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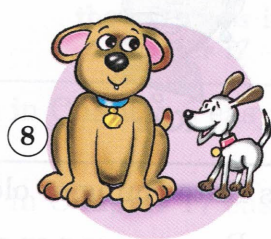
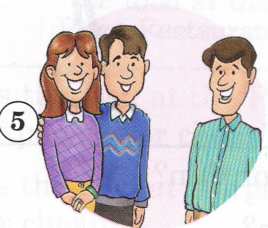
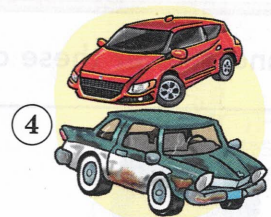
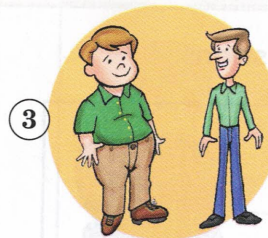
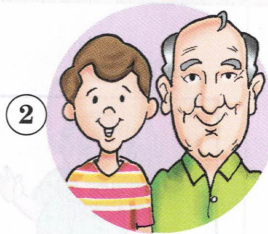
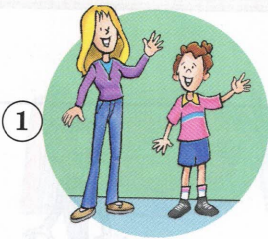
**To Be: Yes/No Questions**  
**Short Answers**

**Adjectives**  
**Possessive Nouns**

- Describing People and Things
- Weather

- Reading a Weather Map
- Fahrenheit and Celsius Temperatures

## VOCABULARY PREVIEW



1. tall – short
2. young – old
3. heavy / fat – thin
4. new – old

5. married – single
6. handsome – ugly
7. beautiful / pretty – ugly
8. large / big – small / little

9. noisy / loud – quiet
10. expensive – cheap
11. easy – difficult
12. rich – poor

# Tall or Short?

(I am)	I'm	} tall.
(He is)	He's	
(She is)	She's	
(It is)	It's	
(We are)	We're	
(You are)	You're	
(They are)	They're	



Bob      Bill

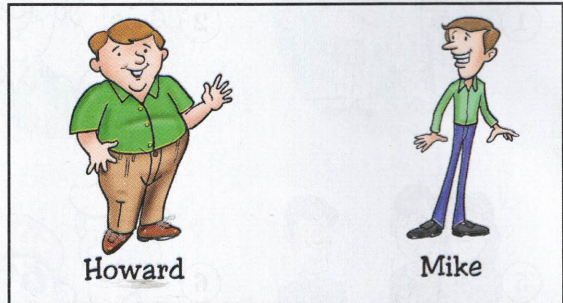
- A. Is Bob tall or short?
- B. He's tall.
- A. Is Bill tall or short?
- B. He's short.

Ask and answer these questions.



Kate

Peggy

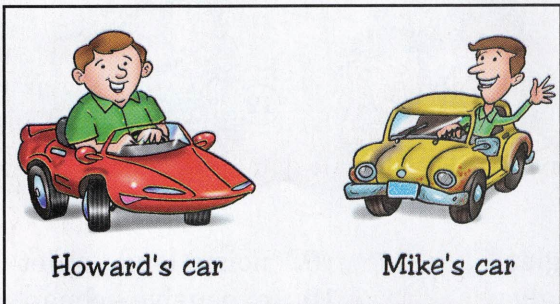


Howard

Mike

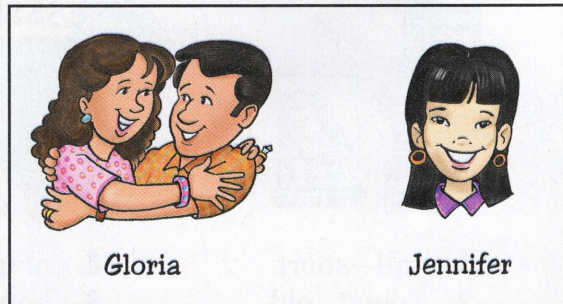
- 1. Is Kate young or old?
- 2. Is Peggy young or old?

- 3. Is Howard heavy or thin?
- 4. Is Mike fat or thin?



Howard's car

Mike's car

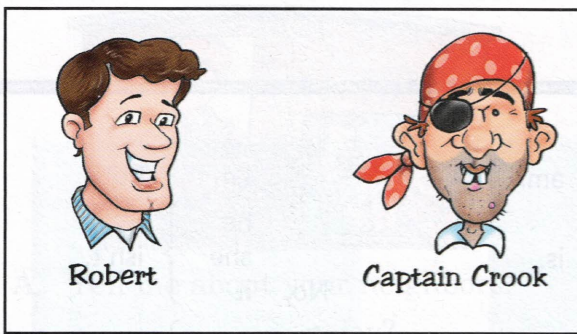


Gloria

Jennifer

- 5. Is Howard's car new or old?
- 6. Is Mike's car new or old?

- 7. Is Gloria married or single?
- 8. Is Jennifer married or single?



Robert

Captain Crook

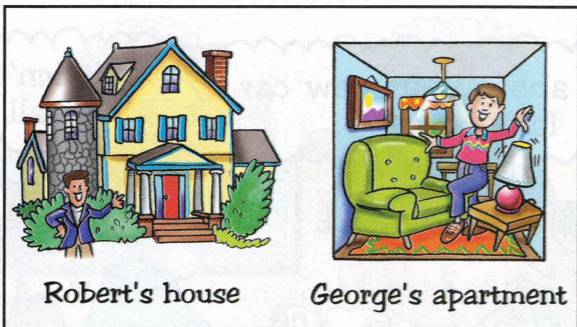
9. Is Robert handsome or ugly?  
 10. Is Captain Crook handsome or ugly?



Vanessa

Hilda

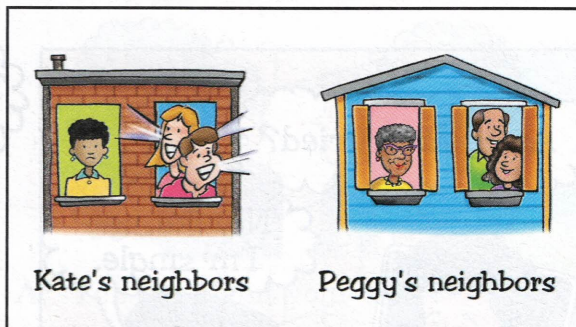
11. Is Vanessa beautiful or ugly?  
 12. Is Hilda pretty or ugly?



Robert's house

George's apartment

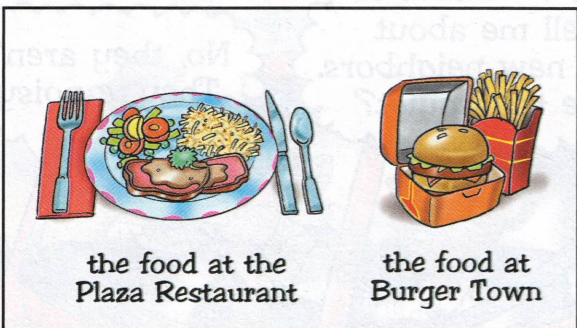
13. Is Robert's house large or small?  
 14. Is George's apartment big or little?



Kate's neighbors

Peggy's neighbors

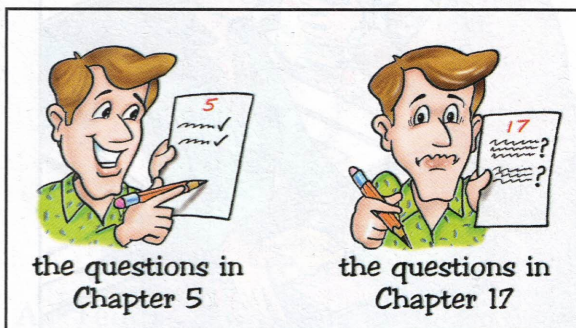
15. Are Kate's neighbors noisy or quiet?  
 16. Are Peggy's neighbors loud or quiet?



the food at the Plaza Restaurant

the food at Burger Town

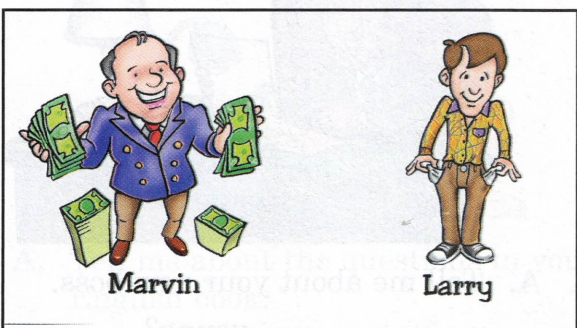
17. Is the food at the Plaza Restaurant expensive or cheap?  
 18. Is the food at Burger Town expensive or cheap?



the questions in Chapter 5

the questions in Chapter 17

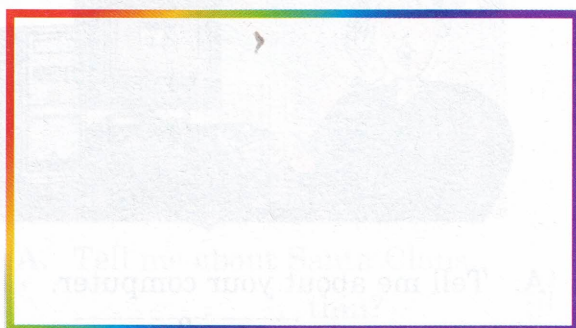
19. Are the questions in Chapter 5 easy or difficult?  
 20. Are the questions in Chapter 17 easy or difficult?



Marvin

Larry

21. Is Marvin rich or poor?  
 22. Is Larry rich or poor?



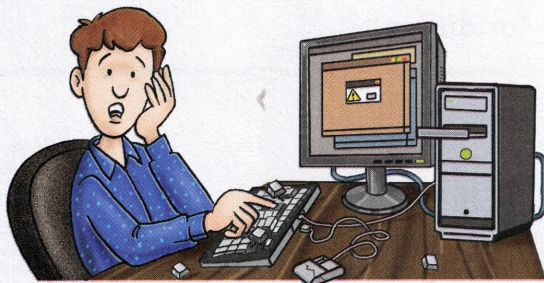
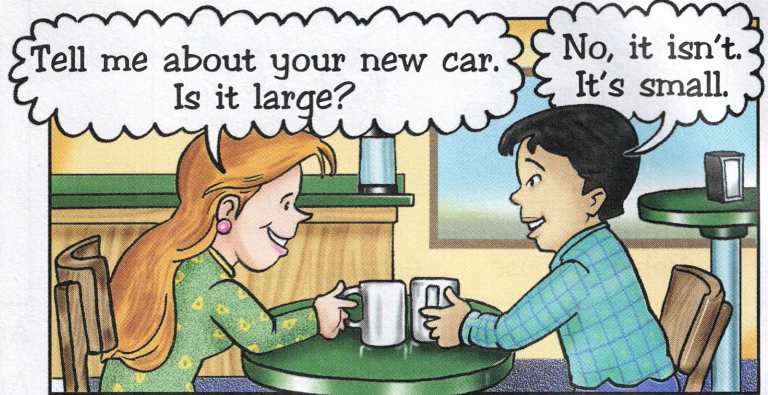
Now ask and answer your own questions.

# Tell Me About . . .

Am I  
 Is { he  
     she  
     it } tall?  
 Are { we  
     you  
     they

I am.  
 Yes, { he  
       she  
       it } is.  
       we  
       you  
       they } are.

I'm not.  
 No, { he  
       she  
       it } isn't.  
       we  
       you  
       they } aren't.



1. A. Tell me about your computer.

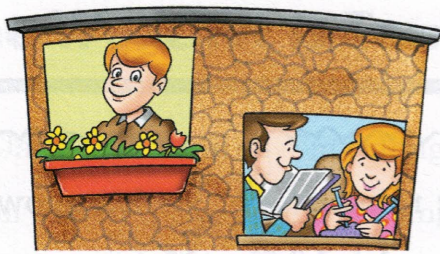
\_\_\_\_\_ new?

B. No, \_\_\_\_\_.

2. A. Tell me about your new boss.

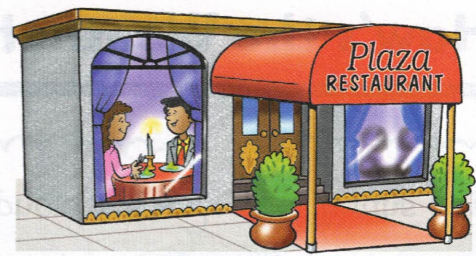
\_\_\_\_\_ young?

B. No, \_\_\_\_\_.



3. A. Tell me about your neighbors.  
\_\_\_\_\_ noisy?

B. No, \_\_\_\_\_.



4. A. Tell me about the Plaza Restaurant.  
\_\_\_\_\_ cheap?

B. No, \_\_\_\_\_.



5. A. Tell me about your brother.  
\_\_\_\_\_ tall?

B. No, \_\_\_\_\_.



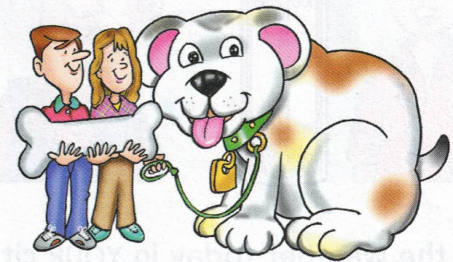
6. A. Tell me about your sister.  
\_\_\_\_\_ single?

B. No, \_\_\_\_\_.



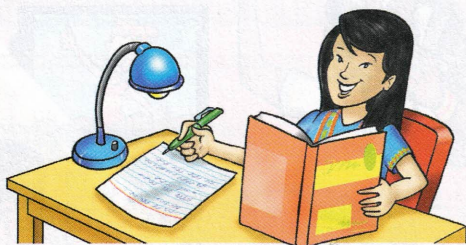
7. A. Tell me about Nancy's cat.  
\_\_\_\_\_ pretty?

B. No, \_\_\_\_\_.



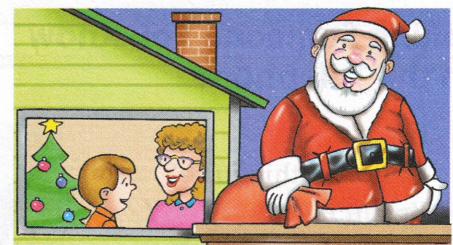
8. A. Tell me about Ron and Betty's dog.  
\_\_\_\_\_ little?

B. No, \_\_\_\_\_.



9. A. Tell me about the questions in your English book.  
\_\_\_\_\_ difficult?

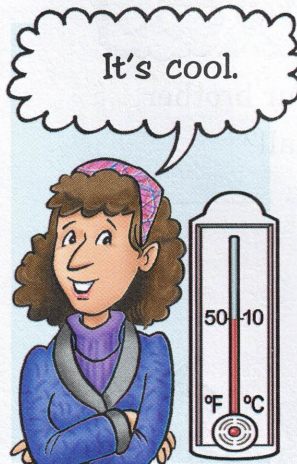
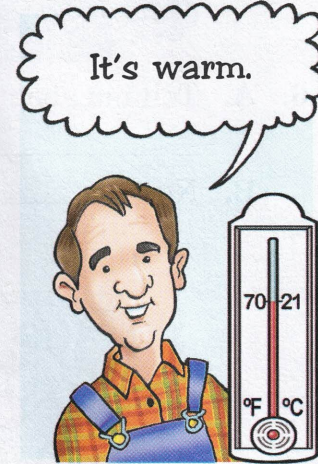
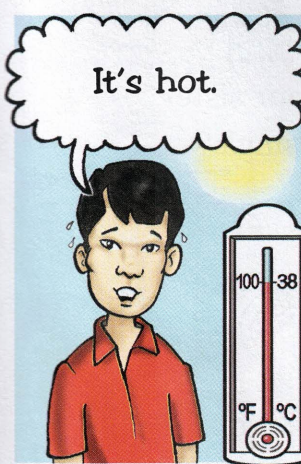
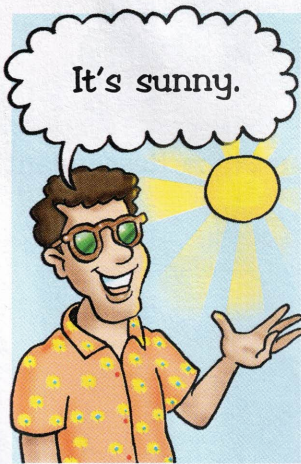
B. No, \_\_\_\_\_.



10. A. Tell me about Santa Claus.  
\_\_\_\_\_ thin?

B. No, \_\_\_\_\_.

# How's the Weather Today?



How's the weather today in YOUR city?

## How to Say It!

### Calling Someone You Know on the Telephone

- A. Hello.
- B. Hello. Is this *Julie*?
- A. Yes, it is.
- B. Hi, *Julie*. This is *Anna*.
- A. Hi, *Anna*. . .

Practice conversations with other students.



# The Weather Is Terrible Here!

A. Hi, Jack. This is Jim. I'm calling from Miami.

B. From Miami? What are you doing in Miami?

A. I'm on vacation.

B. How's the weather in Miami? Is it sunny?

A. No, it isn't. It's raining.

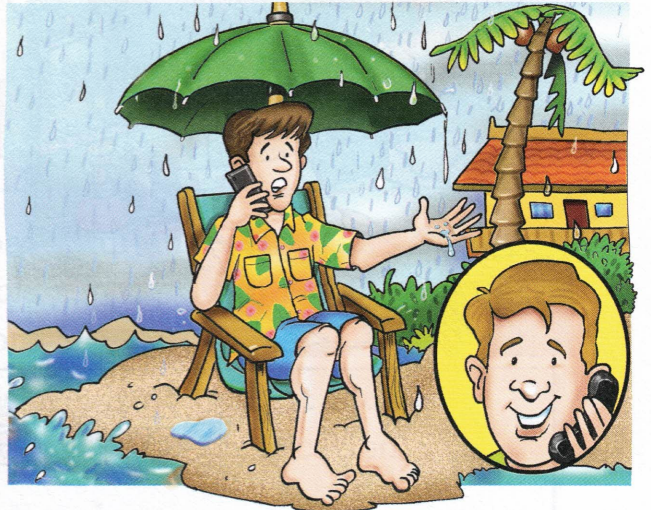
B. Is it hot?

A. No, it isn't. It's cold.

B. Are you having a good time?

A. No, I'm not. I'm having a TERRIBLE time.  
The weather is TERRIBLE here!

B. I'm sorry to hear that.



A. Hi, \_\_\_\_\_. This is \_\_\_\_\_. I'm calling from \_\_\_\_\_.

B. From \_\_\_\_\_? What are you doing in \_\_\_\_\_?

A. I'm on vacation.

B. How's the weather in \_\_\_\_\_? Is it \_\_\_\_\_?

A. No, it isn't. It's \_\_\_\_\_.

B. Is it \_\_\_\_\_?

A. No, it isn't. It's \_\_\_\_\_.

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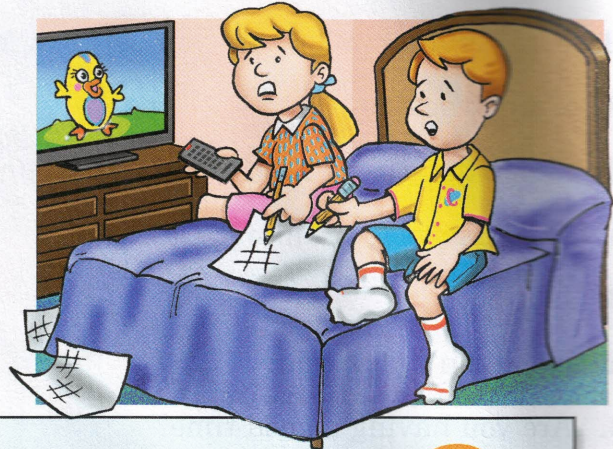
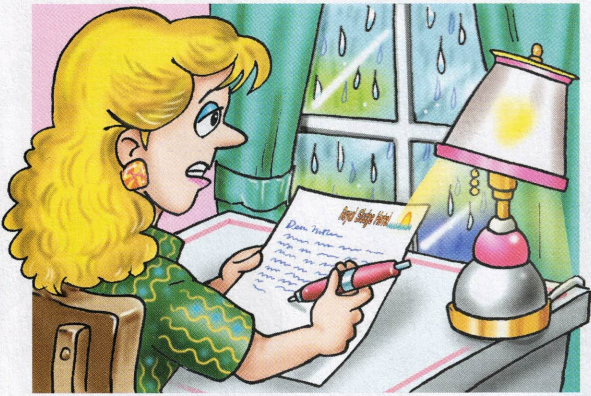
1. *British Columbia*  
cool?  
snowing?



2. *Tahiti*  
hot?  
sunny?

You're on vacation, and the weather is terrible! Call a student in your class. Use the conversation above as a guide.

DEAR MOTHER



## Royal Sludge Hotel

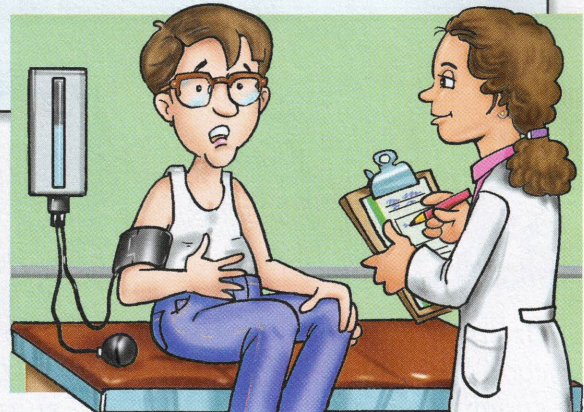
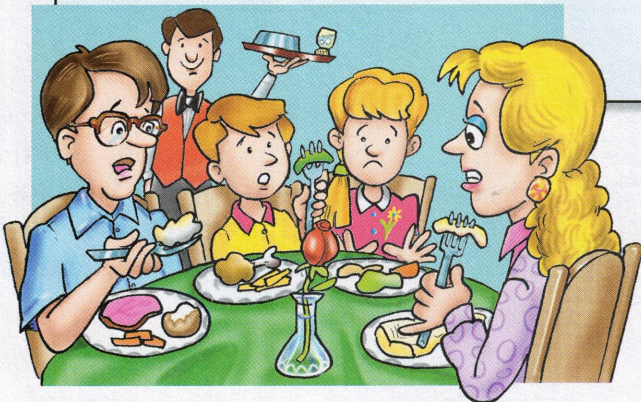
Dear Mother,

I'm writing from our hotel at Sludge Beach. Ralph and I are on vacation with the children for a few days. We're happy to be here, but to tell the truth, we're having a few problems.

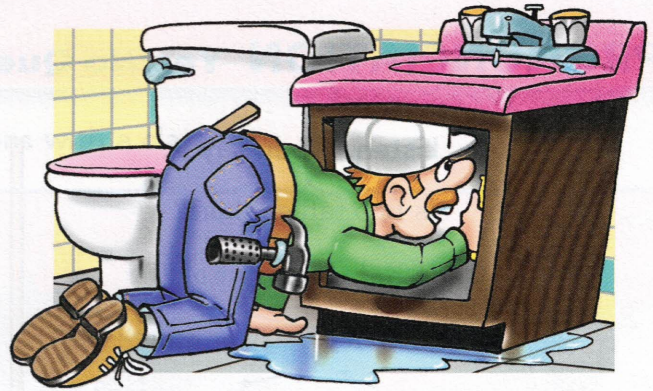
The weather isn't very good. In fact, it's cold and cloudy. Right now I'm looking out the window, and it's raining cats and dogs.

The children aren't very happy. In fact, they're bored and they're having a terrible time. Right now they're sitting on the bed, playing tic tac toe and watching TV.

The restaurants here are expensive, and the food isn't very good. In fact, Ralph is at a clinic right now. He's having problems with his stomach.







All the other hotels here are beautiful and new. Our hotel is ugly, and it's very, very old. In fact, right now a repairperson is fixing the bathroom sink.

So, Mother, we're having a few problems here at Sludge Beach, but we're happy. We're happy to be on vacation, and we're happy to be together.

See you soon.

Love,

Ethel

## ✓ READING CHECK-UP

### TRUE OR FALSE?

- |                                      |   |
|--------------------------------------|---|
| ___ 1. The weather is beautiful.     | ___ 5. Ralph is at the hotel right now.     |
| ___ 2. The children are happy.       | ___ 6. Their hotel is old.                  |
| ___ 3. The children are watching TV. | ___ 7. A repairperson is fixing the window. |
| ___ 4. The restaurants are cheap.    | ___ 8. Ethel is watching the cats and dogs. |

## LISTENING

### WHAT'S THE ANSWER?

Listen and choose the correct answer.

- |                      |                    |
|----------------------|--------------------|
| 1. a. It's large.    | b. It's heavy.     |
| 2. a. It's married.  | b. It's beautiful. |
| 3. a. They're quiet. | b. They're sunny.  |
| 4. a. It's young.    | b. It's warm.      |
| 5. a. It's small.    | b. It's easy.      |
| 6. a. It's good.     | b. It's raining.   |

### TRUE OR FALSE?

Listen to the conversation. Then answer *True* or *False*.

1. Louise is calling Betty.
2. The weather is hot and sunny.
3. The hotel is old.
4. The food is very good.
5. Louise is watching TV.

# PRONUNCIATION Yes/No Questions with or

Listen. Then say it.

Is Bob tall or short?

Is Kate young or old?

Are they noisy or quiet?

Is it hot or cold?

Say it. Then listen.

Is the car new or old?

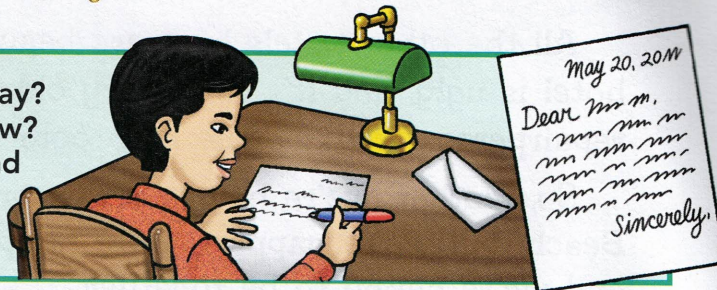
Are you married or single?

Is it sunny or cloudy?

Are they large or small?



How's the weather today?  
What are you doing now?  
Write a letter to a friend  
and tell about it.



## GRAMMAR FOCUS

TO BE: YES/NO QUESTIONS

Am	I	tall?
Is	he she it	
Are	we you they	

TO BE: SHORT ANSWERS

Yes,	I	am.
	he she it	is.
	we you they	are.

No,	I'm	not.
	he she it	isn't.
	we you they	aren't.

Complete the sentences.

1. A. \_\_\_\_\_ he tall?

B. Yes, \_\_\_\_\_.

2. A. \_\_\_\_\_ they new?

B. Yes, \_\_\_\_\_.

3. A. \_\_\_\_\_ she short?

B. No, \_\_\_\_\_.

4. A. \_\_\_\_\_ you and Roberto busy?

B. Yes, \_\_\_\_\_.

5. A. \_\_\_\_\_ your homework difficult?

B. No, \_\_\_\_\_.

6. A. \_\_\_\_\_ your neighbors quiet?

B. No, \_\_\_\_\_.

7. A. \_\_\_\_\_ you single?

B. Yes, \_\_\_\_\_.

8. A. \_\_\_\_\_ it raining?

B. Yes, \_\_\_\_\_.

9. A. \_\_\_\_\_ you heavy?

B. No, \_\_\_\_\_.

10. A. \_\_\_\_\_ you and Alicia busy?

B. No, \_\_\_\_\_.

11. A. \_\_\_\_\_ your sister married?

B. Yes, \_\_\_\_\_.

12. A. \_\_\_\_\_ Mr. Lee in Miami?

B. No, \_\_\_\_\_.