

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 about age: **How old** is he?
- ▶ In answers about age, you can use only the number or the number + *years old*: 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? e
4. What old is she? b
5. Where is your family from? a
6. How is Bangkok like? f

- a. We're from Thailand – from Bangkok!
- 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

2.2.- Where are they from?

WHERE ARE THEY FROM?

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



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Penelope Cruz
 Mexico
 France
 Spain



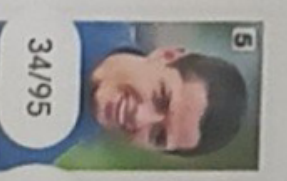
2
Robert Pattinson
 the U.S.
 the UK
 Canada



3
Haru Nomura
 South Korea
 Japan
 China



4
Cate Blanchett
 Australia
 New Zealand
 South Africa



5
Javier Hernandez
 Brazil
 Mexico
 Chile

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

A: Is Penelope Cruz from Mexico? NO
B: No, she's not.
A: Is she from France? *She's not. It's Australia.*

CONVERSATION He's cute.

⑨ 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.



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<p>What's your name? My name is Jill.</p> <p>Where are you from? I'm from Canada.</p> <p>How are you today? I'm just fine.</p>	<p>Who's that? He's my brother.</p> <p>How old is he? He's twenty-one.</p> <p>What's he like? He's very nice.</p> <p>Who's = Who is</p>	<p>Who are they? They're my classmates.</p> <p>Where are they from? They're from Rio.</p> <p>What's Rio like? It's very beautiful.</p>
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A Complete the conversations with Wh- questions. Then practice with a partner.

- 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's he from?

B: He's from China.
- A: So what, And you where are you?

B: I'm from Turkey - from Istanbul.

A: Istanbul is very old and beautiful.

B: Istanbul is very old and beautiful.

A: How old are you?

B: My last name is Erdogan.
- A: Hi, John. Find your friend when you're here.

B: I'm just fine. My friend Teresa is here this week - from Argentina.

A: Oh, cool. How's she?

B: She's really friendly.

A: How old is she?

B: She's twenty-eight years old.



1 Negative statements and yes/no questions with be

- ▶ Use be + not to form negative statements: Ana isn't a student. (not: Ana + me 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
Not we're 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 not is Spanish.
5. from / my mother / not / is / Seoul
My first language not is Spanish.
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, my family not is from Mexico from Guatemala.
2. A: Is your first language English?
B: Yes, it my first language. My parents are from Australia.
3. A: Look Kenji and his friend Japanese?
B: Yes, look are. But it goes in the U.S. now.
4. A: But my mother and I late?
B: No, mother not we early!