

Questions 1

A Make 'yes/no' questions from these statements.

- ▶ You are learning a language. *Are you learning a language?*
- 1 She is thirsty.
- 2 He can swim well.
- 3 They were tired after the match.
- 4 She will return to Mexico.
- 5 I may leave now.
- 6 They have all left.
- 7 We shall wait a little longer.

B Now make questions from these statements. Start your questions with *Do*, *Does* or *Did*.

- ▶ You listen to the radio. *Do you listen to the radio?*
- 1 They work in London.
- 2 She visits her uncle.
- 3 We began the course in March.
- 4 Her car goes very fast.
- 5 You bought a new table.

C You have met Jane, an English girl, in Paris. Use the words in brackets () to ask her some questions. Her answers are on the right. They will help you choose the right tense for your questions.

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| ▶ (like/it here) | You: <i>Do you like it here</i> ? | ~ Jane: Yes, I do. |
| ▶ (studying/French) | You: <i>Are you studying French</i> ? | ~ Jane: Yes, I am. |
| 1 (like/French music) | You: ? | ~ Jane: Yes, I do. |
| 2 (staying/in the centre) | You: ? | ~ Jane: No, I'm not. |
| 3 (come/by plane) | You: ? | ~ Jane: Yes, I did. |
| 4 (have got/a flat) | You: ? | ~ Jane: Yes, I have. |
| 5 (working/in Paris) | You: ? | ~ Jane: No, I'm not. |
| 6 (visited/the museums) | You: ? | ~ Jane: Yes, I have. |
| 7 (find/your flat easily) | You: ? | ~ Jane: No, I didn't. |
| 8 (like/French food) | You: ? | ~ Jane: Yes, I do. |

D You want to study English in London. You telephone a language school to ask some questions. Put the words in brackets () in the right order to make questions.

- ▶ (of London? – Is – near the centre – the school) *Is the school near the centre of London?*
- 1 (homework? – give – Do – the teachers)
- 2 (the classes – small? – Are)
- 3 (organize – trips? – Does – the school)
- 4 (a certificate – I get – Will – at the end of the course?)
- 5 (a place now? – I – reserve – Shall)
- 6 (pay – I – Can – by credit card?)

Questions 2

- E** David has just spent a week on holiday in Greece with his wife Mary. Ask him some questions about his holiday using words and phrases from the box. Use his answers to help you.

Did	Was	the sea	Mary	enjoy	comfortable?
Did	Was	the airport	Mary	busy?	the beaches?
Did	Was	the restaurants	learn	expensive?	any Greek?
Were	the hotel	you	like	warm?	the holiday?

- You: Did Mary enjoy the holiday? ~ David: Yes, she had a good time.
- 1 You: ~ David: Yes, there were thousands of people at the airport.
- 2 You: ~ David: Yes, the water was very warm.
- 3 You: ~ David: No, they were quite cheap.
- 4 You: ~ David: No, it's a difficult language for me.
- 5 You: ~ David: Yes, she swam and sunbathed every day.
- 6 You: ~ David: Yes, it was a lovely hotel.

- C** Use the 'full' answers to write questions with *where*, *when*, *why* or *how*. (We usually use the short, underlined answers when we reply to a question.)

- Question: When did you lose your bag?
Answer: (I lost my bag) On Saturday morning.
- 1 Question:
Answer: (I met Joanna) At a disco in the centre of town.
- 2 Question:
Answer: (I went to the disco) By bus.
- 3 Question:
Answer: (I'm looking for a new job) Because I want more money.
- 4 Question:
Answer: (The nearest hospital is) In Park Street.
- 5 Question:
Answer: (You get to Park Street) On the number 38 bus.
- 6 Question:
Answer: (They're going to see the film) On Friday evening.
- 7 Question:
Answer: (She left the party at ten o'clock) Because she was tired.
- 8 Question:
Answer: (He's studying English) At a language school in Edinburgh.

Questions 3

C Complete the questions. (We usually use the short, underlined answers when we reply to a question.)

- ▶ A: Which song do you prefer?
B: (I prefer) The Spanish song.
- 1 A: What ?
B: (She bought) Bread and milk.
- 2 A: Which ?
B: (They use) The blue book.
- 3 A: What ?
B: (I saw) The Arc de Triomphe and the Eiffel Tower. (in Paris)
- 4 A: Who ?
B: (I met) My aunt and uncle. (at the airport)
- 5 A: Which ?
B: (I am catching) The 13.30. (train)
- 6 A: Who ?
B: (I will visit) My sister and her family. (in Paris)

D Complete the conversation by putting in Bob's questions. Start with *How ...* each time.

Anne: I'm doing a course in computing.

Bob: Oh really. (▶) How long have you been doing it?

Anne: I've been doing it for about a month. It's at the local college.

Bob: (1) ?

Anne: I go there twice a week.

Bob: (2) ?

Anne: The lessons last for three hours, from two o'clock until five.

Bob: (3) ?

Anne: I study at home every evening.

Bob: (4) ?

Anne: There are about twenty-five people in my class.

Bob: (5) ?

Anne: They're all about the same age as me.

Bob: (6) ?

Anne: It's not far from my home.

Bob: (7) ?

Anne: It doesn't cost anything. My company is paying.

Questions 4

B Brian is going to ask people in Manchester about their lives and attitudes. Write the first word in each question to complete his questionnaire.

- ▶ When..... do you usually go to bed?
- ▶ Do..... you play sports?
- 1 many brothers and sisters have you got?
- 2 was your childhood like?
- 3 do you talk to, if you need financial advice?
- 4 you do your shopping in the town centre?
- 5 much exercise do you take?
- 6 type of washing powder do you use?
- 7 do you enjoy doing on Saturday nights?
- 8 do English people eat so little fish?
- 9 your neighbours speak to you?
- 10 you born in Manchester?
- 11 is your favourite TV programme?
- 12 washes the dishes in your house?
- 13 you go on holiday in the UK or abroad this year?
- 14 is football so popular in Manchester?

D Penny has bought a second-hand yacht. Greg is asking her about it. Complete his questions with three words, using *how* each time.

Greg: It looks fantastic! (▶) How long is it?

Penny: Twenty metres. I'm going to sail to the Greek islands next month.

Greg: That sounds nice. (1)..... that?

Penny: I'm not sure. About a thousand kilometres.

Greg: It looks fairly new. (2)..... it?

Penny: Six and a half years. But the last owner didn't use it much. He was too busy working.

Greg: I would use it every weekend, if it was mine. (3)..... you going to use it?

Penny: At least once a month, probably.

Greg: (4)..... you go for?

Penny: For long weekends to France, I think. Are you any good at sailing?

Greg: I am actually. But I'm better at standing on the deck in the sun. By the way, (5)..... it cost?

Penny: I can't tell you. I don't want to remember!