

Verb To Be

Affirmative form		Castellano	Valencià
Long form	Short Form	Ser / Estar	Ser / Estar
I am You are He is She is It is We are You are They are	I'm You're He's She's It's We're You're They're	Yo soy / estoy Tú eres / estás Él es / está Ella es / está Esto es / está Nosotros somos / estamos Vosotros sois / estáis Ellos son / están	Jo sóc / estic Tu ets / estàs Ell és / està Ella és / està Açò és / està Nosaltres som / estem Vosaltres sou / esteu Ells són / estan

Negative form		Castellano	Valencià
Long form	Short Form	Ser / Estar	Ser / estar
I am not You are not He is not She is not It is not We are not You are not They are not	I'm not You aren't He isn't She isn't It isn't We aren't You aren't They aren't	Yo no soy / no estoy Tú no eres / no estás Él no es / no está Ella no es / no está Esto no es / no está Nosotros no somos / no estamos Vosotros no sois / no estáis Ellos no son / no están	Jo no sóc / no estic Tu no ets / no estàs Ell no és / no està Ella no és / no està Açò no és / no està Nosaltres no som / no estem Vosaltres no sou / no esteu Ells no són / no estan

Interrogative form	Castellano	Valencià
Am I? Are you Is he Is she....? Is it Are we.....? Are you ...? Are they...?	¿Soy yo....? / ¿estoy yo....? ¿Eres tú...? / ¿estás tú....? ¿Es él...? / ¿está él....? ¿Es ella...? / ¿está ella...? ¿Es esto ...? / ¿está esto....? ¿Somos nosotros...? / ¿estamos nosotros...? ¿Sois vosotros...? / ¿estáis vosotros....? ¿Son ellos ...? / ¿están ellos...?	Sóc jo...? / estic jo...? Ets tu..? / estàs tu... ? És ell.. ?/ està ell ? És ella.. ? / està ella? És açò ..? / està açò? Som nosaltres..? / estem nosaltres? Sou vosaltres...? / esteu vosaltres..? Són ells..? / estan ells...?

Questions

	Am/ Is / are	subject	complements?	Answer
	Are	you	Italian ?	Yes, I am / No, I'm not.
	Is	your mother	a teacher?	Yes, she is. / No, she isn't
Wh-question	Am/is/are	subject	complements?	Answer
What	is	your name	?	My name is
Where	are	you	from?	I'm from.....

Question words / Wh- question

What -
What time -
Which -
Where -
When -
Who -
Why -
How -
How many -
How much -
How often -
How long -

1. Complete these sentences with the correct form of the verb **to be** (short positive form):

- a. I _____ Spanish.
- b. You _____ Italian.
- c. He _____ my friend.
- d. She _____ French.
- e. It _____ my car.
- f. We _____ American.
- g. They _____ German.

2. Complete these sentences with the negative form of the verb **to be** (use the short form)

- a. Sarah _____ Italian.
- b. Peter and John _____ friends.
- c. Anne and I _____ from France.
- d. He _____ a doctor.
- e. They _____ happy.
- f. I _____ English.
- g. The car _____ red.

3. Complete the following questions with the verb **to be**:

- a. ____ you Spanish?
- b. ____ he a teacher.
- c. ____ they Italian?
- d. Where ____ you from?
- e. What ____ your name?
- f. How ____ you?
- g. What ____ your telephone number?

4. Put these words in order to make sentences (affirmative / negative or interrogative forms).

a. aren't / Helen and John / from Italy

b. Pam / is / from Spain / ?

c. isn't / This car / blue.

d. your name / is / what ?

e. is / Peter / my friend.

f. are / friends / they ?

g. is / she / from / where ?

5. Complete the following texts with the information on the chart (use the verb to be):

Name	Age	Nationality	Job
Martin	35	Italian	doctor
Joanna	43	French	teacher
Peter and Sarah	24	English	students
I	22	Spanish	student

a. Martin ____ 35 years old. He ____ Portuguese, he ____ Italian. He ____ a doctor.

b. Joanna ____ 41, she ____ 43. She ____ Spanish, she ____ French. She ____ a teacher.

c. Peter and Sarah ____ 24 years old. They ____ American, they ____ English. They ____ students.

d. I ____ 22 years old. I ____ English, I ____ Spanish. I ____ a doctor, I ____ a student.