

To be

A Complete the sentences. Use I'm, You're, He's, She's, It's, We're or They're.

- 1 Father is in bed. *He's* tired.
- 2 Look at that dog. very old.
- 3 My sister and I are at home. alone.
- 4 My mother and father are not at work. at the gym.
- 5 How are you? fine, thank you.
- 6 lucky you've got many friends.
- 7 My grandma is ill. at the doctor.
- 8 My name is Alex. 13 years old.

B Complete the letter with am, is or are.

Dear Mary,
The children in this photo ¹..... *are* my new friends. They ²..... in my class. We ³..... in the playground. It ⁴..... beautiful. It ⁵..... big and it ⁶..... clean. Look at the trees and benches. My new school ⁷..... fantastic. I ⁸..... so happy!
Love,
Isabel



C Fill in the blanks with am, is or are.

- 1 *Is* the tree tall?
- 2 I famous?
- 3 Sue and Ellen sisters.
- 4 My bicycle blue.
- 5 there pictures in the classroom?
- 6 It Saturday. The teachers not at school today.
- 7 The parks in the city beautiful.
- 8 I not in Year 6.

D Write the words in the correct order to make sentences.

- 1 not / the children / in the house / are / . *The children are not in the house.*
- 2 on / your / are / desk / the / books / ?
- 3 a teacher / I / not / am / .
- 4 a / dog / Rex / big / is / .
- 5 at school / now / is / Samantha / ?

E Answer the questions with short answers.

- 1 Are your eyes blue?
- 2 Are you and your friends good pupils?
- 3 Are you from England?
- 4 Is your room clean?
- 5 Is your bag big?

To be – Answers

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| 1 | He's | 5 | I'm / We're |
| 2 | It's | 6 | You're |
| 3 | We're | 7 | She's |
| 4 | They're | 8 | I'm |

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| 1 | are | 5 | is |
| 2 | are | 6 | is |
| 3 | are | 7 | is |
| 4 | is | 8 | am |

- C
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| 1 | Is | 5 | Are |
| 2 | Am | 6 | is, are |
| 3 | are | 7 | are |
| 4 | is | 8 | am |

- D
- 1 The children are not in the house.
 - 2 Are your books on the desk?
 - 3 I am not a teacher.
 - 4 Rex is a big dog.
 - 5 Is Samantha at school now?

- E Accept all logical and grammatically correct answers.