

CORSO SERALE

First English Lesson

1. Completa le seguenti frasi usando *am, are, is*.

- I a new student at the South Bank University.
- Hello Jamie, how you?
- This my boyfriend, John.
- This coffee from Brazil.
- Where you from, Miss Godfrey?
- I tired, please help me!
- they Chinese? Yes, they
- you from England?
- No, we from Scotland, like Hamish.

2. Completa i minidialoghi con la forma corretta di *be*.

- A:** Sarah (not) from Galway. She from Cork.
B: No, you wrong. Her home town Limerick.
- A:** (there) many students in your class?
B: Yes, there Theretwenty.
- A:** Where (we)?
B: Wenear the centre. This Finch Street.
- A:** (Pete) married?
B: No, he Hesingle.
- A:** Janet and Mike (not) here.
B: (they) away on holiday?
- A:** (I) late?
B: No, it OK. I (not) ready yet.
- A:** Why (the children) at home today?
B: The teachers on strike.

3. Leggi il testo e scegli la forma corretta del verbo *be*

Hi! My name **1.am / are / is** Susan. I **2.am / are / is** 14 years old and I **3.am / are / is** from Salisbury.

Salisbury **4.am / are / is** a beautiful city in the South of England, not far from Bristol.

My family **5.am / are / is** large: my parents, my brothers John and Steve, my sister Paula and me.

I **6.am / are / is** the youngest. We all live in a big house with a garden and a small swimming pool.

My favourite singer **7.am / are / is** Amy Winehouse. I **8.am / are / is** sure she **9.am / are / is** the best singer in the world!

Hi! This **10.am / are / is** George speaking: a 14-year-old fan of Man U football team. I **11.am / are / is** in London with my family, but we **12.am / are / is** originally from Manchester. It **13.am / are / is** in the north of England, quite big but not as big as London. My family **14.am / are /**

ismy dad and I actually. My mum **15.am / are / is** in Italy with my married sister. My favourite player **16.am / are / is** Wayne Rooney: he **17.am / are / is** the best player in the world!

4. Completate seguenti frasi usando am, are, is.

1. Where your school?
2. Here Mary! She next to the bank.
3. How old you?
4. I very hungry!
5. What that? It an MP3 player.
6. Where your shoes?
7. They under your bed.
8. they from Wales? Yes, they
9. Hello Marta, how you?
10. Where you from, Liz? I from Cape Town.

5. Completa le seguenti frasi con un pronome personale coretto



1. Is your favourite actor?



2. am too tired today!



3. Are really interested in that jacket?



4. are not from Brazil, we are Scottish.



1. is my best friend.



2. Is your favourite actress?



3. am very tired.



4. are too late!

6. Completa con la forma corretta di *be* e il pronome personale appropriato, se necessario.

0. A: Your name *is* Forestier... What nationality *are you*? B: French.
1. This my friend Paul. an architect.
2. Hello, Tom. your sister at home?
3. Dear mum, very happy to be in Paris. Bye, Richard and Helen.
4. A: What? B: My new DVD player.
5.A: Whatyour new classmate like? B: Lisa Kidman?very attractive.
6.A:your laptop new? B: No,old and slow.
7. at home now. Please leave a message after the beep. We'll call you back !

7. Leggi le e-mail e decidi se le frasi sono vere o false. Scrivi T (*True*) o F (*False*).

- 1 ___ Annabel is Scottish.
2 ___ Mr and Mrs Griffiths are from Scotland.
3 ___ Davide isn't Italian.
4 ___ Three people are seventeen years old.
5 ___ Fiona does sport.
6 ___ Fiona is English.
7 ___ Karl is American.
8 ___ Four people like sport.
9 ___ Three people are Italian.
10 ___ Teresa is a student.
1. Hi! My name's Annabel Griffiths and I'm sixteen years old. My parents are Scottish, but I'm English (I was born in London). I'm a student and my hobbies are computers and playing tennis. Write to me soon
2. Hi there! I'm Davide. My surname is Pedrini. I live with my family in Modena, Italy. I like swimming and playing basketball. My favourite music is trance. I'm seventeen years old and I'm a student. Send me an e-mail soon.
3. Hello! My name's Fiona Davies. I'm a student from Cardiff in Wales. I'm seventeen and my hobbies are computer games and dancing. I don't like sport. Send me a message soon.
4. Hi there! My name's Karl and my surname's Hadding. My parents are English, but I was born in Florida in the USA. My hobbies are playing basketball and American football at school. I'm sixteen. Write to me!
5. Hello there! My name's Teresa Solimine. I'm a fifteen-year-old girl from Italy. I'm writing this message before I go to school. My hobbies are music and going to the cinema. Write to me soon!
6. Hello! This is Steve Baker writing from Cape Town, South Africa. The sun is shining here and I'm writing this message before I go to the beach. I like swimming and beach volleyball. I'm a seventeen-year-old student. Write soon!