

Practice With Auxiliary Verbs and Question Formation

Instructions: Complete the tasks on both pages of this worksheet with your partners.

Task 1: Auxiliary Verb or Full Verb?

Look at the pairs of sentences in the table below. For each sentence, decide if the **highlighted** verb is a full verb or auxiliary verb. Write the letters **F** (full) or **A** (auxiliary) in the column on the right.

1	Have you ever been to China?	A
	They have three children.	F
2	I do my homework every night.	F
	Where do you come from?	A
3	They are nice children.	F
	They are learning English.	A
4	What time did you get home?	A
	We did a play at school today.	F
5	Brazil has won the World Cup five times.	A
	Brazil has some beautiful beaches.	F
6	I was having dinner at 8:00.	A
	I was at home.	F
7	My sister does yoga every week.	F
	What does your father do? What do you do?	A
8	My son is at school.	F
	He is taught Spanish by my old teacher.	A

Task 2: Asking Questions

Read the Amazing Facts. Some information is missing. Write questions to get the missing information. Remember the structure of information questions.

Question Phrase + Aux + Thing + Action

Amazing Facts! 1) The human heart beats _____ times a year. 2) The solar system was formed _____ years ago. 3) _____ people are born every day. 4) Oil was first discovered in Saudi Arabia in _____ 5) The U.S. spends _____ on defense every year. 6) Right now, the International Space Station is flying at _____. 7) Shakespeare had _____ children. 8) _____ people were killed in the Second World War. 9) The U.S. President earns _____ a year. 10) The average marriage in the U.S. lasts _____ years.	1. How many times does the human heart beat a year?
	2. How long ago WAS THE SOLAR SYSTEM FORMED...?
	3. How many people ARE BORN EVERY DAY...?
	4. When WAS THE OIL DISCOVERED IN ARABIA SAUDITA...?
	5. How much MONEY DOES THE US SPEND ...?
	6. How fast IS THE SPACE STATION FLYING...?
	7. How many CHILDREN DID HE HAVE...?
	8. How many PEOPLE WERE KILLED IN THE SECOND WORLD WAR...?
	9. How much MONEY DOES THE US PRESINDET EARN PER YEAR...?
	10. How long IS THE AVERAGE MARRIEG...? HOW LONG DOES THE AVERAGE MARRIAGE LAST?