

Aims of the class

Ciljevi časa

- Language focus 1: to be (page 145 in textbooks)
- Language focus 2: a/an with jobs; wh-questions
- DVD Projection – My company
- Skills: Introducing yourself and others
- The crossword puzzle – Nationalities
- Role-play



to be

We often use the verb *to be* to describe people.

Angela Ahrendts is CEO of Burberry. She is American. She is married.

I	am	(I'm)	Spanish.
You		(You're)	
We	are	(We're)	
They		(They're)	
He		(He's)	
She	is	(She's)	
It		(It's)	
I	am not	(I'm not)	Italian.
You		(You aren't)	
We	are not	(We aren't)	
They		(They aren't)	
He		(He isn't)	
She	is not	(She isn't)	
It		(It isn't)	

Rosa Good morning!

Peter *Buenos días*, Rosa.

Rosa Do you speak Spanish?

Peter Not really. But I can speak French.

Rosa Oh right. Is Sam here?

Peter No, he always arrives late. Can I show you the restaurant?

Rosa Oh, yes, please.

Peter Well, this is the reception area, with the cloakroom next to it, and here's the bar, where I work.

Rosa Do you work alone in the bar?

Peter Yes. I prepare all the drinks, attend the customers at the bar and serve drinks to the tables. Would you like a coffee?

Rosa No, thanks, I don't drink coffee. Can you show me the dining-room?

Peter Sure. No, not that way; they're the toilets. The dining-room's on the right.

Rosa Oh, it's really nice!

Peter And there's a small private dining-room over there.



Answer the questions:


- 1 Does Peter speak Spanish?
- 2 Is Sam in the kitchen?
- 3 Does Peter have a lot of work?
- 4 Does Rosa have a coffee?
- 5 Is there only one dining-room?

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A Complete this information about Maristella with short forms of the verb *to be*.

My name's.....¹ Maristella. I.....² Brazilian and I.....³ from São Paulo. I.....⁴ a research analyst for an investment bank in New York. I.....⁵ married with two children, a boy and a girl. They.....⁶ at high school in Scarsdale. My husband.....⁷ American and he.....⁸ a doctor. My sister.....⁹ in New York, too. She.....¹⁰ a student at Columbia University. We.....¹¹ all interested in sports and movies. My son.....¹² a good tennis player.

B  CD1.10 Listen and check your answers.

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E Complete these sentences with negative forms of *to be*.

- 1 She's Russian, but *she isn't* from Moscow.
- 2 They're Japanese, but from Tokyo.
- 3 He's German, but from Munich.
- 4 I'm in sales, but the manager.
- 5 The office is in Paris, but in the centre.
- 6 Her name is Sophia, but Italian.

F Match the questions and answers about Sergio.

- | | |
|----------------------------|--|
| 1 Are you Spanish? | → a) No, I'm a marketing manager. |
| 2 Are you a sales manager? | → b) No, she's Mexican. |
| 3 Are you married? | → c) No, I'm Italian. |
| 4 Is your wife a manager? | → d) No, she's a lawyer. |
| 5 Is she Italian? | → e) Yes, I am. That's a picture of my wife. |
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B Rewrite the sentences with the correct form(s) of the verb *to be* in the correct place(s).

1 His English very good.

His English is very good.

2 Where they from?

.....

3 What her name?

.....

4 My office in Paris, but I not French.

.....

5 Mrs Lopez a lawyer.

.....

6 Alex and Rob from Italy.

.....

C Write the words in the correct order to make questions. You need one word from the box for each question.

am are is

1 your / Ingrid / name / ?

Is your name Ingrid?

2 Spain / Isabel and Luis / from / ?

.....

3 a / you / programmer / ?

.....

4 Marketing / in / you and Tom / ?

.....

5 I / tomorrow / in / room 16 / ?

.....

a/an with jobs; *wh-* questions

- We use *a* before words beginning with a consonant sound (e.g. *b, c*, etc.):
a receptionist
- We use *an* before words beginning with a vowel sound (e.g. *a, e*, etc.):
an architect
- We do not use *a* or *an* with plural nouns:
They are architects.
- We use question words such as *what, who* and *where* to ask for information:
'What's your job?' 'I'm a lawyer.' (NOT ~~I'm lawyer.~~)
'What's your wife's job?' 'She's an engineer.'
'Where's your office?' 'It's in New York.'
'Who's your boss?' 'Julio Cerdón.'
'Where are you from?' 'I'm Russian.' / *'Where's he from?' 'He's Spanish.'*

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A Write the correct article (*a/an*) for each job.

accountant architect artist cashier consultant director doctor
engineer executive journalist lawyer manager office worker
optician personal assistant (PA) pilot receptionist research analyst
sales assistant technician telephone operator trainee

C CD1.11 –1.13 Listen to three people talking about their jobs and complete this chart.

	Pierre	Gustavo	Silvia
1 What is his/her job?	an engineer	a lawyer	an architect
2 Where is he/she from?	Switzerland	Argentina	Sicily
3 Where is his/her office?	Singapore	New York	Rome
4 What does his/her partner do?	An IT consultant	a journalist	a househusband

a

cashier

consultant

director

doctor

journalist

lawyer

manager

personal assistant (PA)

pilot

receptionist

research analyst

sales assistant

technician

telephone operator

trainee

an

accountant

architect

artist

engineer

executive

office worker

optician



WRITING

Editing

A

Rewrite the sentences with the words from the box in the correct places.

a are do from is (x3)

1 Is your wife manager?

Is your wife a manager?

2 She married with two children.

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3 Lucas and Mirjana interested in travel.

.....

4 Wizz Air a Hungarian company?

.....

5 How you do? I'm Ana Kostic, from RTVS.

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6 The sales manager very busy today.

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7 My best friend is Brazilian. He is
Porto Seguro.

.....



DVD Projection – My company



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SKILLS

Introducing
yourself and
others

A

🔊 CD1.14–1.16 Listen to three conversations. Decide whether these statements are true (T) or false (F). Correct the false ones.

CD

1 Jim Davis works in the advertising department.

1.14

2 Paula will be an intern in the company for three weeks.

CD

3 Lucy Collins works in finance.

1.15

4 Jonathan Ross is Jenny Bradshaw's assistant.

CD

5 Jeff and Susan work for different companies.

1.16

6 Jeff's boss is Richard Mason.



Rešenja

Conversation 1

- 1 F (Jim Davis works in sales.)
- 2 F (Paula will be an intern for three months.)


Conversation 2

- 3
- 4 F (Jonathan Ross is an assistant to Lucy Collins.)

Conversation 3

- 5 F (They work for the same company.)
- 6 T

B

 CD1.14 –1.16 Listen again and complete these extracts. Use the Useful language box below to help you.

CD **Bob:** Hello, Jim **THIS**¹ is our new intern, Paula Atkins.

1.14 **Jim:** **NICE**² to meet you, Paula.

CD **Lucy:** Good morning. My **NAME'S**³ Lucy Collins. I'm a finance director. I work for a
1.15 supermarket group.

Jenny: Hello, I'm Jenny Bradshaw. I'm a **DIRECTOR**⁴ of public relations. I work for a big media company.

Lucy: How do you **DO**⁵?

Jenny: Nice to meet you.

Lucy: Let me **INTRODUCE**⁶ you to my **COLLEAGUE**⁷, Jonathan Ross. He's my assistant.

Jonathan: **PLEASED**⁸ to meet you, Jenny.

CD **Jeff:** Hi, I'm Jeff. I'm **IN**⁹ Sales.

1.16 **Susan:** Hi, Jeff, I'm Susan. I **WORK**¹⁰ in Human Resources.

Jeff: How are things **GOING**¹¹ in your department?

Susan: Pretty good. I enjoy my work. My **COLLEAGUES**¹² are really nice, and I like my boss.

C Use the clues to complete the crossword puzzle.

Across

- 1 Philip Clarke is the CEO of Tesco, the largest *British* supermarket chain. (7)
- 6 Ingvar Kamprad, founder of Ikea, is from *Sweden* (6)
- 8 *US* companies like Microsoft and GE are among the world's most respected companies. (2)
- 9 Toyota and Nissan are two carmakers from *Japan* (5)
- 11 Lee Kun-hee is Chairman of Samsung, the famous *Korean* technology company. (6)

Down

- 1 Natura, Petrobras and Weg are three companies from *Brazil* (6)
- 2 Lakshmi Mittal is from *India* He is Chief Executive of Arcelor Mittal, the world's biggest steelmaker. (5)
- 3 Nestlé is one of the most famous *Swiss* companies. (5)
- 4 Nokia, a *Finnish* company, makes high-quality mobile phones. (7)
- 5 BMW, Porsche and Volkswagen are three carmakers from *Germany* (7)
- 7 Jean-Paul Agon, L'Oréal's Chief Executive, is from *France* (6)
- 10 British Airways, Virgin Atlantic and easyjet are airlines from the *UK* (2)

1 B	R	2 I	T	I	3 S	H			4 F
		D					5		
Z					6 S				
				7					8
			9						
	10								
	11			E					

D

Work in pairs. You meet over breakfast in a hotel where a business conference is being held. You do not know each other. Role-play the situation. Use phrases from the Useful language box to help you.

Student A: Turn to page 134.

Student B: Turn to page 140.

USEFUL LANGUAGE

INTRODUCING PEOPLE

I'm ... / My name's ...

I work for ...

This is ...

He's/She's in sales / with Nokia.

ASKING QUESTIONS

Where are you from?

What's the reason for your visit?

How's your business doing?

What's the weather like in your country?

Where are you staying?

What's your hotel like?

OFFERING A DRINK

Would you like a drink?

How about a cup of tea / a coffee?

Another drink?

REPLYING

I'm from ...

The weather's (quite) good/hot/cold in my country.

I'm staying at [*name of hotel*].

I'm here to [*reason for visit*].

The room is [*describe the room*].

We're doing OK / quite well / very well.

Thanks very much. I'd love one.

Yes, please. / No, thanks.

GREETINGS

How do you do?

Pleased to meet you.

Nice to meet you.

Good to see you again.

SAYING GOODBYE

See you later.

Nice talking to you.

Have a good day.

Your name:

Where you are from:

Your position: *Business Manager, JC Electronics.*

Reason for your visit: *to meet important customers of your company*

How your business is doing: *very well – many new customers*

Weather in your country:

Where you are staying: *Empire Hotel*

What the hotel is like: *small rooms, but comfortable bed; big television; good service*

Say goodbye.

Your name:

Where you are from:

Your position: *Marketing Director, Universal Travel*

Reason for your visit: *to visit tourist offices and get information about tourist attractions*

How your business is doing: *not very well at the moment – too many competitors*

Weather in your country:

Where you are staying: *Eastern Hotel*

What the hotel is like: *good value for money; big room; large bed, armchair and desk; lots of lights*

Say goodbye.

DVD Projection – A worker's profile: A florist (Profil radnika: cvečar)

- Answer the questions after viewing...

1. What does Robert Palliser do?

- He is a florist.

2. What is the name of the flower shop?

- SCOTT'S FLOWERS.

3. Where is it located?

- In New York City.

4. What does Robert's job consist of?

- He makes bouquets, creates arrangements. He talks with customers every day, takes orders on the phone every day and he does deliveries, deals with customers and suppliers. (He has high communication skills).



○ Thank you for your attention!