

Types of questions



General question

Общий вопрос

- Most of them start with an auxiliary verb and expect an answer Yes or No.

Auxiliary verb+subject+predicate

Example:

Are you from Russia?

Does she drive a car?

Do they like cats?

Will we go to the cinema?

Did he work here?

Yes, I am/No, I am not

Специальный вопрос

- Most of them start with a question word such as:

What / Where / Why /
Who / Whose / When
/ Which

Also :How / how many /
how often / how far /
how much / how long
/ how old

Question word+auxiliary
verb+subject+predicate

Example:

When did he get up?

Where will you go?

Why do they like to travel?

Tag question

Разделительный вопрос

- They are mini-questions asked at the end of a statement to confirm it. That is what tag question consist of 2 parts-positive sentence and mini-question.

If sentence-positive, that:

positive sentence+auxiliary
verb+`t(not)+subject

If sentence-negative, that:

negative sentence+auxiliary
verb+subject

Example:

You love her, don't you?

She has seen it, hasn't she?

Nobody knew the answer, did they?

Let's go, shall we?

Альтернативный вопрос

- We use choice questions when we offer choices. This question is always has conjunction or (or).

Auxiliary verb+subject+verb+_or_

Example:

Will they go to the park or to the cinema?

Did you buy an apples or pears?

Does he work or study?

Subject Question

Вопрос к подлежащему

- Question has a question word what or who, this word replaces a subject. Here you haven't change the word order.

Who/what+action?

Example:

Who came to the party?

What happened at the end?

How many students arrived to the lesson?