

# Grammar: Tag Questions

🔦 Grammar worksheet

🔦 Age: adults / teens

🔦 B1-B2 Level

**1**

## Fill in the gaps in the facts about tag questions:

confirming

unsure

positive

spoken

negative

doubt

written

auxiliary

opposite

agreement

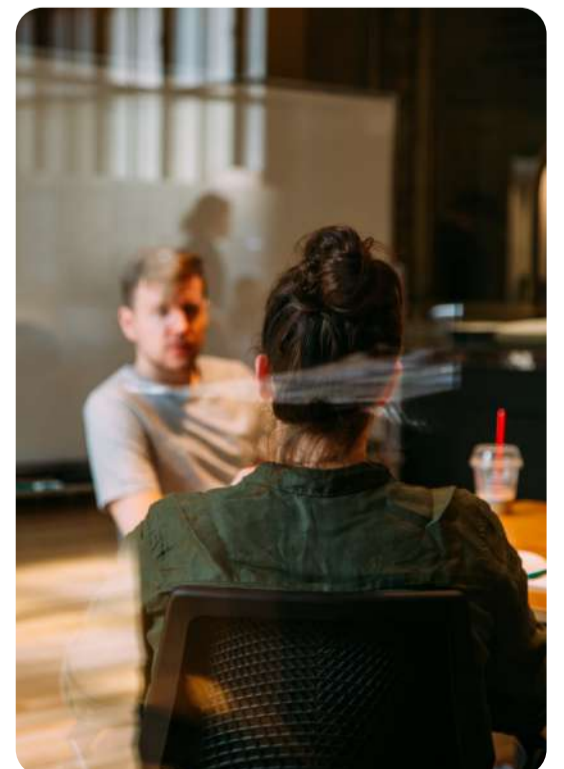
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1. Tag questions can be used to \_\_\_\_\_ information (1), seek \_\_\_\_\_(2), express \_\_\_\_\_(3) or politeness in English conversations.
2. Tag questions often use the \_\_\_\_\_(4) verbs "do," "does," or "did."
3. The tag question usually uses the \_\_\_\_\_(5) form of the main sentence.
4. Tag questions can be \_\_\_\_\_(6) or \_\_\_\_\_(7), depending on the statement that precedes them.
5. Tag questions are common in \_\_\_\_\_(8) English, but less frequently used in \_\_\_\_\_(9) English.
6. Overusing tag questions can make someone sound \_\_\_\_\_(10) or lacking \_\_\_\_\_(11).

**2**

## Match each sentence with the correct tag question:

- |   |                  |
|---|------------------|
| 1. You're coming to the party,            | a. haven't they? |
| 2. They've been to Paris,                 | b. did he?       |
| 3. We shouldn't eat too much junk food,   | c. aren't you?   |
| 4. He didn't call me back,                | d. shouldn't we? |
| 5. We should go now,                      | e. does she?     |
| 6. He's seen that movie before,           | f. haven't you?  |
| 7. She doesn't like coffee,               | g. should we?    |
| 8. They won't be late,                    | h. can't she?    |
| 9. You've already finished your homework, | i. will they?    |
| 10. She can speak Spanish,                | j. hasn't he?    |



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## 3

### Correct mistakes in the following conversations:

- 👤 You're into photography, are you?
- 👤 Yeah, I am. It's a great way to capture memories.



- 👤 I enjoy listening to music while doing household chores. What about you?
- 👤 Same here! It makes the work go by faster, don't it?

- 👤 I love this song, don't you?
- 👤 Yeah, it's great. You're a fan of this band, don't you?



- 👤 I can't believe how cold it is outside tonight.
- 👤 I know, right? You didn't bring a jacket, hadn't you?
- 👤 No, I didn't. I thought it would be warmer.

- 👤 They won't be late, aren't they?
- 👤 No, they won't.
- 👤 How do you know?

## 4

### Sort these questions out into 4 categories mentioned below.

It's a lovely day, isn't it?

You're coming to the party, aren't you?

He's not really a doctor, is he?

She won't be late, will she?

That movie was great, wasn't it?

We should go to the beach, shouldn't we?

You live in London, don't you?

You wouldn't mind helping me, would you?

Confirming  
information

Seeking agreement

Expressing doubt

Showing politeness

5

**Make 5 guesses about your partner/teacher and their life and family using tag questions. The topics you can base your questions on:**

**Travel**

to ask for confirmation about travel plans or experiences:  
"You're going to Paris next month, aren't you?"

**Hobbies**

to show interest in someone's hobbies or to confirm information about them.  
"Your girlfriend likes playing guitar, doesn't she?"

**Food**

to ask for confirmation about food preferences or experiences.  
"You've tried sushi before, haven't you?"

**Work**

to ask for confirmation about someone's job or work-related experiences.  
"Your dad works in marketing, doesn't he?"

**Relationships**

to confirm information about relationships or express uncertainty.  
"You're dating Sarah, aren't you?"



## Correct answers

### Exercise 1

Made in “Find Interesting Facts” + “Fill in the Gap”.

Correct answers:

1. confirming
2. agreement
3. doubt
4. auxiliary
5. opposite
6. positive
7. negative
8. spoken
9. written
10. unsure
11. confidence

### Exercise 2

The sentences are taken from the text generated in “Create a text”. The exercise is made in “Matching Halves”

Correct answers:

1. c, 2. a, 3. g, 4. b, 5. d, 6. j, 7. e, 8. i, 9. f, 10. h

### Exercise 3

The conversations are taken from the “Create a text” tool.

Correct answers:

A: “You're into photography, **aren't you?**”

B: Yeah, I am. It's a great way to capture memories.

A: “I enjoy listening to music while doing household chores. What about you?”

B: “Same here! It makes the work go by faster, **doesn't it?**”

A: “I love this song, and you?”

B: “Yeah, it's great. You're a fan of this band, **aren't you?**”

A: “I can't believe how cold it is outside tonight.”

B: “I know, right? You didn't bring a jacket, **did you?**”

A: “No, I didn't. I thought it would be warmer.”

A: “They won't be late, **will they?**”

B: “No, they won't.”

A: “How do you know?”

### Exercise 4

The example is made in “Create a text”

#### Checking information:

You're coming to the party, aren't you?

You live in London, don't you?

#### Seeking agreement:

That movie was great, wasn't it?

We should go to the beach, shouldn't we?

#### Expressing doubt:

He's not really a doctor, is he?

She won't be late, will she?

#### Showing politeness:

It's a lovely day, isn't it?

You wouldn't mind opening the window, would you?