

# SCHOOL LIFE



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# QUESTIONS TAGS

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GRAMMAR LESSON

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# What is a tag question?

don't they?

They work at the travel agency,

do they?

Boys don't wear dresses,

- *A tag question is a short question added to the end of a positive or negative statement.*

# How are they formed?

Normally a positive statement is followed by a negative tag

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You and I are going to the party, aren't we?

and a negative statement is followed by a positive tag

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You aren't English, are you?

**!The statement and the tag are  
always separated by a comma.**

**He doesn't want to come with us , does he?**



**! Treat any statements with nothing, nobody etc like negative statements.**

**- +**  
**He never complains, does he?**

**- +**  
**I see nobody here , do I?**

**The verb in the statement should be the same tense as the verb in the tag.**

**You'll be there, won't you?**

**Future Simple**

**Maggie failed, didn't she?**

**Past Simple**

**We've already seen that movie, haven't we?**

**Present  
Perfect**

**He has lunch, doesn't he?**

**Present Simple**

**I can do this well, can't I?**

**Modal verb**



# Remember the verbs in some tag questions!

Let's go to the café,  
shall we?

Buy tickets, will you?





# Remember the verbs in some tag questions!



I am a teacher!  
I'm not a student!

**BUT!**

I am a teacher, aren't I?

I am not a student, am I?

# Remember the verbs in some tag questions!



She has a pet, hasn't she?

have –в значении «владеть»



# Remember the verbs in some tag questions!



Let him turn on the light, will \ won't you?

( Who?-You)

# Remember the verbs in some tag questions!



There are some people on the beach, aren't there?

There is/there are      →      aren't there/isn't there?



# Remember: intonation is important!

- If you are sure and don't expect an answer, your voice goes down.

The lesson is over, isn't it?



- If you aren't sure and you expect an answer, your voice goes up

The lesson is over, isn't it?



# GOOD LUCK !!!



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