

1 All Clear Basics

Grammar

be: present simple

Affirmative	Contracted form
I am	I'm
You are	You're
He is	He's
She is	She's
It is	It's
We are	We're
You are	You're
They are	They're



1 Circle the correct words.

They are / is from the USA.

- 1 London is / are in the UK.
- 2 We am / are Chinese.
- 3 She is / are from Japan.
- 4 I am / is French.

Negative	Contracted form
I am not	I'm not
You are not	You aren't
He is not	He isn't
She is not	She isn't
It is not	It isn't
We are not	We aren't
You are not	You aren't
They are not	They aren't

2 Complete the sentences with the affirmative or negative form of be.

- ✓ I am from Japan.
- 1 ✗ I _____ 14.
 - 2 ✗ My friends _____ Spanish.
 - 3 ✓ We _____ good friends.
 - 4 ✓ Goku _____ my dog.

Subject pronouns and possessive adjectives

3 Complete the table with the words in the box.

he her + it our they your

Subject pronoun	Possessive adjective
_____ / _____	my
you	1 _____
2 _____	his
she	3 _____
4 _____	its
we	5 _____
6 _____	their

be: questions and short answers

Questions and short answers	
Am I ... ?	Yes, I am. No, I'm not.
Are you ... ?	Yes, you are. No, you aren't.
Is he / she / it ... ?	Yes, he / she / it is. No, he / she / it isn't.
Are we / you / they ... ?	Yes, we / you / they are. No, we / you / they aren't.

4 Complete answers a–d with Yes or No. Then match the questions with the answers.

Are you Canadian?
_____ Yes _____, I am. I'm from Canada.

- 1 Is it a pencil? _____
 - 2 Are they from the USA? _____
 - 3 Is Elena Spanish? _____
 - 4 Are we in Room 2? _____
- a) _____, we aren't. We're in Room 7.
b) _____, they are. They're American.
c) _____, it isn't. It's a pen.
d) _____, she isn't. She's Colombian.