

Question words

What	name; information	Why	reason / 'because'
When	general time	Whose	possession
Where	place or location	Which	specific or particular
Who	person or people	How	Can be used with much / many / often

Examples:

What is her name?

When is the party?

Where are you from?

Who is that girl?

Why are you learning English?

Whose bag is that?

Which football team do you like, Chelsea or Manchester?

How often do you play tennis?

Put one of the question words in the sentences below.

1. _____ did you come to Ireland?

I came last year.

2. _____ do you live with?

I live with my two friends.

3. _____ fruit do you want, an apple or a banana?

An apple please.

4. _____ many students are in your class?

There are 12 students.

5. _____ is the capital city of Brazil?

Brasilia is the capital city.

6. _____ do you play football?

I play football at the sports club.

7. _____ pen is that?

It is John's pen.

8. _____ much is that jacket?
It is €25.
9. _____ singer do you like more, Rihanna or Beyonce?
I really like Beyonce.
10. _____ often do you go to the cinema?
I go about once a month.
11. _____ is the president of Ireland?
Michael D Higgins.
12. _____ is your next appointment?
It is on Tuesday morning.
13. _____ is the G.P.O.?
It is on O' Connell Street.
14. _____ are you tired today?
I'm tired because I didn't sleep well last night.
15. _____ car is that?
I think it is Diana's car.
16. _____ do you want to go to England?
I want to go because I can't find a job in Ireland.

Can you write your own questions with these words?

What _____?

Where _____?

When _____?

Why _____?

How many _____?



Reorganise the words to make correct questions.

live / Where / you / do

_____?

do / with / Who / live / you

_____?

school / you / go / Where / do / to

_____?

many / students / this class / are in / How

_____?

is / friend's / What / name / your

_____?

play / you / football / When / do

_____?

that / Whose / is / jacket

_____?

player / Which / like / do / football / you

_____?

English / Who / teacher / is / your

_____?

much / is / mobile / How / that / phone

_____?

Interview your partner.

<u>Where</u> are you living in Dublin at the moment?	
<u>Who</u> is your favourite sports person?	
<u>Why</u> is learning English important for you?	
<u>Which</u> football team do you like?	
<u>What</u> is the capital city of your country?	
<u>What</u> city would you like to visit?	
<u>What</u> is your favourite hobby?	
<u>When</u> do you do the housework?	
<u>How much</u> was your mobile phone?	
<u>How many</u> cups of tea or coffee did you drink yesterday?	
<u>What type</u> of music do you like?	
<u>What kind</u> of movies do you like?	
<u>How often</u> do you brush your teeth every day?	
<u>Which time</u> of the day do like - morning, afternoon, evening or night?	
<u>Who</u> is your best friend?	
<u>What</u> job would you like to have in the future?	

Write in a suitable question word:

1. _____ were you born?

I was born in Madrid.

2. _____ do you come from?

I am from Turkey.

3. _____ do you do?

I am a doctor in a hospital.

4. _____ do you live?

I live in Dublin.

5. _____ do you live with?

I live with my wife and two sons.

6. _____ you married?

No, I'm single.

7. _____ are you learning English?

Because I want to communicate with other people.

8. _____ did you start learning English?

About three years ago.

9. _____ do you have English classes?

Twice a week.

10. _____ you enjoying the course?

Yes, it's interesting.

11. _____ languages do you speak?

Two, French and Arabic.

12. _____ is your husband's name?

His name is Paul.

13. _____ bag is that?

It's Simon's bag.

14. _____ is this bottle of water?

It is €1.20.

15. _____ did you come to school this morning?

I came by bus.

Practice.

Write these questions correctly:

1. your what name is

_____?

2. do come where from you

_____?

3. did you to come Ireland when

_____?

4. old how you are

_____?

5. you married are

_____?

6. children do have you any

_____?

7. do live where you

_____?

8. languages speak you do what

_____?

9. you study did your country in English

_____?

10. favourite what colour is your

_____?