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LANGUAGE FOCUS • Present simple: questions

I can ask and answer questions about free time activities.

- 1 Complete the questions and answers with **do**, **don't**, **does** and **doesn't**. Then choose the correct words in rules 1–4.

Do her friends like the trainers?

Yes, they ¹ /
No, they ²

³ Niall write stories?

Yes, he ⁴ /
No, he ⁵

- 2 Complete the questions using the present simple form of the verbs in brackets.

Do you **blog** about your life? (blog)

1 you and your friends videos? (make)

2 you your friends after school? (meet)

3 your best friend near you? (live)

4 you things? (collect)

5 your dad in bed late? (stay)

6 people in your class a lot? (talk)

- 3 Ask and answer the questions from exercise 2. Use **do**, **don't**, **does** and **doesn't** in your answers.

Do you **blog** about your life?

No, I don't. I take photos and put them on Instagram.

- 4 Complete the questions with the words in the box. Then practise in pairs.

~~Do you ever~~ How often What When
Where Who Why

Do you **ever** go to the cinema?

Yes, I do. I love watching films.

1 do you go?

Not often – about once a month.

2 do you go with?

My best friend, and sometimes my sister.

3 do you go?

To the cinema in town.

4 do you go?

Usually on Saturday afternoons.

5 do you watch?

Scary films!

6 do you watch scary films?

Because my friend loves them.

RULES

- We use **is** / **do** to make questions with ordinary verbs with **I** / **you** / **we** / **they**.
- We use **do** / **does** to make questions with ordinary verbs with **he** / **she** / **it**.
- In short answers using ordinary verbs, we say **Yes, I am** / **do** and **No, I'm not** / **don't**.
- In short answers using ordinary verbs, we say **Yes, he is** / **does** and **No, she isn't** / **doesn't**.

- 5 **USE IT!** Work in pairs. Ask questions using words from boxes A and B. Find out different things about your partner.

A
What
Where
How often
Do you ever
What time
Who
When

B
meet friends
phone
study
write stories
watch
do sport
bake
play an instrument
go dancing

What do you watch on TV?

Me, too!

I usually watch films.

Finished?

Write questions about a hobby to ask someone in your class. Use the question words in exercise 5.

