

QUESTION TAGS

разделительные вопросы



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- **разделительные вопросы / «вопросы-хвостики»**
- это вопросы, которые используются для выражения сомнения, удивления и требуют подтверждения или опровержения сказанного

You're joking, aren't you?

statement

question tag



WHAT?



- **Question tags** (*is he?, aren't they?, do you?, did we?, etc.*) are often used to check something you already think is true.

*Your name's Maria, **isn't it?***

- To form a question tag, we use:
 - ✓ the correct auxiliary verb (*be / do / have / will / would, etc.*) in the correct form (*do / don't, did / didn't, will / won't, etc.*)
 - ✓ a pronoun (*he , it, they, etc.*)



NB!

- Use a **negative** auxiliary verb if the sentence is **positive**

You **do** the washing every Saturday, **don't** you?

- Use a **positive** auxiliary verb if the sentence is **negative** or with **never**

You **don't** **do** the washing at the weekends, **do** you?

You **never** **do** washing, **do** you?

Match the question halves.

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|---|---------------------------------------|-------------------------|
| You know that man, | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> G | A didn't you? |
| 1 You're going out with him, | <input type="checkbox"/> | B will you? |
| 2 You haven't told your family about him, | <input type="checkbox"/> | C did you? |
| 3 You met him last month, | <input type="checkbox"/> | D won't you? |
| 4 You were at the same party, | <input type="checkbox"/> | E have you? |
| 5 You didn't know he was a criminal, | <input type="checkbox"/> | F weren't you? |
| 6 You aren't happy in the relationship, | <input type="checkbox"/> | G don't you? |
| 7 You never want to see him again, | <input type="checkbox"/> | H are you? |
| 8 You'll tell us the truth, | <input type="checkbox"/> | I aren't you? |
| 9 You won't tell any lies, | <input type="checkbox"/> | J don't you? |
| 10 You understand what I'm saying, | <input type="checkbox"/> | K do you? |

Complete with a question tag (*are you?*, *isn't it?*, etc.).

Your name's Jack, isn't it?

- 1 Your brother works at the police station, _____?
- 2 They don't have any proof, _____?
- 3 That man isn't the murderer, _____?
- 4 You were a witness to the crime, _____?
- 5 The police have arrested someone, _____?
- 6 The woman wasn't dead, _____?
- 7 That girl took your handbag, _____?
- 8 He won't go to prison, _____?
- 9 You haven't seen the suspect, _____?
- 10 They couldn't find enough evidence, _____?

Circle the correct words.

- 1 You live in Manchester, don't you / aren't you?
- 2 But you weren't born in Manchester, weren't you / were you?
- 3 You moved to Manchester when you were ten, weren't you / didn't you?
- 4 That means you've been living here for 20 years, haven't you / have you?
- 5 But you're emigrating to Canada next month, won't you / aren't you?
- 6 Your brother lives there, doesn't he / does he?
- 7 You've been in prison before, aren't you / haven't you?
- 8 I expect you'd like to call your lawyer now, would you / wouldn't you?

Complete the question tags.

- 1 Adam's living with his parents, *isn't he* _____?
- 2 You don't like dogs, _____?
- 3 It isn't difficult, _____?
- 4 Anthony works in London, _____?
- 5 They left yesterday, _____?
- 6 Kathy hasn't come home yet, _____?
- 7 I'm late, _____?
- 8 You'll see him tomorrow, _____?
- 9 I wouldn't like that film, _____?
- 10 You haven't had lunch yet, _____?

Rewrite the sentences using question tags.

1 I think your sister's in my class.

Your sister's in my class, isn't she?

2 I'm sure you're younger than me.

_____?

3 I have a feeling you don't like cheese.

_____?

4 I heard your brother lives abroad.

_____?

5 Is it right that you studied physics?

_____?

6 I'm sure we've been here before.

_____?

7 I'm sure you wouldn't do that.

_____?

8 I'm hoping the flight won't be cancelled.

_____?





the end