



18 Answering questions

When answering questions in English, you can often leave out words to shorten your response. These short answers are often used in spoken English.

-  **New language** Simple answers
- Aa Vocabulary** Jobs and routines
-  **New skill** Answering spoken questions



18.1 MARK THE BEST REPLY TO EACH QUESTION

Are you French?

Yes, I am. ☒

Yes, I do. ☐

Is this your necklace?

Yes, it is. ☐

Yes, it does. ☐

1 Do you live in Chicago?

Yes, I am. ☐

Yes, I do. ☐

4 Does she work at the hospital?

Yes, she is. ☐

Yes, she does. ☐

2 Are they your children?

No, they aren't. ☐

No, they don't. ☐

5 Is your name Stefan?

Yes, it is. ☐

No, it doesn't. ☐



18.2 FILL IN THE GAPS WITH THE CORRECT SHORT ANSWERS

Is this your cat?

Yes, it is.

3 Does Peter speak French?

No, _____

1 Do you play golf?

No, _____

4 Do they work at the factory?

No, _____

2 Is Paula your wife?

Yes, _____

5 Is Mario from Italy?

Yes, _____





18.3 READ THE EMAIL AND WRITE ANSWERS TO THE QUESTIONS AS FULL SENTENCES

Does Helen have a new job?

Yes, she does.

1 Is Helen a German teacher?

2 Does Helen start work at 8am?

3 Is Helen's school small?

4 Does Helen finish at 4pm?

5 Does Helen read a book in the evening?



To: Kim

Subject: My new job

Hi Kim,

I have some great news! I have a new job. I'm a French teacher at the school on Palm Avenue. Let me tell you about my typical day.

I get up at 8am and I walk to work. The school is big and has 800 children. I start work at 9am and I have lunch at 1pm. My students are very nice! I finish work at 4pm, and then I walk home. In the evening, I mark up my students' homework, then drink a glass of wine and watch a movie.

Say hello to Bob!
Helen



18.4 LISTEN TO THE AUDIO AND ANSWER THE QUESTIONS



Jane is starting a new job as a teacher. She meets Bob, another teacher at the school.

Jane is a teacher.

True ☒ False ☐ Not given ☐

1 Bob is an English teacher.

True ☐ False ☐ Not given ☐

2 Jane is from Dublin.

True ☐ False ☐ Not given ☐

3 Jane's husband is a teacher too.

True ☐ False ☐ Not given ☐

4 Jane's husband works near their house.

True ☐ False ☐ Not given ☐

5 Jane's husband starts work at 8:30am.

True ☐ False ☐ Not given ☐

6 Bob plays tennis every weekend.

True ☐ False ☐ Not given ☐

7 Jane goes to the movies a lot.

True ☐ False ☐ Not given ☐