

PRACTICE TIME : BE in Interrogative Sentences

1. Rewrite these questions and answers and pay attention to the punctuation.

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- b. i am Egyptian.....
- c. are you eleven years old.....
- d. no im not.....
- e. is the capital city of nigeria lagos.....
- f. where is the train station
- g. it is over there.....
- h. when is the next bus.....
- i. what time is it.....
- j. its ten oclock.....

2. Put these sentences in the right order and pay attention to the punctuation

Example: Question: are/elephants/lions/than/bigger.

 Answer: Are lions bigger than elephants?

- a. man/who/over/is/there/that.....
- b. when/Christmas/Ethiopia/are/celebrations/in/.....
- c. is/a/Africa/country/.....
- d. easy/it/s/to/write/answers/questions/not/but.....
- e. Algeria/northern/is/the/in/part/Africa/of.....
- f. mandela/South/Mandela/from/is/Africa.....
- g. people/Masai/the/are/Kenya/from.....
- h. are/many/in/Namibia/diamonds/there.....
- i. Kenyans/lot/are/there/marathon/in/competitions/a/of.....
- j. staple/food/in/Malawi/Nsima/is/the.....

3. Give the answers to these questions.

Example: Question: Am I a teacher?

 Question: Yes, I am.

- a. Is she a famous actress?.....
- b. When are you free?.....
- c. Is this difficult?.....
- d. Is pizza your favourite food?.....
- e. What is the name of your pet?.....
- f. Is it warm today?.....
- g. Are you sick today?.....

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 Answer: Are lions bigger than elephants?

- a. Who is that man over there?
- b. When are Christmas celebrations in Ethiopia?
- c. Is Africa a country?
- d. It's easy to write answers but not questions.
- e. Algeria is in the northern part of Africa.
- f. Nelson Mandela is from South Africa.
- g. The Masai people are from Kenya.
- h. There are many diamonds in Namibia.
- i. There are a lot of Kenyans in Marathon competitions.
- j. Nsima is the staple food in Malawi.

3. Give the answers to these questions.

Example: Question: Am I a teacher?

 Question: Yes, I am./ No, I'm not.

- a. Yes, she is./ No, she isn't.
- b. I am free in the afternoon.
- c. Yes, it is./ No, it isn't.
- d. Yes, it is. No, it isn't.
- e. Cutie is my pet's name./ Cutie is the name of my pet.
- f. Yes, it is./ No, it isn't.
- g. Yes, I am. No, I'm not.

