

# Basics Pronouns 1

## Subject Pronouns

### I, YOU, HE, SHE, IT, WE, THEY

Subject	Verb	Object
The girl	loves	her parents.
She	loves	them.

Change the noun(s) to subject pronouns.

man	<u>he</u>	dog	<u>it</u>	girls	<u>they</u>
people	_____	woman	_____	teachers	_____
cat	_____	Bob and Joe	_____	women	_____
dogs	_____	man	_____	students	_____
parents	_____	men	_____	friends	_____
girl	_____	wife	_____	uncle	_____
you and I	_____	tree	_____	restaurant	_____
pencil	_____	Ann and you	_____	socks	_____

Change the subject noun(s) to subject pronouns.

**My father** is tall. He is tall.

**My mother** is short. She is short.

**You and your friend** are shy. You are shy.

**My uncle** is married. He is married.

1. My sister is thirsty. \_\_\_\_\_
2. My grandmother is old. \_\_\_\_\_
3. The students are young. \_\_\_\_\_
4. The restaurant is expensive. \_\_\_\_\_
5. The dog is angry. \_\_\_\_\_
6. The cats are fat. \_\_\_\_\_
7. The city is big. \_\_\_\_\_
8. The girls are pretty. \_\_\_\_\_
9. The sock is clean. \_\_\_\_\_
10. The socks are dirty. \_\_\_\_\_
11. You and I are happy. \_\_\_\_\_
12. You and your brother are sad. \_\_\_\_\_
13. The man is tired. \_\_\_\_\_
14. The men are rich. \_\_\_\_\_
15. The woman is quiet. \_\_\_\_\_
16. The women are noisy. \_\_\_\_\_
17. You and I are hungry. \_\_\_\_\_

## Basics Pronouns 2

### Object Pronouns

## ME, YOU, HIM, HER, IT, US, YOU, THEM

Subject	Verb	Object
The girl	loves	her parents.
<b>She</b>	<i>loves</i>	<b>them.</b>

Answer the question with an object pronoun.

- Do you live with **your parents**? Yes, I live with **them**.  
Do you argue with **your sister**? No, I don't argue with **her**.  
How often do you talk to **your father**? I talk to **him** every night.

1. Do you like romantic movies? \_\_\_\_\_
2. Do your parents know the teacher? \_\_\_\_\_
3. Do her parents know you and Bill? \_\_\_\_\_
4. Do your friends know your parents? \_\_\_\_\_
5. Do you have your book? \_\_\_\_\_
6. Do you help your mother? \_\_\_\_\_
7. Do your classmates understand me? \_\_\_\_\_
8. Do you understand us? \_\_\_\_\_
9. Do you know your classmates? \_\_\_\_\_
10. Do you play with your brother? \_\_\_\_\_
11. Do you help your grandparents? \_\_\_\_\_
12. Do you understand Russian? \_\_\_\_\_
13. Do you like snakes? \_\_\_\_\_
14. Do you and Bill understand me? \_\_\_\_\_
15. Do your friends like Maria? \_\_\_\_\_
16. Do you believe in ghosts? \_\_\_\_\_
17. Do your friends like you? \_\_\_\_\_
18. Do your friends understand you and Oscar? \_\_\_\_\_
19. Do you understand this grammar? \_\_\_\_\_
20. Do your grandparents visit you? \_\_\_\_\_
21. How often do you brush your teeth? \_\_\_\_\_
22. What time do you finish this class? \_\_\_\_\_
23. When do you visit your grandfather? \_\_\_\_\_
24. How often do you call your sister? \_\_\_\_\_
25. Where do you buy your groceries? \_\_\_\_\_
26. When do you do your homework? \_\_\_\_\_

*Present Simple. First and second person singular. Affirmative or Negative Answers*

**A**

*In pairs take turns asking and answering questions. Ask your partner using "Do you. " Answer all questions with "Yes" or "No."*

- have a dog     Do you have a dog?
1. like cats \_\_\_\_\_
  2. live in Africa \_\_\_\_\_
  3. listen to music \_\_\_\_\_
  4. wear earrings \_\_\_\_\_
  5. have a car \_\_\_\_\_
  6. swim \_\_\_\_\_
  7. smoke cigarettes \_\_\_\_\_
  8. like sports \_\_\_\_\_
  9. speak Chinese \_\_\_\_\_
  10. understand English \_\_\_\_\_
  11. read newspapers \_\_\_\_\_
  12. watch movies \_\_\_\_\_
  13. like to sing \_\_\_\_\_
  14. like to do homework \_\_\_\_\_
  15. want to buy a car \_\_\_\_\_

**B**

*In pairs take turns asking and answering questions. Ask your partner using "Do you. " Answer all questions with "yes" or "no."*

- have a dog     Do you have a dog?
1. like dogs \_\_\_\_\_
  2. speak German \_\_\_\_\_
  3. live in France \_\_\_\_\_
  4. have blue eyes \_\_\_\_\_
  5. play the piano \_\_\_\_\_
  6. like beer \_\_\_\_\_
  7. wear a ring \_\_\_\_\_
  8. have a boyfriend/girlfriend \_\_\_\_\_
  9. play football \_\_\_\_\_
  10. like music \_\_\_\_\_
  11. go to church or the mosque \_\_\_\_\_
  12. brush your teeth \_\_\_\_\_
  13. want to get married (again) \_\_\_\_\_
  14. like to exercise \_\_\_\_\_
  15. like to cook \_\_\_\_\_

## Basics Information Questions 5

### Be going to

Write questions with *who, what, when, where, why, how, how many, how much, how often, what kind of, what time.*

When are you going to leave? I'm going to leave **in ten minutes.**

1. \_\_\_\_\_ I'm going to eat **a cheeseburger.**
2. \_\_\_\_\_ I'm going to talk to **my doctor.**
3. \_\_\_\_\_ I'm going to borrow **my dad's car.**
4. \_\_\_\_\_ I'm going to sleep **for six hours.**
5. \_\_\_\_\_ I'm going to bring **twelve** ducks.
6. \_\_\_\_\_ I'm going to make **Jamaican coffee.**
7. \_\_\_\_\_ I'm going to spend **\$50.**
8. \_\_\_\_\_ I'm going to order **the fried clams.**
9. \_\_\_\_\_ He's going to marry **his sweetheart.**
10. \_\_\_\_\_ She's going to eat **five** hotdogs.
11. \_\_\_\_\_ He's going to sing **a romantic** song.
12. \_\_\_\_\_ She's going to go **to Miami.**
13. \_\_\_\_\_ We're going to eat squid **because it's delicious.**
14. \_\_\_\_\_ We're going to stay in Fiji **for two weeks.**
15. \_\_\_\_\_ Class is going to end **in half an hour.**
16. \_\_\_\_\_ We're going to learn **300** words today.
17. \_\_\_\_\_ They're going to stay **at the Ritz Hotel.**
18. \_\_\_\_\_ It's going to arrive **at 9:00.**
19. \_\_\_\_\_ He's going to give **an apple** to the teacher.
20. \_\_\_\_\_ We're going to have **lots and lots** of homework.

## Verb Phrase Present Perfect 2

*Present Perfect with Ever questions.*

*Answer the questions.*

Have you ever eaten horse?

Yes, I've eaten horsemeat. or No, I haven't eaten horsemeat. or No, I've never eaten horsemeat.

1. Have you ever had a pet? \_\_\_\_\_
2. Have you ever broken a bone? \_\_\_\_\_
3. Have you ever grown vegetables? \_\_\_\_\_
4. Have you ever been on an island? \_\_\_\_\_
5. Have you ever been really sick? \_\_\_\_\_
7. Have you ever killed a chicken? \_\_\_\_\_
8. Have you ever fallen asleep in class? \_\_\_\_\_
9. Have you ever shaved your head? \_\_\_\_\_
10. Have you ever met a famous person? \_\_\_\_\_
11. Have you ever asked someone to marry you? \_\_\_\_\_
12. Have you ever been on television? \_\_\_\_\_
13. Have you ever lied to your teacher? \_\_\_\_\_
14. Have you ever acted in a play? \_\_\_\_\_
15. Have you ever won a contest? \_\_\_\_\_
16. Have you ever had an operation? \_\_\_\_\_
17. Have you ever been arrested? \_\_\_\_\_

*Make questions.*

(drink) wine Have you ever drunk wine?

1. (cry) at a movie \_\_\_\_\_
2. (wear) a bikini \_\_\_\_\_
3. (write) a love letter \_\_\_\_\_
4. (ride) a camel \_\_\_\_\_
5. (catch) a fish \_\_\_\_\_
6. (go) skinny-dipping \_\_\_\_\_
7. (have) long hair \_\_\_\_\_
8. (get) in a fistfight \_\_\_\_\_
9. (bake) bread \_\_\_\_\_
10. (have) an operation \_\_\_\_\_
11. (eat) snails \_\_\_\_\_
12. (be) in a police car or jail \_\_\_\_\_

## Asking Present Progressive Questions about the Future

**A**

*With a partner, take turns asking questions about the future. Answer with the present progressive form.*

Where are you going after school today? I'm going to the market.

1. What are you doing this weekend? \_\_\_\_\_
2. What are you giving your boy/girlfriend for Valentine's Day? \_\_\_\_\_
3. Where are you meeting your friends on Saturday? What are you doing? \_\_\_\_\_
4. What are you cooking for our romantic dinner tonight? \_\_\_\_\_
5. What are you bringing to our class picnic next week? \_\_\_\_\_
6. Who are you inviting to your party? \_\_\_\_\_
7. What are you wearing to the disco this Saturday? \_\_\_\_\_
8. What kind of restaurant are you going to this evening? \_\_\_\_\_
9. How are you coming to school tomorrow? \_\_\_\_\_
10. Where are you going on your vacation? How are you getting there? \_\_\_\_\_
11. How long are you staying in this country? And afterwards? \_\_\_\_\_
12. When are you proposing to your fiancé? Where are you doing it? \_\_\_\_\_
13. When are you getting your hair cut? Where are you getting it done? \_\_\_\_\_
13. What are you doing after school? Are you going to the movies? \_\_\_\_\_

**B**

*With a partner, take turns asking questions about the future. Answer with the present progressive form.*

Where are you going after school today? I'm going to the market.

1. What are you wearing to my costume party on Saturday? \_\_\_\_\_
2. What are you doing on Friday night? With whom? \_\_\_\_\_
3. Who are you going to the restaurant with tonight? Which restaurant? \_\_\_\_\_
4. When are you having your annual medical checkup? Dental checkup? \_\_\_\_\_
5. How are you traveling to Fiji? When are you leaving? Coming back? \_\_\_\_\_
6. When are you telling your parents about your upcoming marriage? \_\_\_\_\_
7. Why are you putting on your coat? Where are you going? \_\_\_\_\_
8. How much money are you bringing on your trip to New Zealand? \_\_\_\_\_
9. When are you moving into your new apartment? Who's helping you? \_\_\_\_\_
10. Which movie are you watching tonight? Where are you watching it? \_\_\_\_\_
11. How are you cooking your chicken this evening? \_\_\_\_\_
12. What present are you giving me for my birthday? \_\_\_\_\_
13. I see hair dye! What color are you dying your hair? \_\_\_\_\_
14. What concert are you seeing this weekend? Who's going with you? \_\_\_\_\_

## Verb Phrases ☒ Other Verbal Structures 5

### Causative Summary

Remember: **have/get** something **done (by somebody/thing)**  
**make/have** someone **do, get** someone **to do**

1. You look great! Did you have your hair (*cut*) \_\_\_\_\_?
2. I got my husband (*clean*) \_\_\_\_\_ the living room.
3. When are you going to get your car (*fix*) \_\_\_\_\_?
4. We had our wedding photos professionally (*develop*) \_\_\_\_\_.
5. I got the teacher (*take*) \_\_\_\_\_ my grammar test for me.
6. I have my toenails (*polish*) \_\_\_\_\_ once a week.
7. Beautiful dress! Did you have it (*make*), \_\_\_\_\_?
8. We're going to have new carpeting (*install*) \_\_\_\_\_ this weekend.
9. I'd like to have my chicken \_\_\_\_\_ (bake) in a garlic sauce.
10. Can you get your brother (*stop*) \_\_\_\_\_ calling me "cutie-pie"?
11. I had my bicycle (*repair*) \_\_\_\_\_ last week.
12. My daughter always gets me (*read*) \_\_\_\_\_ her a bedtime story.
13. I'm going to get my eyebrows (*pluck*) \_\_\_\_\_ at the salon.
14. Because it's summer, I got the dog (*shave*) \_\_\_\_\_.
15. I got the teacher (*check*) \_\_\_\_\_ my resume.
16. My boss has me (*bring*) \_\_\_\_\_ her coffee every morning.
17. I got your mother (*cook*) \_\_\_\_\_ your favorite dish – fried eggplant!
18. We're having the delivery man (*deliver*) \_\_\_\_\_ an anchovy pizza.
19. The politician is trying to get the people (*believe*) \_\_\_\_\_ his lies.
20. I'm having trouble getting my homework (*do*) \_\_\_\_\_.
21. I had your brother (*throw out*) \_\_\_\_\_ his magazines.
22. Are you going to be able to get your paper (*finish*) \_\_\_\_\_ by Friday?
23. I can't make my boyfriend (*understand*) \_\_\_\_\_ that I don't love him!
24. The teacher got us (*fill out*) \_\_\_\_\_ this silly exercise paper.
25. My teeth hurt! Yesterday, I had my braces (*adjust*) \_\_\_\_\_.
26. Do you like my teeth? I had them (*whiten*) \_\_\_\_\_ last week.
27. Once in a while, I like to have my girlfriend (*pay*) \_\_\_\_\_ for dinner.
28. My friend is so angry! I can't get her (*talk*) \_\_\_\_\_ to me.
29. We need to get the windows (*clean*) \_\_\_\_\_.
30. Can I get you (*do*) \_\_\_\_\_ me a favor?
31. My mother got me (*say*) \_\_\_\_\_ grace at the Thanksgiving dinner.
32. Our family is having a new swimming pool (*put in*) \_\_\_\_\_.
33. I got a new suit (*make*) \_\_\_\_\_ while I was in Hong Kong.
34. The rock band had their new album (*record*) \_\_\_\_\_ in Woodstock.

*Superlative Degree Summary*

**A**

*Your Question*

1. What's the best food?
2. Who's the tallest person in this classroom?
3. Who's the shortest person here?
4. What's the best pet?
5. What's the most dangerous sport?
6. Who's the youngest person in this room?
7. What's the least difficult language?
8. Who's the most beautiful girl in the world?
9. What's the most disgusting food?
10. What's the worst insect?
11. What's the hottest country?
12. What's the best fruit?
13. Who's the quietest person in this room?
14. What's the cheapest vegetable?
15. What's the worst day of the week?
16. What's the best month of the year?
17. What's the most romantic movie?

*Your Partner's Answer*

- (Chinese food is) the best food!  
 ... the tallest person.  
 ... the shortest person here.  
 ... the best pet.  
 ... the most dangerous sport.  
 ... the youngest person.  
 ... the least difficult language.  
 ... the most beautiful girl.  
 ... the most disgusting food.  
 ... the worst insect.  
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 ... the cheapest vegetable.  
 ... the worst day of the week.  
 ... the best month.  
 ... the most romantic movie.

**B**

*Your Question*

1. What's the best food?
2. Who's the most talkative person here?
3. Who's the oldest person in this room?
4. What's the best season?
5. What's the most expensive type of meat?
6. What's the best drink?
7. What's the most beautiful country?
8. Who's the best singer in your country?
9. What's the worst house chore?
10. What's the most expensive country?
11. What's the least exciting sport?
12. What's the longest river in the world?
13. What's the best room in your house?
14. What's the most dangerous job.
15. What's the easiest language?
16. What's the worst month?
17. What country has the spiciest food?

*Your Partner's Answer*

- (Chinese food is) the best food!  
 ... the most talkative person.  
 ... the oldest person in this room.  
 ... the best season.  
 ... the most expensive meat.  
 ... the best drink.  
 ... the most beautiful country.  
 ... the best singer in my country.  
 ... the worst house chore.  
 ... the most expensive country.  
 ... the least exciting sport.  
 ... the longest river in the world.  
 ... the best room in my house.  
 ... the most dangerous job.  
 ... the easiest language.  
 ... the worst month.  
 ... the spiciest food.

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## Clauses ■ Complementation 16

### *Gerund or Infinitive? 1 Sometimes both are possible.*

The teacher told us (study) to study for our test.

My doctor wants me to stop (drink) drinking so much coffee.

1. It was nice of you (bring) \_\_\_\_\_ me flowers.
2. The teacher lied about (give) \_\_\_\_\_ us a test.
3. I'd like (drink) \_\_\_\_\_ a root beer soda after class.
4. I'm good at (play) \_\_\_\_\_ Ping Pong.
5. I can't afford (take) \_\_\_\_\_ a vacation this year.
6. I really enjoy (play) \_\_\_\_\_ the bagpipes.
7. I got caught in the rain while (walk) \_\_\_\_\_ home.
8. The students promise (do) \_\_\_\_\_ their homework.
9. I practice (speak) \_\_\_\_\_ English every day.
10. We plan (travel) \_\_\_\_\_ to Canada in the spring.
11. I always have a great time (study) \_\_\_\_\_ English.
12. The boss asked me (come) \_\_\_\_\_ to his party.
13. Teacher, please! We insist on (have) \_\_\_\_\_ extra homework.
14. I'm interested in (learn) \_\_\_\_\_ foreign languages.
15. I spent three hours (ride) \_\_\_\_\_ the subway yesterday.
16. I refused (cry) \_\_\_\_\_ at my wedding.
17. I intend (write) \_\_\_\_\_ a letter this afternoon.
18. Thanks for (come) \_\_\_\_\_ to my party.
19. I can't stand (wait) \_\_\_\_\_ for the bus.
20. I'd like (marry) \_\_\_\_\_ a Norwegian woman.
21. I dislike (floss) \_\_\_\_\_ my teeth.
22. I don't approve of (eat) \_\_\_\_\_ rhinoceros.
23. My parents warned me (watch out) \_\_\_\_\_ for crazy teachers.
24. Look at those black clouds! I think it's likely (rain) \_\_\_\_\_ this afternoon.
25. I miss (talk) \_\_\_\_\_ to my friends at home.
26. The bully threatened (punch) \_\_\_\_\_ my nose.
27. My girlfriend pretends (love) \_\_\_\_\_ me. Sigh.
28. I'm fond of (listen) \_\_\_\_\_ to rock and roll music.
29. The teacher told us (go) \_\_\_\_\_ home early. Is today April 1st?
30. I'm thinking about (have) \_\_\_\_\_ plastic surgery.
31. Instead of (study) \_\_\_\_\_, I went to a disco.
32. It was careless of me (forget) \_\_\_\_\_ your birthday.
33. Did you have fun (hitchhike) \_\_\_\_\_ across the U.S.?
34. I'm capable of (sew) \_\_\_\_\_, but I can't knit at all.
35. We haven't decided whether or not (buy) \_\_\_\_\_ a sheepdog.
36. My sister advised me (see) \_\_\_\_\_ a doctor.
37. I'm going to stop (eat) \_\_\_\_\_ junk food next week.
38. I caught my brother (search) \_\_\_\_\_ through my closet.
39. She was surprised (win) \_\_\_\_\_ a gold medal.
40. I feel like (eat) \_\_\_\_\_ rice and beans for dinner.

*Embedded Questions*

**A**

*Ask your partner questions. Your partner should answer with these.*

I'm not sure...	I can't tell you...	It's obvious...
I have no idea...	Nobody knows...	I know exactly...
I can't remember...	I don't have a clue ...	I don't know ...
I've forgotten...	It's anybody's guess...	I can tell you...
not sure myself...	I'll tell you...	Your guess is as good as mine...

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| 1. What time is it?                           | <i>(I'm not sure) what time it is.</i>                 |
| 2. Where's the bathroom?                      | <i>(...) where the bathroom is.</i>                    |
| 3. How old is the teacher?                    | <i>(...) how old the teacher is.</i>                   |
| 4. When does class finish?                    | <i>(...) when class finishes.</i>                      |
| 5. How many countries are there?              | <i>(...) how many countries there are.</i>             |
| 6. Which bus goes to 14 <sup>th</sup> Street? | <i>(...) which bus goes to 14<sup>th</sup> Street.</i> |
| 7. Why do men become bald?                    | <i>(...) why men become bald.</i>                      |
| 8. What time does the flight arrive?          | <i>(...) what time the flight arrives.</i>             |
| 9. Who lives in the apartment upstairs?       | <i>(...) who lives in the apartment upstairs.</i>      |
| 10. How long does it take to fly to Europe?   | <i>(...) how long it takes to fly to Europe.</i>       |
| 11. Where did you buy your watch?             | <i>(...) where I bought my watch.</i>                  |
| 12. Are elephants afraid of mice?             | <i>(...) if/whether elephants are afraid of mice.</i>  |

**B**

*Ask your partner questions. Your partner should answer with these.*

I'm not sure...	I can't tell you...	It's obvious...
I have no idea...	Nobody knows...	I know exactly...
I can't remember...	I don't have a clue ...	I don't know ...
I've forgotten...	It's anybody's guess...	I can tell you...
not sure myself...	I'll tell you...	Your guess is as good as mine...

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|---|--|
| 1. What time is it?                     | <i>(I'm not sure) what time it is.</i>               |
| 2. Where's Kyzyl?                       | <i>(...) where Kyzyl is.</i>                         |
| 3. When does this term end?             | <i>(...) when this term ends.</i>                    |
| 4. Is it going to snow tonight?         | <i>(...) if/whether it is going to snow tonight.</i> |
| 5. Why do camels have humps?            | <i>(...) why camels have humps.</i>                  |
| 6. What time did the movie start?       | <i>(...) what time the movie started.</i>            |
| 7. Where did you get your belt?         | <i>(...) where I got my belt.</i>                    |
| 8. How many pages did we have to read?  | <i>(...) how many pages we had to read.</i>          |
| 9. Where does she live?                 | <i>(...) where she lives.</i>                        |
| 10. Do Americans eat horse meat?        | <i>(...) if/whether Americans eat horse meat.</i>    |
| 11. Whose picture is on the \$100 bill? | <i>(...) whose picture is on the \$100 bill.</i>     |
| 12. Why do we have wisdom teeth?        | <i>(...) why we have wisdom teeth.</i>               |

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