

## 1.2.- Simple present short answers

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**Do** you **live** in an apartment?

Yes, I **do**. / No, I **don't**.

**Do** the bedrooms **have** windows?

Yes, they **do**. / No, they **don't**.

**Does** Chris **live** in a house?

Yes, he **does**. / No, he **doesn't**.

**Does** the house **have** a yard?

Yes, it **does**. / No, it **doesn't**.

**A** Complete the conversation. Then practice with a partner.

Linda: ..... **Do** ..... you ..... **live** ..... in an apartment?

Chris: No, I ..... **don't** ..... I ..... **live** ..... in a house.

Linda: ..... **does** ..... it ..... **have** ..... a yard?

Chris: Yes, it ..... **does** .....

Linda: That sounds nice. .... **do** ..... you ..... **live** ..... alone?

Chris: No, I ..... **don't** ..... I ..... **live** ..... with my family.

Linda: ..... **do** ..... you ..... **have** ..... any brothers or sisters?

Chris: Yes, I ..... **do** ..... I ..... **have** ..... four sisters.

Linda: Really? ..... **does** ..... your house ..... **has** ..... many bedrooms?

Chris: Yes, it ..... **does** ..... It ..... **have** ..... four.

Linda: ..... **do** ..... you ..... **have** ..... your own bedroom?

Chris: Yes, I ..... **do** ..... I'm really lucky.



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► Remember: I/You/We/They **do/don't**. He/She/It **does/doesn't**.

Circle the correct words.

A: **Do / Does** your family **live / lives** in an apartment?

B: No, we **don't / doesn't**. We **have / has** a house.

A: That's nice. **Do / Does** your house have two floors?

B: Yes, it **do / does**. It **have / has** four rooms on the first floor. And we **have / has** three bedrooms and a bathroom on the second floor.

A: And **do / does** you and your family **have / has** a yard?

B: Yes, we **do / does**. And how about you, Tim? **Do / Does** you **live / lives** in a house, too?

A: No, I **don't / doesn't**. My wife and I **have / has** a small apartment in the city.

B: Oh. **Do / Does** you **like / likes** the city?

A: Yes, I **do / does**. But my wife **don't / doesn't**.

**A** Look at the picture of Linda's apartment. Complete the sentences. Then practice with a partner.

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| 1. <u>There is no</u> dresser in the bedroom.    | 5. <u>there aren't any</u> rugs on the floor.       |
| 2. <u>there are three</u> chairs in the kitchen. | 6. <u>there aren't any</u> curtains on the windows. |
| 3. <u>there is a</u> TV in the living room.      | 7. <u>there is a</u> mirror in the bedroom.         |
| 4. <u>there isn't a</u> refrigerator.            | 8. <u>there aren't any</u> books in the bookcase.   |



**B** Write five sentences about things you have or don't have in your classroom. Then compare with a partner.

There are 10 desks in the classroom.

**2 There is, there are**

- ▶ Use *there is* with singular nouns: **There's** a bed. Use *there are* with plural nouns: **There are** two chairs.
- ▶ Use *some* in affirmative statements: There are **some** chairs in the kitchen. Use *any* in negative statements: There aren't **any** chairs in the bedroom.

Read the information about the Diaz family's new house. Write sentences with the phrases in the box.

there's a	there are some
there's no	there are no
there isn't a	there aren't any

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|---------------------------------|-----|
| 1. A living room?               | Yes |
| 2. A dining room?               | No  |
| 3. A dishwasher in the kitchen? | No  |
| 4. A table in the kitchen?      | Yes |
| 5. Curtains on the windows?     | Yes |
| 6. Rugs on the floors?          | No  |
| 7. Closets in the bedrooms?     | Yes |
| 8. Bookcases in the bedrooms?   | No  |
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1. There's a living room.
  2. there isn't a dining room
  3. there isn't a dishwasher in the kitchen
  4. there's a table in the kitchen
  5. there are some curtains on the windows
  6. there aren't any rugs on the floors
  7. there are a closets in the bedrooms
  8. there aren't any bookcases in the bedrooms

**3** Complete the conversation with the correct words in parentheses.

Betsy: Do you live near here, Lauren?  
(Do / Does) (live / lives)

Lauren: Yes, I do. My husband and I  
(do / does)  
live on Main Street.  
(live / lives)

Betsy: Oh, do you live in an apartment?  
(live / lives)

Lauren: No, we don't. We have a house.  
(don't / doesn't) (have / has)

Betsy: Oh, great! do you have children?  
(Do / Does) (have / has)

Lauren: No, we don't. But my brother lives  
(don't / doesn't) (live / lives)  
with us.

Betsy: Really? Does he do a lot of work at home?

Lauren: Yes, he does. In fact, he cooks  
(do / does) (cook / cooks)  
dinner every night!

Betsy: You're lucky! I live alone, and  
(live / lives)

I cook my own dinner.  
(cook / cooks)



**4** Answer these questions with your information. Use short answers.

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|---|----------------------------------|
| 1. Do you live in an apartment?               | <u>Yes, I do. / No, I don't.</u> |
| 2. Do you have a yard?                        | <u>no, I don't</u>               |
| 3. Do you live with your family?              | <u>yes, it does</u>              |
| 4. Does your city or town have a park?        | <u>yes, it does</u>              |
| 5. Does your teacher have a car?              | <u>yes, she does</u>             |
| 6. Do you and your classmates speak English?  | <u>no, we don't</u>              |
| 7. Do you and your classmates study together? | <u>yes, we do</u>                |
| 8. Does your classroom have a view?           | <u>no, it doesn't</u>            |
| 9. Does your school have an elevator?         | <u>no, it doesn't</u>            |
| 10. Does your city or town have a subway?     | <u>no, it doesn't</u>            |

**5** What furniture do they have?

**A** Answer the questions about the pictures.



1. A: Does she have a television?  
B: Yes, she does.
2. A: Does she need curtains?  
B: no, she doesn't need curtains
3. A: Does she need a sofa?  
B: yes, she does need a sofa
4. A: Does she have a chair?  
B: no, she doesn't have a chair
5. A: Does she have a rug?  
B: si, she does have a rug
6. A: Does she need pictures?  
B: no, she doesn't pictures



7. A: Do they have a lamp?  
B: yes, they do have a lap
8. A: Do they need a table?  
B: yes, they do need a table
9. A: Do they have chairs?  
B: no, they don't have chairs
10. A: Do they need a clock?  
B: no, they don't need a clock
11. A: Do they have a mirror?  
B: no, they don't have a mirror
12. A: Do they need curtains?  
B: yes, they do need curtains

**B** What furniture do you have? What furniture do you need? Write four sentences.

1. I do need a table in mi bedroom
2. I do have a chair in my kitchen
3. I do have a window in my room  
I do need a clock in my room
4. \_\_\_\_\_

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Complete the description with 's, are, or aren't.



In Roger's house, there 's a big living room. There are two bedrooms and two bathrooms. There aren't no yard, but there 's a balcony. He has a lot of books, so there 's bookcases in the living room and bedrooms. There are any chairs in the kitchen, but there 's a big table with chairs in the dining room. There aren't no stove in the kitchen, but there 's a small microwave oven. There are two televisions in Roger's house – there 's one television in the living room, and there 's one television in the bedroom.

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Answer these questions with information about your home. Use the phrases in the box.

there's a ...	there are some ...
there's no ...	there are no ...
there isn't a ...	there aren't any ...

- Does your kitchen have a dishwasher?  
Yes, there's a dishwasher in my kitchen.  
No, there isn't a dishwasher. / No, there's no dishwasher.
- Does your kitchen have a clock?  
No, there isn't have a clock.
- Do you have a television in your living room?  
yes, there's have a television in your living room
- Do you have bookcases in your living room?  
no, there aren't any bookcases in your living room
- Does the bathroom have a mirror?  
yes, there's a have mirror in the bathroom
- Do you have pictures in your bedroom?  
no, there aren't pictures in my bedroom
- Does your bedroom have a closet?  
yes, there are some have a closet

