

IF YOU WANT YOU CAN READ A BOOK – A1 LEVEL (if you want me to guide you don't hesitate to ask) and you can also do a little project. If you have any doubts you can write me an email to fiona@colexioabrente.org and I'll be glad to help.

1. Complete the sentence with the verb to be or have got.



Help me complete the sentences with "to be" and "have got".

1. My name Homer Simpson.

2. I a big family.

3. "Where you from, Homer?" - Springfield.

4. My wife Marge long blue hair.

5. Bart, Lisa and Maggie my children.

6. I 39 years old.

7. "..... youany brothers?" - Yes, a half-brother. Herb Powell.

8. Santa's Little Helper our pet dog.

9. We a happy family.

10. Bart some problems in school.

11. I (not) much money.

12. Mr. Burns my boss.

13. Lisa the intelligent one.

14. My eyes (not) small, but big.

15. Marge two sisters, Patty and Selma.

16. Marge and I a wonderful life.

17. "What Bart's full name?" - Bartholomew JoJo Simpson.

18. We also a Cat. Its name is Snowball II.

19. "..... you married, Homer?" - Yes, I am.

20. "..... Bart a good boy?" - Hum... sometimes.

2. Describe your family.

3. Circle the correct answer :

1. I **plays / play** tennis every afternoon.
2. My parents **live / lives** in Ramat-Gan.
3. Tom **listens / listen** to the radio in the morning.
4. We **eat / eats** eggs for breakfast every morning.
5. My dog **barks / bark** at night.
6. Mrs. Gold **sweep / sweeps** the stairs once a week.
7. My brother never **watches / watch** television.
8. My family **go / goes** to the beach together in the summer.
9. I often **eat / eats** dinner at my grandmother's house.
10. Sharon **do / does** her homework regularly.
11. They **takes / take** a bath daily.
12. You seldom **listen / listens** in class.
13. Dana and Liat **goes / go** to the swimming pool every afternoon.
14. I never **hurt / hurts** my cat.
15. He never **finish / finishes** his work on time.

4. Fill in the correct form of the verb in Present Simple:

1. Fish (not fly) _____. They (swim) _____.
2. The sun (not rise) _____ in the west. It (set) _____ down in the west.
3. A spider (not have) _____ wings. A bird (have) _____ wings.
4. Cats (not bark) _____. Dogs (do) _____.
5. Natalie usually (not sit) _____ in the sun. She rarely (go) _____ to the beach.
6. Babies (not talk) _____. They (cry) _____.
7. Dalia often (dry) _____ the dishes but she (not put) _____ them away.
8. Betty usually (not do) _____ homework before she (eat) _____ supper.
9. Sarit (brush) _____ her hair every morning before she (go) _____ to school.
10. Nir always (try) _____ to be a good boy, but he (not behave) _____ well.
11. Mike usually (not catch) _____ a cold in the winter. He (catch) _____ in the summer.

5. Rewrite the following sentences, putting the frequency expressions in the right place

1. They are happy to have guests. **(always)**
2. We laugh at people in trouble. **(never)**
3. I'm busy on Wednesdays. **(usually)**
4. Birds build their nests on this roof. **(every winter)**
5. They sing very loudly. **(generally)**
6. Dalit is late for school. **(rarely)**
7. My parents help me with my homework. **(hardly ever)**
8. My parents visit us. **(from time to time)**
9. We are at home on Saturdays. **(often)**
10. The secretary works here. **(five days a week)**
11. We have fish for lunch. **(sometimes)**
12. Sharon has lunch before two o'clock. **(seldom)**

6. Make YES/NO Questions in the Present Simple:

1. Yes, Tamar hates mice.
2. Yes, our neighbor fixes bikes.
3. Yes, your mother bakes cakes every Friday.
4. No, Benny's father doesn't work in a bakery every week.
5. Yes, I always clean on Thursdays.
6. No, Neta doesn't run fast.
7. Yes, Idan tries to win the swimming contest every year.
8. No, these rooms don't have two windows.
9. Yes, the baby usually cries a lot.
10. Yes, Gilad always drives too fast.

7. Write YES/NO Questions OR Wh-Questions to the following answers:

1. I study English four days a week.
2. We usually finish school at 13:25.
3. My Father washes the car once a week.
4. Rinat comes late to work because she takes her son to kindergarten.
5. The last bus leaves at 10:00 o'clock every night.
6. Rinat feels very good.

7. Yes, I like geography.
8. No, we don't go to the park every afternoon.
9. My sister studies French because she wants to go to France.
10. Yes, Ronit belongs to a youth club.

8. Danny is asking Galit questions. Fill in the questions below:

Danny: _____.

Galit : My name is Galit.

Danny : _____.

Galit : I live in Haifa.

Danny : _____.

Galit : Yes, I go to school in Haifa.

Danny : _____.

Galit : My father drives me to school.

Danny : _____.

Galit : School begins at 08:15 in the morning.

Danny : _____.

Galit : No, my father doesn't take me back home.

Danny : _____.

Galit : Nobody makes my lunch when I return home.

Danny : Well we very alike. It is nice to meet you.

9. Read the text carefully and answer the questions:

Right now I am looking at a picture of Barbara. She is not at home in the picture. She is at the park. She is sitting on a bench. She is eating her lunch. Some boys and girls are running on a patch in the park. A squirrel is sitting on the ground in front of Barbara. The squirrel is eating a nut. Barbara is watching the squirrel. She always watches squirrels when she eats her lunch in the park. Some ducks are swimming in the pond in the picture, and some birds are flying in the sky. A policeman is riding a horse. He rides a horse in the park every day. Near Barbara, a family is having a picnic. They go on a picnic every week.

- a. Where is Barbara in the picture?
- b. What is she doing?
- c. What is the squirrel doing in the picture?

- d. What does Barbara always do when she has lunch in the park?
- e. What are the ducks doing?
- f. How often does the policeman ride his horse?
- g. How often does the family have a picnic at the park?

10. Circle the correct time expression:

- 1. I am studying for a test (every day, at the moment).
- 2. The first lesson starts at nine o'clock (now, every day).
- 3. My parents don't work (at the moment, on Fridays).
- 4. Where are they meeting (twice a week, tonight)?
- 5. Let's run! The bus is leaving (in five minutes, every hour).
- 6. Do you wake up late (on weekends, right now)?
- 7. Dror and his friends go to movies at least (at the moment, once a week).
- 8. He studies French (four times a week, now).
- 9. Dafna doesn't visit her parents (every day, now).
- 10. Is the teacher correcting the works (at the moment, 4 times a week)?

11. Circle the correct form of the verb:

- 1. Look! A man (runs, is running, are running) after Gila.
- 2. The doctor (is taking care of, take care of, take care of) my mother right now.
- 3. It (are raining, rains, is raining) heavily at the moment.
- 4. Mother (feed, is feeding, feeds) the baby at night.
- 5. Many children (are playing, play, plays) in the park every afternoon.
- 6. The boys (is planning, are planning, plan) the trip today.
- 7. Oded rarely (dance, is dancing, dances) at parties.
- 8. We (move, are moving, moves) to the new office tomorrow.
- 9. I don't like to drive (now, at night).
- 10. How often (does, is, do) Oren and Ben met?

12. Chilli's friend Della was on holiday in Jamaica. Read her letter to Chilli and complete it with the correct verbs.

- * invited * stopped * talked * stayed * travelled * enjoyed
- * didn't sleep * didn't get * watched * was * listened

Dear Chilli,

I had a fantastic holiday in Jamaica. It was hot and the sea was blue and lovely.

I by plane from London to Kingston. I really the flight. It was eight hours long but Iat all because I so excited. During the flight I to music, a film and to the girl in the seat next to me.

I with my aunt and uncle in Kingston. They me on a trip to Montego Bay. We at an Orchid Farm. It was brilliant. On my last night there I to bed until there o'clock in the morning!

See you soon!

Love, Della

13. Answer the questions:

1. Did she go to Jamaica?
2. How did she go to Kingston?
3. How was the weather?
4. What did she do on the plane?
5. Did she visit her grandparents?
6. Did she like the Orchid Farm?
7. When did she go to bed on her last night?
8. Where is Jamaica?
9. What do the tourists do in Jamaica?
10. How is the life for Jamaican people?

14. Complete these sentences in the PAST TENSE, using the correct verb:

* play * enjoy * watch * listen * talk * phone
* stop * walk * travel * like * stay

I **watched** the late film on TV last night.

1. We really the concert last night. It was great!
2. She with friends in Brighton last summer.
3. Italy very well in the last World Cup.
4. Her parents by train from Shanghai to Moscow.
5. I you four times last night but you were out.
6. We along the beach yesterday. It was lovely.
7. She the film but she didn't like the music.

8. The men work at exactly one o'clock.
9. I to the new Sting album yesterday. It's great.
10. They to us about their trip to Madagaskar. It was very interesting.

15. Complete the conversation with WAS / WASN'T / WERE / WEREN'T.

A: Where **were** you last night? I phoned you but you at home.
 B: Iout with friends. We at the Bluenote Café.
 A: Julia there?
 B: No, she Why?
 A: Oh, I just wondered.
 B: Sheout with Nick. Theyat the Oasis. I think.
 A: No, they
 B: How do you know?
 A: Because I there!

16. Complete the man's statement with the PAST SIMPLE form of the verbs in brackets:

Last night I (go) to my favorite restaurant in West Street. I (leave) the restaurant at about 11 o'clock. It (be) a warm evening and I (decide) to walk along the beach.

Suddenly, I (hear) a noise. I (turn) and (see) three boys aged about eighteen. One boy (come) up to me and (ask) me the time. When I (look) down at my watch, he (hit) me and I (fall) to the ground. Another boy (take) my wallet. I (shout) for help. Then they(run) away.

17. Complete the story. Use the verbs in the brackets:

Last year I **went** (go) on holiday. I (drive) to the sea with my friend. On the first day we (look) at the beautiful buildings and (eat) in lots of restaurants. The next day (be) very hot so we (drive) to the sea. We (leave) our clothes in the car and (sunbathe) and (swim) all day. At six o'clock we (walk) to our car, but the car(be) there. We (buy) some clothes and (go) to the Police Station. The police (be) nice and we (sleep) in the police station.

18. Make negative sentences (x) or questions (?) using the PAST TENSE:

Example: he / stay (x) in a hotel
He didn't stay in a hotel.

you / learn (?) speak Italian when you were in Italy.
Did you learn to speak Italian when you were in Italy?

1. she / like (x) the film
2. I / use / (x) the school computer yesterday
3. they / arrive (?) home late yesterday
4. you / ask (?) her for Caroline's address
5. he / enjoy (x) the concert in the park
6. we / talk (x) about school at all

19. Read the text. Write the questions below about Tamsin's holiday:

Last September Tamsin went to Bali. She went by plane and stayed in a big hotel. It was very hot, so she swam every day. In the evenings she went to different restaurants, the food was very good. She met some nice people and every night she danced with them at the disco. She was happy because she wasn't alone.

1. **Where did she go?** Bali.
2. Last September.
3. By plane.
4. In a big hotel.
5. It was very hot.
6. She swam.
7. It was very good.
8. Some nice people.

20. Read the text and answer the questions.

Silly Billy

Once upon a time, there was a young man called Billy. One day, his mother asked him to find a job. On the first day, he worked for a shoemaker. The shoemaker paid Billy some coins. Billy held them in his hand and walked home. On his way home, he met his neighbour. When he was waving at him, the coins fell out and rolled away.

On the second day, he worked for a farmer. The farmer gave him a jug of porridge. He poured the porridge into his pocket. When he was walking home, the porridge ran all the way down his trousers.

On the third day, he worked for a butcher. The butcher gave him a small goat. Billy put the goat on his shoulder. The goat jumped down and got away.

On the fourth day, he worked for a baker. The baker gave him a long loaf of bread. He tied a string to it and carried it home. Some street dogs smelt the bread, chased it and ate it. The next day, he worked for a fisherman. The fisherman paid him a fish. However, he did not take the fish home. He was happy that day because he thought he was cleverer this time.

1. How many jobs did Billy do?
2. Did he get anything from the jobs in the end?
3. How did he carry the loaf of bread home?
4. What happened when he was waving at his neighbour?
5. What do you think about Billy?

21. Write postcard to a friend about your holidays. What did you do? What are you doing? And, What do you want to do?