UNIT II. WHERE ARE YOU FROM?

2.1.- Cities and Countries

1 SNAPSHOT

○ Listen and practice.

The Ten Largest Cities in the World

Cities	Countries
1. Tokyo	a. Brazil
2. Seoul	b. China
3. Mexico City	c. India
4. New York City	d. Indonesia
5. Mumbai	e. Japan
6. Jakarta	f. Mexico
7. São Paulo	g. South Korea
8. Delhi	h. the U.S.
9. Osaka	
10. Shanghai	

(based on population in the metropolitan area)
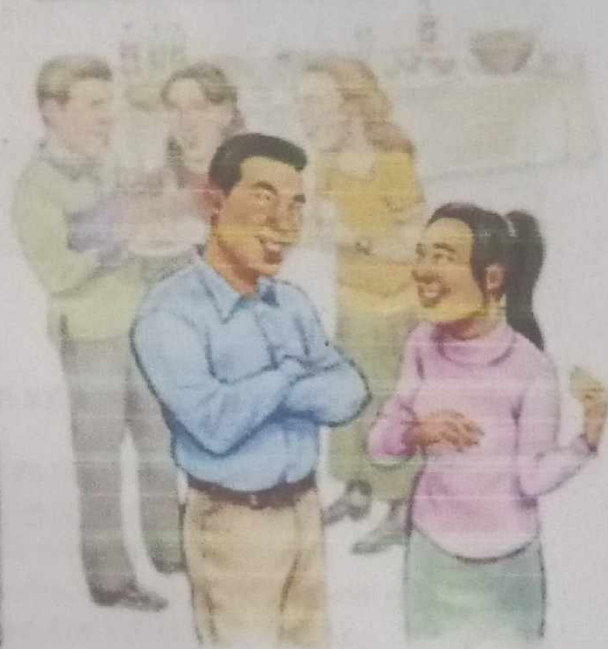
Source: www.worldatlas.com

Match the cities with the countries. Then check your answers at the bottom of the Snapshot. What other large cities are in each country? What large cities are in your country?

2 CONVERSATION Are you from Seoul?

A ○ Listen and practice.

Tim: Are you from California, Jessica?
Jessica: Well, my family is in California now, but we're from South Korea originally.
Tim: Oh, my mother is Korean – from Seoul! Are you from Seoul?
Jessica: No, we're not. We're from Daejeon.
Tim: So is your first language Korean?
Jessica: Yes, it is.

B ○ Listen to Jessica and Tim talk to Tony, Natasha, and Monique. Check (✓) True or False.

	True	False
1. Tony is from Italy.	☐	☐
2. Natasha is from New York.	☐	☐
3. Monique's first language is English.	☐	☐

WELCOME NEW STUDENTS

2.2.- Negative and Questions with be

Negative statements and yes/no questions with be

I'm not from New York	Are you from California?	I am.	I'm not
You're not late	Am I early?	you are	you're not
She's not from Russia	Is she from Brazil?	she is	she's not
He's not from Italy	Is he from Chile?	he is	he's not
It's not English	Is it Korean?	Yes, it is	No, it's not
We're not from Japan	Are you from China?	we are	we're not
You're not early	Are we late?	you are	you're not
They're not in Mexico	Are they in Canada?	they are	they're not

We're = We are

A Complete the conversations. Then practice with a partner.

Kyoto, Japan

1. A: Hiroshi, __are__ you and Maiko from Japan?
   B: Yes, we __are__.
   A: Oh? __are__ you from Tokyo?
   B: No, __we're__ not __we're__ from Kyoto.

2. 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 are__ not from the U.K. originally.
   A: __is__ Laura's first language Italian?
   B: No, __she is__ not. __she's__ English.

3. A: __are__ Angelina and Carlos from Mexico?
   B: No, __they aren't__. __they are__ from Brazil.
   A: __are__ you from Brazil, too?
   B: No, __I am__ not. I'm from Peru.
   A: So, __is__ your first language Spanish?
   B: Yes, it __is__.

Lima, Peru

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

1. Are you and your family from Canada? __a__
2. Is your first language English? __c__
3. Are you Japanese? __e__
4. Is Mr. Ho from Hong Kong? __a__
5. Is your mother from the U.S.? __b__

a. No, he's not. He's from Singapore.
b. Yes, she is. She's from California.
c. No, it's not. It's Japanese.
d. No, we're not. We're from Australia.
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 not a student.~~)

▶ *You* is a singular and a plural pronoun: Are **you** from Rio? Yes, **I** am./Yes, **we** a

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 not are in my class

4. is / my first language / Spanish / not
   My first language is not Spanish.

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: _____His is_____ your first language English?
   B: Yes, it _____is_____. My parents _____is_____ from Australia.

3. A: _____are_____ Kenji and his friend Japanese?
   B: Yes, they are _____ are. But _____they are_____ in the U.S. now.

4. A: _____are_____ my mother and I late?
   B: No, you are _____ not you are _____ early!

2.2.- Where are they from?

WHERE ARE THEY FROM?

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

Penelope Cruz	Robert Pattinson	Haru Nomura	Cate Blanchett	Javier Hernández
☐ Mexico	☐ the U.S.	☐ South Korea	☑ Australia	☐ Brazil
☐ France	☑ the U.K.	☑ Japan	☐ New Zealand	☑ Mexico
☑ Spain	☐ Canada	☐ China	☐ South Africa	☐ 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: My sister Tammy. She's only twelve. She's the baby of the family.

2.3.- Numbers and Ages

NUMBERS AND AGES

A ◯ Listen and practice.

11 eleven	21 twenty-one	40 forty
12 twelve	22 twenty-two	50 fifty
13 thirteen	23 twenty-three	60 sixty
14 fourteen	24 twenty-four	70 seventy
15 fifteen	25 twenty-five	80 eighty
16 sixteen	26 twenty-six	90 ninety
17 seventeen	27 twenty-seven	100 one hundred
18 eighteen	28 twenty-eight	101 one hundred (and) one
19 nineteen	29 twenty-nine	102 one hundred (and) two
20 twenty	30 thirty	103 one hundred (and) three

B ◯ Listen and practice. Notice the word stress.

thirteen – thirty   fourteen – forty   fifteen – fifty   sixteen – sixty

C PAIR WORK Look at the people in Jill's family for one minute.
Then close your books. How old are they? Tell your partner.

A. Helen – 76   **B. Howard – 52**   **C. Jackie – 49**   **D. Megan – 23**   **E. Tim and Tom –**

A) He is seventy-six old

C) She is forty-nine old

E) They are fifteen old

B) He is fifty-two old

D) She is twenty-three old

2.4.- Wh-questions with be

Wh-questions with be ○

What's your name?
My name is Jill.
Where are you from?
I'm from Canada.
How are you today?
I'm just fine.

Who's that?
He's my brother.
How old is he?
He's twenty-one.
What's he like?
He's very nice.

Who's = Who is

Who are they?
They're my classmates.
Where are they from?
They're from Rio.
What's Rio like?
It's very beautiful.

A Complete the conversations with Wh-questions. Then practice with a partner.

1. A: Look! _Who's that_ ?
   B: Oh, he's a new student.
   A: _what's his name_ ?
   B: I think his name is Ming.
   A: Ming? _where is he from_ ?
   B: He's from China.

2. A: Serhat, _where are you from_?
   B: I'm from Turkey – from Istanbul.
   A: _what's Istanbul like_
   B: Istanbul is very old and beautiful.
   A: _what's your last name?_
   B: My last name is Erdogan.

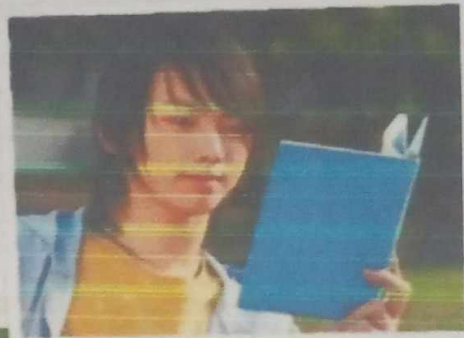3. A: Hi, John. _How are you today_ ?
   B: I'm just fine. My friend Teresa is here this week – from Argentina.
   A: Oh, cool. _What's she like_ ?
   B: She's really friendly.
   A: _How old is she_ ?
   B: She's twenty-eight years old.

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2 Wh-questions with *be*

▶ Use *what* to ask about things. Use *where* to ask about places. Use *Who* to ask about people. Use *What...like?* to ask for a description.
▶ Use *how* to ask for a description: **How are** you today? Use *How old* to ask abou age: **How old** is he?
▶ In answers about age, you can use only the number or the number + *years ol* He's **18**. OR He's **18 years old**.

Complete the questions with *how, what, where,* or *who*. Then match the question with the answers.

1. ___Who___ is that? ...d...
2. ___What___ is her name? .C....
3. ___what___ is she like? .F....
4. ___How___ old is she? .b....
5. ___where___ is your family from? .a...
6. ___what___ is Bangkok like? .e....

a. We're from Thailand – from Bang
b. She's 16.
c. Her name is Nittaya.
d. She's my sister.
e. It's really beautiful.
f. She's a little shy.

WORD POWER Descriptions

A ◎ Listen and practice.

a. pretty
b. handsome
c. good-looking
d. talkative
e. quiet
f. funny
g. serious
h. shy
i. short
j. tall
k. friendly
l. heavy
m. thin

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