

# 5B

## Present simple dominoes

### Present simple (I/you); Verbs with noun phrases



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| ... computers.                      | <b>Where do ...</b>         | ... you live?                      | I work for ...                           |
| ... <i>an American company.</i>     | Do you have any ...         | ... brothers and sisters?          | <b>I study German and Italian in ...</b> |
| ... <i>a language school.</i>       | I don't live in ...         | <b>... the centre of the city.</b> | Do you study other ...                   |
| <b>... languages?</b>               | Who do you live ...         | ... with?                          | <i>Do you live with ...</i>              |
| ... your parents?                   | I don't live with my ...    | ... <i>family, I live alone.</i>   | What do you ...                          |
| ... <i>study?</i>                   | <b>I live near ...</b>      | ... <i>Cordoba, in Spain.</i>      | I don't have a car ...                   |
| ... or a bicycle.                   | Do you work for ...         | <b>... a big company?</b>          | Do you have a ...                        |
| ... <b>job?</b>                     | Where do you ...            | <b>... work?</b>                   | <i>I have a dog ...</i>                  |
| ... and two cats.                   | <b>Do you live in a ...</b> | ... house or a flat?               | <b>I don't study ...</b>                 |
| <b>... French, I study English.</b> | I don't have any sons ...   | ... but I have two daughters.      | I work with ...                          |

## Instructions

*You will need: one set of dominoes per pair of students*

- Students work in pairs. Give one set of dominoes to each pair, and ask them to share them out equally. If you have an odd student, have one group of three.
- One student places a domino in front of them, and the other student has to make a complete sentence by placing one of his/her dominoes at either end of the first domino. Encourage students to look at the articles, prepositions and punctuation to ensure the sentence is accurate. Students then take it in turns to put down their dominoes at either end of the domino chain.
- If a student thinks his/her partner's sentence is not grammatically correct or doesn't make sense, he/she can challenge the other student. If the students cannot agree, the teacher adjudicates. If the sentence is incorrect, the student must take back the domino and miss a turn.
- If a student cannot make a sentence, the turn passes to his/her partner.
- The game continues until one student has used all his/her dominoes, or until neither student can make a correct sentence. The student who finishes first, or has the fewest dominoes remaining, is the winner.