Question Forms Practice Worksheet with Answers

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Remember

Form	Example
Question word + auxiliary + subject + verb	Where do you work? What are you reading?
Each tense has its auxiliary	do / does · did · am / is / are · have / has · will · can
be: invert subject and verb	Are you tired? Where was she?
Subject questions: no do / did	Who called you? What happened?

Typical mistakes

× Learners often say	✓ Say instead
Where you live?	Where do you live?
Who did call you?	Who called you?
Can you tell me where is the station?	Can you tell me where the station is?

1. Rewrite

Put the words in order to make questions.

1. you / where / live / do

2. she / is / what / watching

3. did / when / arrive / they

4. ever / you / been / have / to Asia

5. can / how many / speak / languages / you

6. does / start / what time / the class

2. Choose

Circle the correct auxiliary.

1. Where (do / does) your sister work?
2. What (did / were) you do yesterday?
3. (Have / Do) you finished?
4. Why (are / do) you laughing?
5. How long (have / did) you lived here?
6. (Will / Do) you come to the party tomorrow?
7. Who (did call / called) the police?
8. What (happened / did happen) at the meeting?

3. Correct the mistakes

Correct the mistake in each question.

1. Where you are from?
2. What time you get up?
3. Did she went to work?
4. Who did break the window?
5. How long you have worked here?
6. Does he likes jazz?
7. What means this word?
8. Why she is angry?

Writing

You are going to interview a new classmate. Write 8 questions using different question words and tenses, including one subject question and one indirect question.

Speaking

- Ask your teacher five questions about his or her weekend, each with a different question word.
- Write three questions you would ask a new colleague on the first day.
- Ask about the past: three questions with did, two with have you ever.
- Find someone who: has lived abroad, can cook paella, got up before six today. Write the questions first.

Answer key

1. Rewrite: 1 Where do you live? · 2 What is she watching? · 3 When did they arrive? · 4 Have you ever been to Asia? · 5 How many languages can you speak? · 6 What time does the class start?

2. Choose: 1 does · 2 did · 3 Have · 4 are · 5 have · 6 Will · 7 called · 8 happened

3. Correct the mistakes: 1 Where are you from? · 2 What time do you get up? · 3 Did she go to work? · 4 Who broke the window? · 5 How long have you worked here? · 6 Does he like jazz? · 7 What does this word mean? · 8 Why is she angry?

Writing, model answer: Where are you from? How long have you lived here? What do you do? Why are you learning English? What did you do last weekend? Who taught you to cook? Which countries would you like to visit? Could you tell me what your favourite film is?