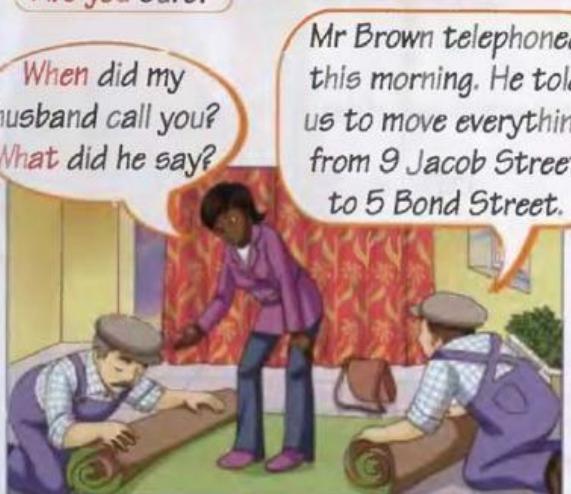


## Yes/No Questions – Wh- Questions

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42 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?

Will you help me?

Can she type?

Shall we go out tonight?

Have you ever been to Paris?

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 <input type="checkbox"/>	On July 27th.
B <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	He's fifteen years old.
C <input type="checkbox"/>	By bus.
D <input type="checkbox"/>	Four times a week.
E <input type="checkbox"/>	In Madrid, Spain.
F <input type="checkbox"/>	Because I did well on my Maths test!
G <input type="checkbox"/>	Two cartons.
H <input type="checkbox"/>	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.