

51Talk 无忧英语

LESSON 1 She is a poodle

In this lesson, you will learn to describe a pet.



Warm-up

Do you have a pet? If yes, what is it? If no, which animal do you want as a pet?



Words and phrases you may want to use:

- dog
- cat
- rabbit
- bird



New words and expressions Matching game

1.



2.



3.



4.



5.



pet [pet]
poodle ['puːd(ə)l]
play fetch [fetʃ]
tennis ball ['tenɪs bɔːl]

in the yard [ja:(r)d]

poodle

Let's go through the sentences. Pay attention to the words in red.

- a. Lisa is holding her **pet** in her arms.
- b. Kate lost her pet **poodle** and cried for two days.
- c. Jimmy is **playing fetch** with his dog.
- d. I spent hours hitting a tennis ball against the wall.
- e. The children were playing in the yard this morning.



Speaking naturally 1. Conversation setting





Let's look at Kate's super cute pet!



Speaking naturally2. Conversation and activity

Annie: Hi, Kate. You have such a lovely **pet**. She is like a doll.

Kate: Thank you for saying that.

Annie: What kind of dog is she?

Kate: She is a **poodle**.

Annie: A poodle! It's my first time seeing one! I'd like to have a dog like that.

What is her name?

Kate: Her name is Lucy.

Annie: What a nice name for this pretty girl! How old is she?

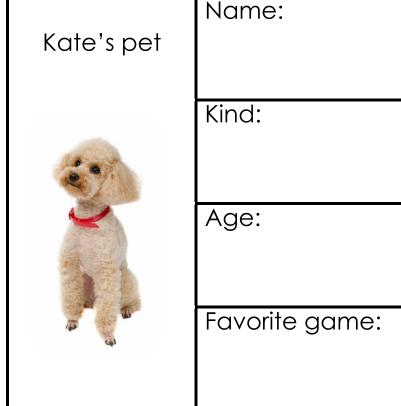
Kate: She will be two years old next month.

Annie: Does she like to play fetch?

Kate: Yes, that's her favorite game. We often play fetch with a tennis ball.

Annie: How cute she is! Come on! Let's play with her in the yard.

Complete the table:





Speaking naturally 3. Conversation and comprehension

Annie: Hi, Kate. You have such a lovely **pet**. She is like a doll.

Kate: Thank you for saying that.

Annie: What kind of dog is she?

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Annie: A poodle! It's my first time seeing one! I'd like to have a dog like that.

What is her name?

Kate: Her name is Lucy.

Annie: What a nice name for this pretty girl! How old is she?

Kate: She will be two years old next month.

Annie: Does she like to **play fetch**?

Kate: Yes, that's her favorite game. We often play fetch with a **tennis ball**.

Annie: How cute she is! Come on! Let's play with her in the yard.

Answer the questions:

1. What does Lucy look like?

She is like ...

2. What does Lucy like to play?

She likes ...



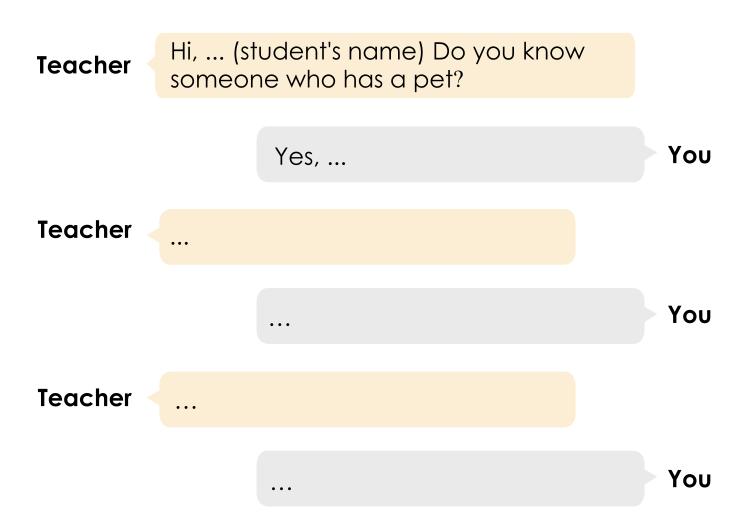
Speaking naturally 4. Practice

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Kate: Her name is Lucy.
Annie: What a nice name for this pretty girl! How old is she?
Kate: She will be two years old next month.
Annie: Does she like to?
Kate: Yes, that's her favorite game. We often play fetch with a tennis ball.
Annie: How cute she is! Come on! Let's play with her









Word tips

- keep ... as a pet
- dog/cat/rabbit/bird
- play fetch
- tennis ball/bell
- in the yard





Words and phrases:	
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Sentences:	,
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You have learned the following vocabulary and sentence patterns to describe a pet.

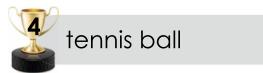
Words and phrases:







poodle





in the yard

Sentence patterns:

What a nice name for this pretty ...!

(Make a sentence)

How ... he/she is!

(Make a sentence)

