

UNIT 10B - QUESTION TAGS

Put a question tag on the end of these sentences.

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| 1 | Kate won't be late, <i>will she</i> ? |
| 2 | You're tired, <i>aren't you</i> ? |
| 3 | You've got a camera, ? |
| 4 | You weren't listening, ? |
| 5 | Sue doesn't know Ann, ? |
| 6 | Jack's on holiday, ? |
| 7 | Kate's applied for the job, ? |
| 8 | You can speak German, ? |
| 9 | He won't mind if I use his phone, ? |
| 10 | There are a lot of people here, ? |
| 11 | Let's go out tonight, ? |
| 12 | This isn't very interesting, ? |
| 13 | I'm too impatient, ? |
| 14 | You wouldn't tell anyone, ? |
| 15 | Helen has lived here a long time, ? |
| 16 | I shouldn't have lost my temper, ? |
| 17 | He'd never met her before, ? |
| 18 | Don't drop that vase, ? |

- No, she's never late.
 Yes, a little.
 Yes, I've got two actually.
 Yes, I was!
 No, they've never met.
 Yes, he's in Portugal.
 Yes, but she won't get it.
 Yes, but not very fluently.
 No, of course he won't.
 Yes, more than I expected.
 Yes, that would be great.
 No, not very.
 Yes, you are sometimes.
 No, of course not.
 Yes, 20 years.
 No, but never mind.
 No, that was the first time.
 No, don't worry.

Read the situation and write a sentence with a question tag. In each situation you are asking your friend to agree with you.

- You look out of the window. The sky is blue and the sun is shining. What do you say to your friend? (nice day) *It's a nice day, isn't it?*
- You're with a friend outside a restaurant. You're looking at the prices, which are very high. What do you say? (expensive) It
- You and a colleague have just finished a training course. You really enjoyed it. What do you say to your colleague? (great) The course
- Your friend's hair is much shorter than when you last met. What do you say to her/him? (have / your hair / cut) You
- You and a friend are listening to a woman singing. You like her voice very much. What do you say to your friend? (a good voice) She
- You are trying on a jacket in a shop. You look in the mirror and you don't like what you see. What do you say to your friend? (not / look / very good)
It
- You and a friend are walking over a small wooden bridge. The bridge is very old and some parts are broken. What do you say? (not / very safe)
This bridge

In these situations you are asking for information, asking people to do things etc.

- You need a pen. Perhaps Jane has got one. Ask her.
Jane, you haven't got a pen, have you?
- Joe is just going out. You want him to get some stamps. Ask him.
Joe, you
- You're looking for Diane. Perhaps Kate knows where she is. Ask her.
Kate, you
- You need a bicycle pump. Perhaps Helen has got one. Ask her.
Helen,
- Ann has a car and you need a lift to the station. Perhaps she'll take you. Ask her.
Ann,
- You're looking for your keys. Perhaps Robert has seen them. Ask him.
Robert,

KEY:

1.

1. example
2. example
3. haven't you
4. were you
5. does she
6. isn't he
7. hasn't she
8. can't you
9. will he
10. aren't there
11. shall we
12. is it
13. aren't I
14. would you
15. hasn't she
16. should I
17. had he
18. will you

2.

1. It's (very) expensive, isn't it?
2. The course was great, wasn't it?
3. You've had your hair cut, haven't you?
4. She has a good voice, hasn't she? Or She's got/She has got ...
5. It doesn't look very good, does it?
6. This bridge isn't very safe, is it?

3.

1. Joe, you couldn't get (me) some stamps, could you?
2. Kate, you don't know where Diane is, do you? Or ... you haven't seen Diane, have you?
3. Helen, you haven't got a bicycle pump, have you? Or ... you don't have a bicycle pump, do you?
4. Ann, you couldn't take me to the station, could you? Or ... you couldn't give me a lift to the station, could you?
5. Robert, you haven't seen my keys, have you?