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Meeting people

am/is/are – questions and negatives • Possessive 's • Family • Opposites • In a café

STARTER



- 1 Count from 1–20 round the class.
- 2 Count in 10s from 10–100 round the class.
ten, twenty, thirty ... one hundred.
- 3 How old are you? Ask and answer in groups.

WHO IS SHE?

Questions and negatives

- 1 Read Keesha Anderson's identity card.
- 2 Complete the questions.
 - 1 What's her surname? Anderson.
 - 2 her first name? Keesha.
 - 3 she from? London, England.
 - 4 job? She's a journalist.
 - 5 What's ? 42, Muswell Hill Road,
London N10 3JD.
 - 6 phone 020 8863 5741.
number?
 - 7 How old ? Twenty-eight.
 - 8 Is she ? No, she isn't.

T 2.1 Listen and check. Practise the questions and answers.

- 3 Keesha has a brother. Write questions about him. Ask your teacher and complete his card.

What's his surname?

Anderson.

What's his first name?

PERSONAL IDENTITY CARD	
SURNAME	ANDERSON
FIRST NAME	KEESHA
COUNTRY	ENGLAND
JOB	JOURNALIST
ADDRESS	42, MUSWELL HILL ROAD, LONDON N10 3JD
PHONE NUMBER	020 8863 5741
AGE	28
MARRIED?	NO

PERSONAL IDENTITY CARD	
SURNAME	ANDERSON
FIRST NAME	
COUNTRY	
JOB	
ADDRESS	
PHONE NUMBER	
AGE	
MARRIED?	

Negatives and short answers

- 4 **T 2.2** Read and listen. Then listen and repeat.

Is she American?

No, she isn't.

Is she French?

No, she isn't.

Is she English?

Yes, she is.

Ask and answer *Yes/No* questions about Keesha.

- 1 a doctor? a teacher? a journalist?
- 2 eighteen? twenty-one? twenty-eight?

- 5 Ask and answer questions about Keesha's brother.

- 1 Peter? Daniel? Rudi?
- 2 a journalist? a student? a policeman?
- 3 sixteen? thirty? twenty-one?

GRAMMAR SPOT

- 1 Complete the answers to the *Yes/No* questions.

Is Keesha English?

Yes, she ____.

Is her surname Smith?

No, it ____.

Are you a journalist?

No, I'm ____.

- 2 Look at the negatives.

She **isn't** married.

You **aren't** English.

But: I'm **not** a teacher

~~X I am n't~~ a teacher.

►► Grammar Reference 2.1 p125

PRACTICE

Who is he?

- 1 **Student A** Look at the identity card from your teacher.
Student B Look at this identity card.

Ask and answer questions to complete the information.

RBS INTERNATIONAL IDENTITY CARD	
SURNAME	
FIRST NAME	PATRICK
COUNTRY	
JOB	ACCOUNTANT
ADDRESS	
PHONE NUMBER	12-32 4837
AGE	
MARRIED?	YES



- 2 Ask and answer *Yes/No* questions about Patrick.

- 1 Smith? Jones? Binchey?
- 2 from Italy? from England? from Ireland?
- 3 a policeman? a teacher? an accountant?

Talking about you

- 3 Ask your teacher some questions.

What's your first name?

Isabel.

Are you married?

No, I'm not.

- 4 Look at the form from your teacher.

Stand up! Ask two students *Yes/No* questions to complete the form. Answer questions about you.

Carmen, are you a student?

Yes, I am.

Are you from Barcelona?

No, I'm not. I'm from Madrid.

Are you married?

No, I'm not.

Tell the class about one of the students.

Her name's Anna-Maria. She's a student ...

PATRICK'S FAMILY

Possessive 's

1 Write these words in the correct place.

brother father daughter wife aunt grandmother

	boyfriend	husband		son		uncle	grandfather
	girlfriend		mother		sister		

2 **T 2.3** Read about Patrick Binchey and listen. Write the names of the people in the correct place.

This is a photo of **Patrick**, his wife, and his children. His wife's name is Brenda. She's a teacher. His daughter's name is Lara. She's twenty-one and she's a nurse. His son's name is Benny. He's nineteen and he's a student. Lara's boyfriend is a nurse, too. His name is Mick.

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3 Ask and answer questions about Patrick's family.

Who's Brenda?

She's Patrick's wife.

GRAMMAR SPOT

1 Look at 's.

She's a teacher: She's = She is.

His wife's name: His wife's name = her name
 's = possession.

2 Find other examples in the text of possessive 's and 's = is.

▶▶ Grammar Reference 2.2 p125

PRACTICE

You and your family

- 1 Ask your teacher questions about the people in his/her family.

What's your mother's name?

What's your sister's name?

- 2 Write the names of people in your family. Ask and answer questions with a partner.

Juan Silvia María Fernando Amelia

Ask a partner questions about his/her family.

Who's Juan?

He's my brother.

Who's Silvia?

She's my aunt.
She's my mother's sister.

- 3 Make true sentences with the verb *to be*.

- 1 I **am not** at home.
- 2 We in class.
- 3 It Monday today.
- 4 My teacher's name John.
- 5 My mother and father at work.
- 6 I married.
- 7 My grandmother seventy-five years old.
- 8 Marcus and Carlos my brothers.
- 9 We in the coffee bar. We in the classroom.

Check it

- 4 Tick (✓) the correct sentence.

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| 1 ☐ I'm a doctor. | 5 ☐ She married. |
| ☐ I'm doctor. | ☐ She's married. |
| 2 ☐ I have twenty-nine years old. | 6 ☐ I'm an uncle. |
| ☐ I am twenty-nine years old. | ☐ I'm a uncle. |
| 3 ☐ I no married. | 7 ☐ I have two brother. |
| ☐ I'm not married. | ☐ I have two brothers. |
| 4 ☐ My sister's name is Lara. | 8 ☐ Peter's the son of my sister. |
| ☐ My sisters name is Lara. | ☐ Peter's my sister's son. |



VOCABULARY

Opposites

1 Match the adjectives with their opposites.

old	horrible
big	old
new	young
lovely	difficult
easy	cheap
hot	cold
expensive	slow
fast	small

2 Write about the pictures, using the adjectives.



1 He's old.



She's young.

$$2+2=4$$

$$2x^2+2x-8$$



T 2.4 Listen and check. Practise saying the sentences.

READING AND LISTENING

A letter from America

1 **T 2.5** Dorita is an English student at a school in Queens, New York City. Read and listen to her letter to Miguel, her brother in Argentina.

2 Match each photograph with part of the letter.

3 Correct the false (X) sentences.

- Dorita is from Argentina. ✓
- She's in Miami. X No, she isn't. She's in New York.
- Dorita's happy in New York.
- She's on holiday.
- It's a very big class.
- The students in her class are all from South America.
- Annie and Marnie are both students.
- The subway is easy to use.

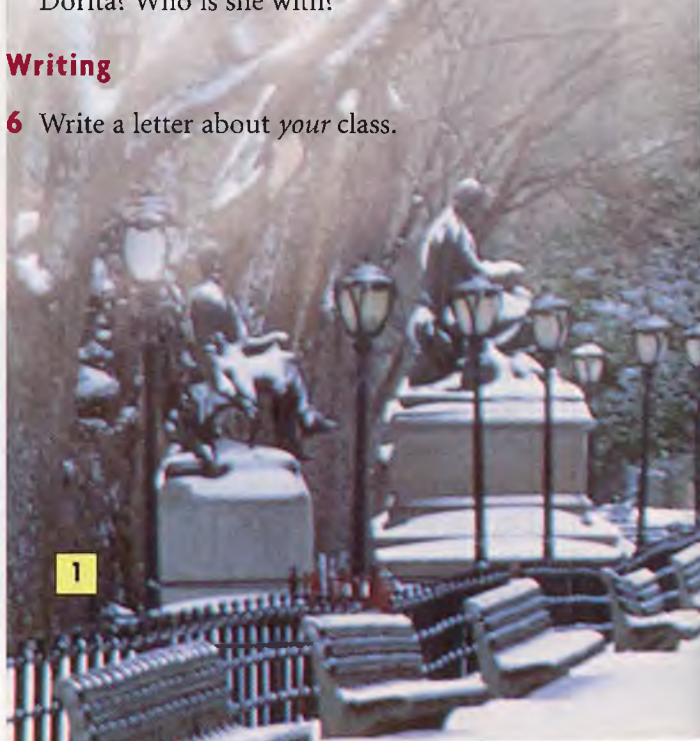
4 Write the questions about Dorita's letter.

- Where's Dorita from? Argentina.
- Japan, Brazil, Switzerland, Poland, and Italy.
- Isabel.
- They are sisters. They live with Dorita.
- Annie's twenty and Marnie's eighteen.
- New York Yes, it is.

5 **T 2.6** Listen to three conversations. Where is Dorita? Who is she with?

Writing

6 Write a letter about your class.





41 46th Street
Sunnyside, New York 11104
February 12

Dear Miguel,

How are you? I'm fine. Here's a letter in English. It's good practice for you and me!

I have classes in English at La Guardia Community College. I'm in a class with eight students. They're all from different countries: Japan, Brazil, Switzerland, Poland, and Italy. Our teacher's name is Isabel. She's very nice and a very good teacher.

I live in an apartment with two American girls, Annie and Marnie Kass. They are sisters. Annie's twenty years old and a dancer. Marnie's eighteen and a student. They're very friendly, but it isn't easy to understand them. They speak very fast!

New York is very big, very exciting but very expensive! The subway isn't difficult to use and it's cheap. It's very cold now but Central Park is lovely in the snow. I'm very happy here.

Write to me soon.

Love,
Dorita



EVERYDAY ENGLISH

In a café

- 1 **T 2.7** Read and listen to the prices.

£1.00 one pound
£5.00 five pounds

50p fifty p /pi:/
£7.50 seven pounds fifty

£10.75 ten pounds seventy-five

- 2 **T 2.8** Write the prices you hear. Practise saying them.

- 2 Read the menu. Match the food and pictures.

Baker Street Snack Bar






Menu

Hamburger & chips	£3.50
Chicken & chips	£3.90
Tuna & egg salad	£4.25
Pizza	£3.75
Ice-cream	£1.50
Chocolate cake	£1.75
Coffee	£1.00
Tea	60p
Orange juice	90p
Mineral water	70p









3 **T 2.9** Listen and repeat. Then ask and answer questions with a partner.

How much is a hamburger and chips?

Three pounds fifty.

How much is a hamburger and chips and an orange juice?

Four pounds forty.



4 **T 2.10** Listen and complete the conversations.



A Good morning.
 B Good _____. Can I have _____, please?
 A Here you are. Anything else?
 B No, thanks.
 A _____ p, please.
 B Thanks.
 A Thank you.



A Hi. Can I help?
 B Yes. Can I have a _____ salad, please?
 A Anything to drink?
 B Yeah. A _____, please.
 A OK. Here you are.
 B _____ is that?
 A _____ pounds _____, please.
 B Thanks.

5 Practise the conversations with your partner.
 Make more conversations.