

# Primary Grammar: Verb 'to be'

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The verb "to be" is a verb used to describe something or someone. In English, it can be used to say different things according to the context.

However, the most common use of the to be verb is to talk about names, age, feeling, nationalities, and professions.

For present tense, we use 'am' for first person singular, 'is' for third person singular and 'are' for third person plural.

- I **am**
- He **is**
- They **are**
- She **is**
- We **are**
- You **are**
- It **is**

1. I **am** a boy.
2. He **is** a boy.
3. They **are** happy.

For past tense, we use 'was' for first person singular and third person singular. We use 'were' for third person plural.

- I **was**
- He **was**
- They **were**
- She **was**
- We **were**
- You **were**
- It **was**

1. I **was** short.
2. He **was** tall.
3. They **were** tired.



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Complete the present tense sentences with the verb 'to be'.

1. I \_\_\_\_\_ tall.

2. They \_\_\_\_\_ happy.

3. You \_\_\_\_\_ sad.

4. She \_\_\_\_\_ my sister.

5. He \_\_\_\_\_ my brother.

6. We \_\_\_\_\_ busy.

7. It \_\_\_\_\_ an animal.



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Complete the past tense sentences with the verb 'to be'.

1. I \_\_\_\_\_ short.

2. They \_\_\_\_\_ scared.

3. You \_\_\_\_\_ fat.

4. She \_\_\_\_\_ a teacher.

5. He \_\_\_\_\_ a policeman.

6. We \_\_\_\_\_ friends.

7. It \_\_\_\_\_ hungry.



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Write a sentence using the pronoun in present tense.

1. I \_\_\_\_\_

2. He \_\_\_\_\_

3. She \_\_\_\_\_

4. It \_\_\_\_\_

5. They \_\_\_\_\_

6. We \_\_\_\_\_

7. You \_\_\_\_\_



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Write a sentence using the pronoun in past tense.

1. I \_\_\_\_\_

2. He \_\_\_\_\_

3. She \_\_\_\_\_

4. It \_\_\_\_\_

5. They \_\_\_\_\_

6. We \_\_\_\_\_

7. You \_\_\_\_\_

