**Are is used with plural pronouns you, we, they**

**(present tense)**

**Is is used with singular pronouns… he, she, it**

**(present tense)**

**Am is used with I**

**Is/are/ am is followed by: verb+ing/ noun/adjectives**

**Do is used with plural pronouns.. I, you, we, they**

**(present tense) questions**

**Does is used with singular pronouns… he, she, it**

**(present tense) questions**

**Did is used with both singular and plural pronouns**

**(past tense)**

**AUX**

**Do, does, did are used in the present simple and simple past tense.**

**These auxiliaries require a yes or no answer.**

**Did (aux)** **you (sub)** **visit (b.f)** your grandma yesterday?

-yes, I did. No, I didn’t.

**Auxiliary + subject + base form**

**Do/does/did + verb**

**Question Words in English**

**Question word + auxiliary + subject + base form**

**WHO** is only used when referring to people. (= I want to know the person)

* Who ( question word) did ( auxiliary past) you go (verb base form) out with last night? (simple past)
* I went (base form) out with my friend**.**

**WHERE** is used when referring to a place or location. (= I want to know the place)

* **Where** ( question word) do (auxiliary) you work? (verb base form) simple present

**WHEN** is used to refer to a time or an occasion. (= I want to know the time)

* When does the mall open?

**WHY** is used to obtain an explanation or a reason. (= I want to know the reason)

* Why did you come late?

Normally the response begins with "Because..."

**WHAT** is used to refer to specific information. (= I want to know the thing)

* What did you eat for lunch?

**HOW** is used to describe the manner that something is done. (= I want to know the way)

* How do you cook lasagna?

With **HOW** there are a number of other expressions that are used in questions:

**How much** – refers to a quantity or a price (uncountable nouns)

* How much time do you have to finish the test?

**How often** – refers to frequency

* How often do you go to the gym?