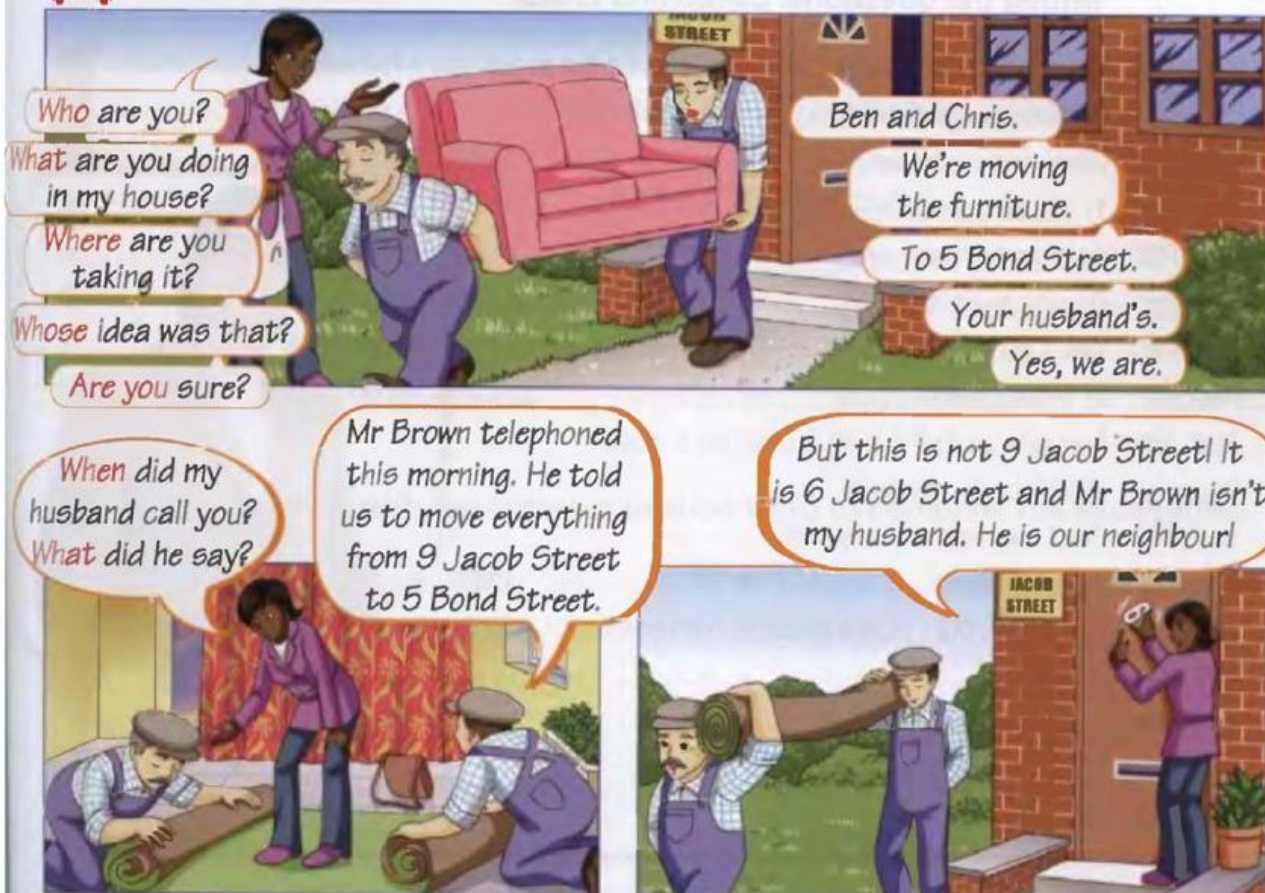


Yes/No Questions – Wh- Questions

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Listen and repeat. Then act out.



- 1 Questions are usually formed by changing the word order; this means that the auxiliary or modal verb comes before the subject. (Auxiliary/modal verbs are: **can, have, be, will, shall, must**, etc.)

Is she happy?

Can she type?

Have you ever been to Paris?

Will you help me?

Shall we go out tonight?

- 2 In the present simple, questions are formed by using **do/does** and in the past simple, by using **did**.

Do you like sweets?

Does he often visit them?

Did he pass the test?

- 3 **Wh- questions** start with a question word: **who, where, what, when, why, how, which**, etc.

Who did you go out with?

Where did you meet her?

What is your name?

- 4 Questions about quantity / time / size / distance / height, etc. are formed with **How + adjective**.

How much / long / big / far / high is it?

1



You are interviewing a famous actor. Complete the interview by writing the questions. Listen and check.

Reporter: Hello, Matt! It's great to finally meet you. I'd like to ask you a few things.

What do you like doing in your free time?

Matt Pitt: I like reading books.

Reporter: 1) (What) *What kind of books?*

Matt Pitt: Science fiction.

Reporter: Do you exercise?

Matt Pitt: Yes, I go to the gym.

Reporter: 2) (How often)

Matt Pitt: I usually go to the gym four times a week.

Reporter: What about dancing?

Matt Pitt: Oh, I can dance really well.

Reporter: 3) (sing), too?

Matt Pitt: Not really, but I play a musical instrument.

Reporter: 4) (What)

Matt Pitt: I play the violin.

Reporter: That's interesting. Thank you, Matt.

Matt Pitt: No problem.



people

Who / Whose / Which (one of)

jobs / things / animals / actions

What / Which (one of)

place

Where

time

When / How long / What time / How often

quantity

How much / How many

manner

How

distance / length / height

How far / How wide / How long / How high

reason

Why

2

Fill in the gaps with *how*, *who*, *whose*, *when*, *how far*, *why*, *how many* or *where*.

1 " *How many*... CDs are there?" "100."

2 "..... are you happy?" "Because it's my birthday."

3 "..... did Ken go to the USA?" "In 2005."

4 "..... do you go to school?" "By bus."

5 "..... is it to the post office?" "Only 50 metres."

6 "..... is that?" "That's Sarah."

7 "..... do you live?" "In Park Road."

8 "..... is this?" "It's John's."

3 Fill in the gaps with the correct question word. Then match the questions to the answers.

- 1 *How old* is Ben?
- 2 do you live?
- 3 are you so happy?
- 4 milk shall I buy?
- 5 is Katie's birthday?
- 6 do you go to the gym?
- 7 is the library from their house?
- 8 does he get to school?

- A ☐ On July 27th.
- B ☒ He's fifteen years old.
- C ☐ By bus.
- D ☐ Four times a week.
- E ☐ In Madrid, Spain.
- F ☐ Because I did well on my Maths test!
- G ☐ Two cartons.
- H ☐ About 100 metres.

4 Fill in the gaps with the correct question word to complete the exchanges.

- 1 A: *Whose* schoolbag is that?
B: Oh, I think it's Tom's schoolbag.
- 2 A: have you lived in London?
B: For two years.
- 3 A: do you go shopping?
B: Three times a month.
- 4 A: are you from?
B: I'm from Toronto, Canada.
- 5 A: is the beach?
B: About 300 metres.

- 6 A: apples are in the fridge?
B: Only two.
- 7 A: coat did Beth buy yesterday?
B: She bought the long black coat.
- 8 A: time do you go to bed?
B: At 10 o'clock.
- 9 A: is your birthday?
B: On April 12th.
- 10 A: did you buy at the supermarket?
B: Some eggs and a carton of milk.

5 How well do you know your partner? Ask him/her the following questions and write his/her answers.

- 1 *Where* are you from?
I'm from Rome, Italy.
- 2 old are you?
- 3 do you live?

- 4 is your hobby?
- 5 is your favourite sport?
- 6 are you like?

► Now, tell the class about your partner.