

English Grammar – Questions

| English | Portuguese | Examples |
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| where | onde | Where is Peter ? Where did you go last night? |
| when | quando | When is your birthday? When did you arrive ? |
| who | quem | Who is with you ? Who do you support ? |
| why | por que | Why did you buy another car yesterday ? Why are your clothes dirty ? |
| how | como | How are you ? How do you go to work ? How old are you ? |
| what | o que | What is your name ? What has happened to your car ? |
| which | qual | Which TV program do you like ? Which is your favorite color ? |
| how many | quantos | How many bedrooms are there in your house ? How many countries have you been to ? How many times have you been to Miami ? |
| how much | quanto | How much money do you have ? How much is this please ? How much time do you spend at work ? How long do you spend at work ? |
| how often | com qual frequência | How often do you go to the gym? How often do you drink coffee? |
| whose | de quem | Whose car is that? Whose is this ? |

Exercise 1. Answer the following questions:

1. Where do you live? _____
2. What date is it today? _____
3. Which color do you like? _____
4. When is your wife's birthday? _____

5. How do you go to work? _____
6. Who is your boss? _____
7. Why are you learning English? *Because* _____
8. How often do you travel abroad? _____
9. Who is president of the USA? _____
10. Which is your favorite pizza? _____

Yes/No Questions

1. to be

You are joking. -> Are you joking?

He is French. -> Is he French?

I am early. -> Am I early?

2. Compound verbs

He will be president. -> Will he be president?

You have been to Paris. -> Have you been to Paris?

They are eating sushi. -> Are they eating sushi?

3. Other verbs

He went to the park yesterday. -> Did he go to the park yesterday?

He likes pizza. -> Does he like pizza?

They think I am stupid. -> Do they think I am stupid?

Short answers to Yes/No questions

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| Was Peter here today ? | Yes, he was. / No, he wasn't. |
| Is this your car ? | Yes, it is. / No it isn't. |
| Are your dogs friendly ? | Yes, they are. / No they aren't. |
| Are you hungry ? | Yes, I am / No, I'm not. |
| Do you like sushi ? | Yes, I do. / No, I don't. |
| Does your mother eat meat? | Yes, she does. / No, she doesn't. |
| Did you stay home yesterday ? | Yes, I did. / No, I didn't. |
| Have you eaten already ? | Yes, I have. / No, I haven't. |
| Will you come back ? | Yes, I will. / No, I won't. |

Exercise 2. Convert the following sentences to Yes/No questions.

1. He is really impressed. _____
2. We have just arrived. _____
3. An expensive car hit her house. _____
4. They all hate me. _____
5. She was just about to say that. _____
6. They will never arrive. _____
7. He thought that I wouldn't notice. _____
8. She goes shopping every Sunday. _____

Exercise 3. Provide short answers to the following Yes/No questions.

1. Are you in New York ? _____
2. Is your favorite color blue ? _____
3. Are your neighbors away ? _____
4. Have your friends arrived yet ? _____
5. Do you like Pizza ? _____
6. Did your babysitter arrive late today ? _____
7. Was your day a good one ? _____
8. Does your son know how to cook ? _____
9. Will Lula be reinstated as president ? _____
10. Is it true that all Brazilians like rice ? _____

Exercise 4. Rearrange the words to make questions.

1. York New you in are ? _____

2. your is color blue favorite? _____

3. like you do who ? _____

4. at night go where you do ? _____

5. pizza you like do ? _____

6. Japanese do study you why ? _____

7. play when football do you ? _____

8. old is your how father ? _____

9. name your dog's is what ? _____

10. do church when you to go ? _____

11. for stay long how we should ? _____

12. go we think you do where should ? _____

13. you to like when go would ? _____

14. get work to how you do ? _____

15. you there do want what do to ? _____

16. tomorrow birthday isn't your it ? _____

17. coming my party is he to ? _____

18. like don't you why mall the going to ? _____

19. Mexico from they are ? _____

20. is what plus five two ? _____

21. Wednesday last do did you what ? _____

22. been you ever have Paris to ? _____

Exercise 5. Imagine that you are having a conversation with your favorite actor/actress.

a) Write five Yes/No questions for him/her:

1 _____

2 _____

3 _____

4 _____

5 _____

b) Write five W/H questions for him/her:

1 _____

2 _____

3 _____

4 _____

5 _____

More exercises:

https://www.englisch-hilfen.de/en/exercises_list/fragen.htm

<https://www.englisch-hilfen.de/en/exercises/questions/mistakes.htm>