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FREE GRAMMAR PRACTICE · FORMS 1–3

Asking Questions

Question word + helping verb + subject + main verb

Question word	Helping verb	Subject	Main verb …
Where	**does**	Amy	live?
What	**did**	you	buy yesterday?
How long	**have**	they	lived here?
	Can	Paul	swim?

Ordinary subject questions do not add do, does or did: **Who** broke the window? Keep a helping verb if the tense needs it: **Who has** called? With **be** as the main verb, put be before the subject: Where **is** Amy?

PART A Ask about the words in bold

Write a question about the words in bold.

EXAMPLE Ben lives **in Sha Tin**. → Where does Ben live?

1. Lucy goes swimming **twice a week**.

2. The children visited **the museum** last Friday.

3. **Mr Smith** teaches us English.

4. Tom has worked here **for three years**.

PART B Choose

Tick (✓) the usual question in a neutral conversation.

1. (☐ What did you eat ☐ What you ate) for lunch?
2. Who (☐ did call ☐ called) the police?
3. Where (☐ your sister works ☐ does your sister work)?

Answers **A** 1 How often / How many times a week does Lucy go swimming? · 2 What did the children visit last Friday? / Where did the children go last Friday? · 3 Who teaches us English? (Also accept you if the question is addressed to one of the pupils.) · 4 How long has Tom worked / been working here? **B** 1 What did you eat · 2 called · 3 does your sister work

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