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**Introducing oneself, introducing people**

**Exercise 1** Read the dialogues and fill in the missing questions, then in pairs read it out.

Jānis: Hallo. I am Jānis Kalns.

1)..............................?

Brigita: My name is Brigita Vērpe.

Jānis: 2) ..............................?

Brigita: I am nineteen years old.

Jānis: 3)...................................?

Brigita: I am from Ventspils, Latvia. Are you from Ventspils, too?

Jānis: No, I am not. I am from Talsi.

Brigita: 4)...................................?

Jānis: I am a dressmaker.

Brigita: 5)..................................?

Jānis: I am thirty years old.

**Exercise 2** Read the short dialogues and fill in the gaps.

A: Hallo, John. John, this is Cindy. She is my friend from Canada.

B: Pleased to meet you.

C: ..................................

A: Hallo, Tracy. Tracy, this is Steve. He is my friend from Spain.

B: ....................................

C: Pleased to meet you.

**Exercise 3** Start a conversation! Put the words in the right order to make questions. The answers are given.

1. name / your / is /what

What is your name\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ ? Roberts.

1. how / you / are / today

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ ? Fine, thank you.

1. from / you / where / are

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ ? From Latvia.

1. live / you / where / do

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ ? In Valmiera.

1. in / a / flat / you / do / live / or / a / house

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ ? In a flat.

1. do / do / free / what / time / you / in / your

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ ? I read a lot and play volleyball.

1. studying / English / are / why / you

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ ? Because I want to travel to England.

1. watch / of / do / what / kind / films / you

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ ? I love comedies.

1. breakfast / have / do / for / usually / you / what

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ ? Coffee and a sandwich.

Part II Now ask a partner the questions. You may choose which ones to ask (omit irrelevant questions)

**Exercise 4** Put the words in the correct order to form sentences

1. years/I/old/thirty/am

..........................................

1. favourite/golf/his/sport/is

...........................................

1. Egypt/are/Pyramids/in/the

..........................................

1. sixteen/Tony/old/years/is

.........................................

1. Budapest/is/from/she

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**Exercise 5** Read the sentences 1 to 6, then read the texts and mark the sentences T (true) or F (false).

1. Omar is twenty – six years old. .............
2. Omar is a pilot. ..........
3. Mark is from India......
4. Julie is an artist...........
5. Mark is a basketball player........
6. Julie’s favourite sport is football..........
7. This is Omar. He is from India. Oman is forty years old. He is a pilot. His favourite sport is football.
8. This is Mark and this is Julie. They are married and they are from America. Mark is twenty – nine years old and Julie is twenty – six years old. Mark is a postman and Julie is an artist. His favourite sport is basketball and her favourite sport is volleyball.

**Exercise 6** Read the text and fill in the table

Hallo. My name is Juan Lopez. I am ten years old and I live in Barcelona, Spain. I have got short straight hair and brown eyes. I am tall and quite slim. I love playing football and I can run very fast. Please get in touch!

|  |  |
| --- | --- |
| First name: | Juan |
| Family name: | Lopez |
| City/town | Barcelona |
| Country: | Spain |
| Age: |  |
| Appearance: |  |
| Likes: |  |
| Can do: |  |

**Exercise 7** Use the information from the table below to write a short paragraph about Juliet. Use text A in an exercise 4 as an example.

|  |  |
| --- | --- |
| Name: | Juliet |
| Origin: | Paris, France |
| Age: | 22 |
| Job: | waitress |
| Favourite sport: | Tennis |

**Exercise 8** Write questions and answers as in the example.

1. You/from Argentina?

Are you from Argentina?

No/Brazil.

No, I am from Brazil.

1. Your car/new?

.......................

No/very old

.......................

1. He /Portugal?

......................

No/Turkey

..........................

**Exercise 9** Write out the advertisement in full sentences

Hi./My/name/be/Janis./ I /be/sixteen years old./I/live/Daugavpils, Latvia./I/have got/short hair/blue eyes./I/be/tall/slim./I/like/skiing/I love swimming./I/cook/very well./Be/my/pen-friend.

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**Exercise 10** Complete the dialogues, then read them out.

B: Hallo, Jean?

J: Hi, Bob, ....................?

B: ................................., thanks and you?

J: ...................................bad.

D: Good afternoon, Mrs Brown..................................?

B: Good afternoon, Mr. Dobbins. I am very well, thank you. And you?

D: I ...........................thank you.

**Exercise 11** **Communication. Pair work**

Jānis and Ieva

STUDENT A

Ask B questions and complete the chart for Ieva. Then answer B’s questions about Janis.

|  |  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
|  | Name | Jānis | Ieva |  |
| Age? | 25 |  |
| From? | Latvia |  |
| Lives in? | Riga |  |
| Job? | project manager |  |
| Likes? | comedy films, fishing |  |
| Doesn’t like? | people who tell lies |  |

Jānis and Ieva

STUDENT B

Answer A’s questions about Ieva. Then ask A questions and complete the chart for Jānis.

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| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
|  | Name | Jānis | Ieva |  |
| Age? |  | 23 |
| From? |  | Latvia |
| Lives in? |  | Oslo |
| Job? |  | journalist |
| Likes? |  | good food, music |
| Doesn’t like? |  | sport |

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