

2.2.- Negative and Questions with be

<p>I'm not from New York. You're not late. She's not from Russia. He's not from Italy. It's not English. We're not from Japan. You're not early. They're not in Mexico. We're = We are</p>	<p>Are you from California? Am I early? Is she from Brazil? Is he from Chile? Is it Korean? Are you from China? Are we late? Are they in Canada?</p>	<p>I am. you are. she is. Yes, he is. it is. we are. you are. they are.</p>	<p>I'm not. you're not. she's not. No, he's not. it's not. we're not. you're not. they're not.</p>
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A Complete the conversations. Then practice with a partner.

- A: Hiroshi, are you and Maiko from Japan?
 B: Yes, we are.
 A: Oh? are you from Tokyo?
 B: No, I'm not. I'm from Kyoto.
- A: is Laura from the U.S.?
 B: No, she's not. She's from the U.K.
 A: is she from London?
 B: Yes, she is. But her parents are from Italy. They're not from the U.K. originally.
 A: is Laura's first language Italian?
 B: No, it's not. it's English.
- A: are Selina and Carlos from Mexico?
 B: No, they're not. they're from Brazil.
 A: are you from Brazil, too?
 B: No, am not. I'm from Peru.
 A: So, is your first language Spanish?
 B: Yes, it is.



Kyoto, Japan



Lima, Peru

B Match the questions with the answers. Then practice with a partner.

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| 1. Are you and your family from Canada? <u>d</u> | a. No, he's not. He's from Singapore. |
| 2. Is your first language English? <u>c</u> | b. Yes, she is. She's from California. |
| 3. Are you Japanese? <u>e</u> | c. No, it's not. It's Japanese. |
| 4. Is Mr. Ho from Hong Kong? <u>a</u> | d. No, we're not. We're from Australia. |
| 5. Is your mother from the U.S.? <u>b</u> | e. Yes, we are. We're from Kyoto. |

C PAIR WORK Write five questions like the ones in part B. Then ask and answer your questions with a partner.

1 Negative statements and yes/no questions with be

- ▶ Use *be* + *not* to form negative statements: Ana **isn't** a student. (NOT: Ana is no a student.)
- ▶ *You* is a singular and a plural pronoun: Are **you** from Rio? Yes, I am./Yes, we are

A Unscramble the words to write negative statements.

1. in California / not / New York City / is
New York City is not in California.
2. London / not / from / we're
We're not from London.
3. not / you and Tim / in my class / are
You and Tim are not in my class.
4. is / my first language / Spanish / not
Spanish is not my first language.
5. from / my mother / not / is / Seoul
My mother is not from Seoul.
6. my keys / not / are / they
They are not my keys.

B Complete the conversations.

1. A: Are you and your family from Mexico?
B: No, we're not. We're from Guatemala.
2. A: is your first language English?
B: Yes, it is. My parents are from Australia.
3. A: are Kenji and his friend Japanese?
B: Yes, they are. But they in the U.S. now.
4. A: are my mother and I late?
B: No, were not. We are early!

2.2.- Where are they from?

WHERE ARE THEY FROM?

A Where are these people from? Check (✓) your guesses.



Penelope Cruz

- Mexico
- France
- Spain

Robert Pattinson

- the U.S.
- the U.K.
- Canada

Haru Nomura

- South Korea
- Japan
- China

Cate Blanchett

- Australia
- New Zealand
- South Africa

Javier Hernández

- Brazil
- Mexico
- Chile

B PAIR WORK Compare your guesses. Then check your answers at the bottom of the page.

A: Is Penelope Cruz from Mexico?
 B: No, she's not.
 A: Is she from France?

Answers: 1. Spain 2. the U.K. 3. Japan 4. Australia 5. Mexico

CONVERSATION *He's cute.*

🎧 Listen and practice.

Emma: Who's that?
 Jill: He's my brother.
 Emma: Wow! He's cute. What's his name?
 Jill: James. We call him Jim.
 Emma: Oh, how old is he?
 Jill: He's twenty-one years old.
 Emma: What's he like? Is he nice?
 Jill: Yes, he is - and he's very smart, too!
 Emma: And who's that?
 Jill: She's only twelve.

