**15.1.1**

Benny, can you help me?

What do you want help with?

My computer, **I was on a** **video call with my parents, but now it doesn’t work**

**video** /ˈvɪdioʊ/

Let’s me see this computer

Can you fix it?

I’m trying

Oh. **What was that?**

**That was your computer**

**I know it was my computer**. But what’s beep?

I’m turning computer off. It’s OK now

Is it?

Yes

**That was easy**

**I was a salesperson at a computer store in England**

You work

Yes. I work, it’s fun

**Were you an actor in China?**

**No, I wasn’t an actor in China**. **I was a student.**

Woa. Cool

Why is Benny up early?

* He wants to watch football

Shen needs help with his computer

Benny fixes Shen’s computer

Benny can fix computers because he was a computer salesman

Shen was a student in China.

John: Li Li, were Shen and Benny actors before?

Li Li: No, they weren’t actors. Benny was a salesperson, and Shen was a student.

John: Shen wasn’t an actor in China? Wow. What were you in China?

Li Li: I wasn’t in China. My family was in the United States when I was small.

John: Oh! You weren’t in China!

Li Li: No. But I was a student … in the United States!

Shen and Benny **weren’t** actors

Shen and Li Li **were** students

Li Li **wasn’t** in China when she was small

Shen **was** in China before he was in the United States

**Were** you and your parents in the United States, Li Li?

**Was** Benny a salesperson?

**Conversation**

Here is a drink for you

Thanks. Oh no. My cell phone isn’t working

What’s wrong with it?

I don’t know . It was ok, and now it’s not OK

Ok, I’m turning your cell phone off.And It’s ok now.

Thanks! That was easy.

I can fix cell phone. I was a saleperson in the cell phone store.

You were?

Yes, I was.

Were you also a director then?

No, I wasn’t. I’m a director now but I wasn’t director then.

Oh. I was a waitress in France , and I’m a cook now.

Were you at the restaurant last night?

* No, I wasn’t. I **was** at home.

How are you?

* Not good. I **was** at the library until 11 p.m last night

How’s your new job?

* **It’s bad. I was happy** at my last job, but now I’m terrible!

How **is** the chicken sandwich? You are eating very fast!

* Delicious! Do you want some?

What time **is** the trains?

* The train arrives at 4 p.m

What do you think of yesterday’s meeting?

* It **wasn’t** good. I don’t like our boss

Do you want to comw to the movie later?

* **No, I can’t.** I was sick yesterday, and I have to go to the doctor this aftrenoon

Are you a student now?

* No, but I **was** a student in China

**15.1.2**

Where are you from in China?

Guangzhou

Excuse me

Guangzhou. It’s a big city a hundred mile from HongKong

**What do your parents do?** **Are they farmers? Do they farm vegetables?**

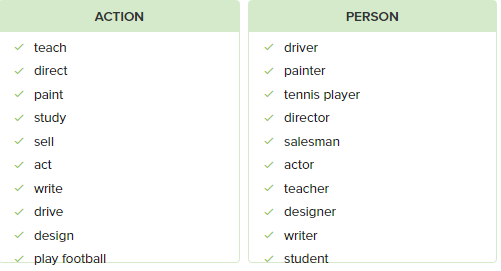
**No. They aren’t farmer. They don’t farm**. **My father is a painter, he paints**. **My morther is**

**a teacher**. **She teaches math and science**  /ˈpeɪntər/

That's why you are smart. **My mom is a teacher, She teaches English** /ˈsaɪəns/

English? People have to learn english

Yes. \_ reason right

Oh. **What does your dad do?**

**My Dad is a driver. He drives a taxi**.

Thank you

What are Benny and Shen talking about?

* Their families

Shen is from a big city in China

Shen’s mother teaches

Benny’s mom teaches english

Are Shen’s parents farmers?

* No, they don’t farm

Is Shen’s father a painter?

* Yes. He paints

Does Shen’s mmother teach English?

* No. She’s a math and science teacher

Does Benny’s mother direct movies?

* No. She’s a teacher

Is Benny’s father a driver?

* Yes. He drives a taxi

**Conversation**

Are you a student , Shen?

No. I wasn’t student in China , but I don’t study here in New York.

Oh, What do you do?

I act. I’m an actor. What do you do?

I’m a cook. I’m cooking in the restaurants.

That’s cool.

What does your past friend ,Jim?, Is he an actor, too?

No. He doesn’t act.

What does he do?

He’s a director

Wow, Is he director TV show?

No, He is a director movies

What does he do?

* He drives a taxi.

What do the people do?

* The man is a teacher and the women are students.

Is the woman an actor?

* No, she isn’t. She’s a painter.

What do they do?

* They are cooks.

Are they directors?

* No, They aren’t. They are actors.

Does your father drive a taxi?

* No, he doesn’t. He’s a farmer.

Is he a salesman?

* Yes, he is. He sells cars.

Is he a basketball player?

* No, he isn’t. He plays tennis.

**15.1.3**

Hi Shen

Hello Shen

Hi Mom and Dad

How are you?

I’m good

**Do you like the big city?**

**Yes. I do, I like the city a lot**

**Do you have a job?**

**No. I don’t**. How China?

Good

**Is it cold?**

**Yes. It is**. You need a coat to go outside /koʊt/ Áo khoác

**Is New York cold?**

**Yes. It is**

Ooh. Come on

What was that?

Is that your roommate?

Yes. It is. His name is Benny. He is watching football

Do you want to come home?

No, I don’t. I want to be in NY because.....Benny, I’m talking with my parents

Oh yeah. Sorry about that. Hi Mr, Mrs Shen

I’m sorry

Do you like living with Benny?

Yes and No

He is very laugh

He is love watch football on TV

**Is he Spanish?**

**No, He’s not. He’s from England**

So, he is British

Yes, he is

British people is laugh \_ football \_

Do you want to a new apartment?

Or new roommate?

No, I don’t. I like live in here. Benny is a good roommate

**Is he messy?**

**Yes. He never cleans**. Benny is messy and he laugh but He is nice and he helps me.

Ok. It’s time to go to bed.

What is Shen doing?

* He’s talking to his mother and father

Does Shen like New York?

* Yes, he does. He likes it a lot

Where is the watehr cold?

* In China and in New York

What is Benny doing?

* He’s watching football

Shen wants to libe with Benny beacause Nenny is nice

Is it cold?

* No, it isn’t

Is she messy?

* Yes, she is

Do Greg and Nancy like New York?

* Yes, they do

Does Ray play basketball?

* Yes, he does

Does she have a job?

* Yes, she does

Are they Britsh?

* No, they aren’t

Does Shen have a job?

* No, he doesn’t

Does Shen want to come home?

* No, he doesn’t

Do Shen’s mother and father talk to Benny?

* No, they don’t

Is Beenny British?

* Yes, he is

Is Benny messy?

* Yes, he is

Hi Benny, how are you?

Hello, I’m good

Is it hot in New York?

No, It isn’t. It’s cold

Oh. It’s rainy here in England

Oh. It isn’t rainy here

So, do you like New York?

Yes, I do. I like it a lot

Do you have a roommate?

Yes. I do. His name is Shen

Is he from India?

No, he isn’t. He’s from China

Do you like living with him?

Yes, I do. He’s nice and he clean

You like football a lot. Does he like football?

No. He doesn’t

Are you American?

* Yes, i am

Do you like vegetables?

* No, i don’t

Is it windy today?

* Yes it is

Where do you live?

* I live in Germany

Does she work in an office?

* Yes, she does.

Are they hungry?

* No, they aren’t

Are you an achitect?

* Yes, i am . I’m an architect.

Is she a good cook?

* No, she isn’t.

I love to cook. I want to be a chef

Jorge likes to paint. He’s a great painter  /ˈpeɪntər/

My father is a Science teacher. What’s your father’s job?

Are you from Taiwan? Yes, I am

My student likes to study every day

My roommate í a singer. She sings in our apartment

Is it cold in Canada in January? Yes, it is

Are Amy and Aoki neighbors? Yes, they are

Marco was a cook. Now he drives a taxi. He is a **driver**

My neighbor, Layla, likes to draw picture. She is **an artist** /ˈɑːtɪst/ họa sĩ

Mrs. Kramer was my math **teacher** at the school

Carlo studies math with me. We are **students**

Akita is in the movies. He is an **actor**

My friend Tome, likes to paint pictures. He is a **painter**

Anna likes to paint. She is a great painter.

Tuco wants to be an English teacher.

Is Shen British?

* No, he’s not. He’s Chines

Is your mother a teacher?

* Yes, she is. She teaches science

Is it cold in Hong Kong in July?

* No, it’s not. It’s hot

Do you like New York City?

* Yes, i do

Are you a painter?

* No. I’m not. I’m an actor

Is Thomas a dad?

* No, he isn’t. He doesn’t have children

We learn from **teachers**.

Sam is a taxi **driver**. He takes people to places to places in the city by car.

**Cooks** work in kitchens.

**Farmers** come into the city and sell their vegetables at the market.

A **salesperson** sells new cars

Are Amy and Aoki neighbors?

* Yes , they are . They live on the same street.

My mom is French. She’s from France. Are you Spanish?

* No, I’m not. I am French.

Workbooks

**1/8**

1 Trish works in a restaurant. She’s a waitress

2 Ruby is a painter. She paints pictures

3 Koji is a taxi driver. He drivers people for work

4 They work in a restaurant. They are cooks

5 John is a farmer. He works on a farm

6 Beny is a salesperson. He sell cars

**2/8**

1 Diego brings food to people in a restaurant. Diego is a **waiter**. /brɪŋ/ mang lại

2 In England, Benny worked at a computer store. He was a **salesperson**.

3 John directs movies. He is a **director**.

4 Shen went to school in China. He was a **student**.

5 Shen’s father paints pictures. He is a **painter**.

6 Paz’s grandmother danced for people. She was a **dancer**.

7 Benny’s mother teaches English. She is a **teacher**.

8 Shen’s parents do not farm vegetables. They are not **farmers**.

9 Benny’s dad drives a taxi. He is a **driver**.

10 Sofi cooks food at a restaurant. Sofi is a **cook**.

**3/8**

Sofi: Oh, no. My laptop is not working.

Benny: What’s wrong with it?

Sofi: Yesterday, it **was** okay. Today it **is** not.

Benny: I can fix it.

Sofi: You can?

Benny: Yes. I **was** a computer salesman in England.

Sofi: That’s great! Wait…what **was** this beep?

Benny: That **was** your computer. I’m turning it off. Now it is good.

Sofi: Thank you, Benny! **Are** you a computer salesman now?

Benny: Well, I**'m** a salesman now, but I sell shirts, not computers.

Sofi: I **was** a cook in France, and I**'m** a cook now. My grandmother **was** a great cook. I want to cook like my grandmother.

4/8

Do you have a roommate?

* Yes, I do. His name is Benny.

Is it warm in New York?

* Yes, it is. I don't need a coat.

Do you like your roommate?

* Yes, I do. He's very messy, but he's very nice.

Is Benny Spanish?

* No, he's not. He's British.

What does Benny do?

* He's a salesperson. He sells shirts.

Do you like New York?

* It's loud, but I like it a lot.

5/8

1 Father: **Do you like** New York?

Shen: Yes. I like it a lot.

2 Father: **Do you have** a job?

Diego: Yes, I have a job. I’m a waiter at a restaurant.

3 Mother: **Is it** warm in New York?

You: No, it isn’t warm. I need a coat to go outside.

4 Sofi: **Do you watch** sports?

Benny: Yes, I watch sports. Football is my favorite.

5 Danielle: **Do you have** a roommate?

Sofi: No, I don’t have a roommate.

6 Mother: **Is your roommate** from the United States?

Shen: No, my roommate is not from the United States. He is from England.

7 Paz: **Does Benny have** a job?

Shen: Yes, Benny has a job. He’s a salesperson.

6/8

Mary’s parents don’t grow fruits and vegetables because they aren’t **farmers**. Mary’s father is a teacher. He **teaches** math and science. Mary’s mother is a **painter**. She paints houses. Mary wants to be an **actor**, but she doesn’t know how to act. Mary knows a **director**. He makes movies. He thinks Mary needs to take acting classes.

John’s father is a **driver**. He drives a taxi. John’s mother is a **cook** in a restaurant. She **cooks** great food. John was a **salesperson** at a computer store. Now, he goes to school. He is a **student**.

7/8

Sofi: Are you a student, Shen?

Shen: No. I **was** a student in China, but now I don’t **study** here in the United States.

Sofi: Oh, what do you do?

Shen: I act now. I’m an **actor**. What do you do?

Sofi: I’m a cook. I **cook** at a restaurant.

Shen: That’s cool.

Sofi: How about your roommate, Benny? **Is** he an actor?

Shen: No, he doesn’t **act**. He’s a salesperson. He sells shirts.

Sofi: **Was** Benny a salesperson in England?

Shen: Yes, he **was** a computer salesperson.

8/8

I’m from a big city in Spain. Now I live in London. The weather in London is cold today. Yesterday, it was warm and sunny. I’m a student in London. In Spain, I was also a student. I’m a waiter, too. I work at a restaurant in London.  
My parents are in Spain. My mother is a teacher. She teaches English. My father is a director. He makes movies.  
My friend’s name is Pablo. He’s from Spain. In Spain, he was a student, but he doesn’t study in London. He is a salesperson.

I'm from Cuzco, Peru, but now I live in Washington, DC. I am a teacher now. In Peru I was a student. The weather in Washington, DC is cold and sunny today. Yesterday it was snowy and windy.  
My parents live in Peru. My mother is a doctor and my father is a designer. He designs cars.  
My friend's name is Marta. She is from Colombia. She is a waiter and a student. In Colombia she was a student too.