

EXERCISES



1 (A) Fill in *am, is or are*.

- The sky is very blue today.
- I not tired.
- This shelf very heavy.
- The children asleep.
- Look! This Mabel.
- I cold. Can you shut the window, please?
- The castle one thousand years old.
- My brother and I good tennis players.
- Amy at home but her parents in church.
- My sister a doctor.

2 (A) Write full sentences. Use *am, is or are*.

- (my grandparents very old)
My grandparents are very old.
- (my desk very comfortable)
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- (your spectacles in your bag)
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- (I not very clever today)
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- (this house very expensive)
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- (the shops not open today)
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- (Mr. Wren's grandson six years old)
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- (the houses in this street very big)
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- (the examination not difficult)
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- (those flowers very beautiful)
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3 (A) Write positive or negative sentences. Use *am/am not/is/isn't/are/aren't*.

- Brussels ...*is*... the capital of Belgium.
- I ...*am not*... interested in hockey.
- I angry.
- It cold today.
- The Hague in Switzerland.
- I afraid of dogs.
- My hands dirty.
- Russia a very big country.
- The Amur in Europe.
- Diamonds cheap.
- Motor-racing a dangerous sport.
- Squirrels big animals.

4 (A) At the party Mike wants to know all about Jenny. He asks Tom a lot of questions.

He wants to know:

- who Jenny is *Who is Jenny?*
- how old she is
- if she is a nice girl
- why she isn't here
- where she is now
- if her parents are at home

5 (B, C) Using the words from the box and your own ideas, complete the letter below.

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| uncle | my cousin |
| the guy in the white T-shirt | student at University |
| two women in the low row | teacher of English |
| retired | not from Russia |
| in her forties | 52 |
| funny | kind |
| the flowers in the background | beautiful |



...Last time you asked me to tell you about my family. OK, this is the photo of my family. The man on the right

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Yours,
Mary