

## English Grammar Exercises

### Present simple of *be*: positive

#### 1 Scegli l'alternativa corretta.

- 1 You *am / are* a good singer!
- 2 Basketball *am / is* a great sport.
- 3 They *are / is* new students.
- 4 My sister and I *am / are* at school.
- 5 David *is / are* 15.
- 6 I *am / is* Australian.
- 7 Kelly and Dan *is / are* from London.
- 8 My mum *am / is* a teacher.

### Present simple of *be*: negative

#### 2 Completa le frasi con la forma negativa del verbo *be*. Usa le forme contratte.

- 1 Sarah and Tom \_\_\_\_\_ Italian.
- 2 You \_\_\_\_\_ in my class.
- 3 He \_\_\_\_\_ good at sport.
- 4 The book \_\_\_\_\_ interesting.
- 5 I \_\_\_\_\_ at home.
- 6 We \_\_\_\_\_ from Scotland.
- 7 The students \_\_\_\_\_ at school today.
- 8 The film \_\_\_\_\_ in English.

### Subject pronouns & possessive adjectives

#### 3 Completa le frasi con il pronome soggetto o l'aggettivo possessivo relativo al soggetto sottolineato.

- 1 Isabelle is at a concert with \_\_\_\_\_ sister.
- 2 Jack is Scottish. \_\_\_\_\_'s from Edinburgh.
- 3 Tennis is great. \_\_\_\_\_'s my favourite sport.
- 4 I'm at school with \_\_\_\_\_ friends.
- 5 Adam and I are from New York. \_\_\_\_\_'re American.
- 6 My parents are at a restaurant with \_\_\_\_\_ colleagues.
- 7 Mrs Ellis is a Geography teacher. \_\_\_\_\_'s my favourite teacher.
- 8 You and \_\_\_\_\_ brother are good at music.

## Possessive 's

### 4 Scrivi frasi aggiungendo ' o 's.

1 (Robert | phone) is in his bag.

\_\_\_\_\_

2 (The boys | T-shirts) are red and white.

\_\_\_\_\_

3 (Mum | car) is in the garage.

\_\_\_\_\_

4 (The dogs | names) are Max and Rusty.

\_\_\_\_\_

5 The books are on (the teacher | desk).

\_\_\_\_\_

## Present simple of *be*: questions & short answers

### 5 Scrivi i minidialoghi con il Present simple di *be* e completa le risposte brevi.

1 A Mr Jones | a good teacher ?

\_\_\_\_\_

B Yes, \_\_\_\_\_.

2 A you | Spanish ?

\_\_\_\_\_

B No, \_\_\_\_\_.

3 A the children | in bed ?

\_\_\_\_\_

B Yes, \_\_\_\_\_.

4 A Mum | at home ?

\_\_\_\_\_

B No, \_\_\_\_\_.

5 A Ellie and Joe | at your school ?

\_\_\_\_\_

B No, \_\_\_\_\_.

## Question words

### 6 Completa le frasi con la parola interrogativa corretta.

1 \_\_\_\_\_'s your birthday?

It's in February.

2 \_\_\_\_\_'s Dad?

He's in the study.

3 \_\_\_\_\_'s your favourite teacher?

Mrs Anderson.

4 \_\_\_\_\_ are you?

I'm fine, thanks.

5 \_\_\_\_\_'s your favourite colour?

Green.

## Demonstratives

### 7 Scegli l'alternativa corretta.

1 *This / These* are my new friends.

2 Where is Emma *this / that* evening?

3 Are *that / those* girls from Italy?

4 Hi, I'm Ben, and *this / that* is my sister, Kate.

5 Is *this / these* your book?

6 Who's *this / that* in the garden?

## have got

### 8 Completa le frasi con la forma corretta di *have got*. Usa le forme contratte quando possibile.

- 1 My brother \_\_\_\_\_ a new computer. (+)
- 2 We \_\_\_\_\_ a dog. (-)
- 3 Sarah \_\_\_\_\_ a sister. (-)
- 4 My grandparents \_\_\_\_\_ a house in Scotland. (+)
- 5 I \_\_\_\_\_ two brothers. (+)
- 6 Sally and Mark \_\_\_\_\_ a car. (-)
- 7 \_\_\_\_\_ (you) a mobile phone?  
Yes, \_\_\_\_\_.
- 8 \_\_\_\_\_ (your parents) a new car?  
No, \_\_\_\_\_.
- 9 \_\_\_\_\_ (Thomas) a scooter?  
Yes, \_\_\_\_\_.

## a / an, some, any

### 9 Completa le frasi con *a / an, some o any*.

- 1 I haven't got \_\_\_\_\_ cousins.
- 2 They've got \_\_\_\_\_ friends in Japan.
- 3 Have you got \_\_\_\_\_ children?
- 4 Have Louise and Kevin got \_\_\_\_\_ big house?
- 5 My mum's got \_\_\_\_\_ interesting job.
- 6 We've got \_\_\_\_\_ pizzas for lunch.

## there's / there are

### 10 Completa le frasi con le parole sottostanti. Le parole possono essere usate più di una volta.

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| there is isn't are aren't |
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- 1 \_\_\_\_\_ four people in my family.
- 2 \_\_\_\_\_ a computer in my room. It's new.
- 3 \_\_\_\_\_ a cinema in this town?  
No, \_\_\_\_\_.
- 4 \_\_\_\_\_ any pens in your bag?  
Yes, \_\_\_\_\_.
- 5 \_\_\_\_\_ any boys at that school.

## Object pronouns

### 11 Scegli l'alternativa corretta.

- 1 Is Sara here? I've got a book for *it / her*.
- 2 I'm at the shops. I've got my phone with *them / me*.
- 3 We're hungry. Is there any food for *us / you?*
- 4 Where's my pen? Have you got *it / her?*
- 5 It's David's birthday. Have you got a present for *him / you?*
- 6 My parents are at the cinema and my sister is with *her / them*.

## Translation

### 12 Traduci le frasi in inglese.

- 1 I nostri genitori non sono inglesi.

\_\_\_\_\_

- 2 Il telefono di Lisa . nella sua borsa?

\_\_\_\_\_

- 3 Perch. sono qui gli amici di Joe?

\_\_\_\_\_

- 4 Ho delle penne e una matita.

\_\_\_\_\_

- 5 Dov' è Jane? Ho dei libri per lei.

\_\_\_\_\_

- 6 Non ci sono ragazze in quella classe.

\_\_\_\_\_

## Test your English

### Question 1

A. When is his birthday? B: It's \_\_\_\_\_ 19<sup>th</sup> January.

- A) in
- B) on
- C) at
- D) up

### Question 2

Aaron and Milan are friends and \_\_\_\_\_ of them go to the same school. They are classmates, too.

- A) none
- B) both
- C) all
- D) neither

### Question 3

\_\_\_\_\_ a very good film on TV tonight. We can watch it together. Have you got \_\_\_\_\_ free time?

- A) There is / any
- B) Are there / no
- C) Is there / a few
- D) There isn't / some

### Question 4

She can help \_\_\_\_\_ with the project, but her mother is ill and she is staying with \_\_\_\_\_ at the hospital at the moment.

- A) me / hers
- B) our / her
- C) us / her
- D) ours / she

### Question 5

A: Frances \_\_\_\_\_ meat, so let's cook a vegetable dish for her.

B: OK. I hope she \_\_\_\_\_ spinach because we have got spinach.

- A) eats / likes
- B) doesn't eat / likes
- C) eats / doesn't like
- D) doesn't eat / like

**Question 6**

Jack seldom \_\_\_\_\_ out on Sundays, but today he \_\_\_\_\_ fun at the funfair with his friends.

- A) go / has
- B) can go / has got
- C) is going / has
- D) goes / is having

**Question 7**

They \_\_\_\_\_ speak French well, but they \_\_\_\_\_ to the French shop owner right now.

- A) can / have got
- B) have got / can't talk
- C) can't / are talking
- D) are / can talk

**Question 8**

\_\_\_\_\_ brother can't understand \_\_\_\_\_ German boss when she speaks German.

- A) Mine/her
- B) My/he
- C) Mine/my
- D) My/his

**Question 9**

Money \_\_\_\_\_ important for some people. \_\_\_\_\_ happy without it.

- A) aren't / you are
- B) is / He are
- C) isn't / They are
- D) are / He is

**Question 10**

Two \_\_\_\_\_ are swimming with some \_\_\_\_\_ in the sea.

- A) person / dolphins
- B) people / dolphin
- C) person / dolphin
- D) people / dolphins