

**OBJECTIVE:** To practice asking simple present yes/no questions and giving short answers.

**LEVEL:** beginning - low intermediate

**TIME:** 10 – 15 minutes

















**MATERIALS:** Handout

**PROCEDURE:**

- Review simple present yes/no questions with short answers:

Questions			Short answers.		
	a man		1	2	3
Is your friend	a woman		Yes,	my friend	is.
	busy	?	No,	he	isn't.
	hard-working			she	
	from Texas				
	a doctor				

- Distribute handout.
- Teacher models activity – choose one “friend” from the handout, and have the students ask yes/no questions until they figure out who your friend is.
- Pair off students.
- Have students play the game.

 <p><u>Lee</u> a young man friendly from Taiwan a computer programmer</p>	 <p><u>Wendy</u> a young woman hard-working from Jamaica a teacher</p>	 <p><u>Peter</u> a young man busy from Texas a student</p>	 <p><u>Dave</u> a young man friendly from Jamaica an architect</p>
 <p><u>Serena</u> a short woman musical from Colombia a violinist</p>	 <p><u>Roberto</u> a tall man intelligent from Mexico a doctor</p>	 <p><u>Melinda</u> a tall woman musical from Colombia a waitress</p>	 <p><u>Min Kyung</u> a busy woman friendly from Korea a computer programmer</p>
 <p><u>Sung-Yun</u> a tall woman unfriendly from Taiwan a computer programmer</p>	 <p><u>William</u> a young man tired from Texas a student</p>	 <p><u>Franz</u> a tall man intelligent from Germany a doctor</p>	 <p><u>Hazel</u> a tall woman tired from Texas a waitress</p>
 <p><u>Jung Hee</u> a busy man tired from Korea a bartender</p>	 <p><u>Mario</u> a tall man hard-working from Mexico a wine-maker</p>	 <p><u>Marina</u> a young woman busy from Colombia a factory-worker</p>	 <p><u>Heinrich</u> a tall man hard-working from Germany a factory-worker</p>

**Rules:**

- \*Choose one friend - Do NOT tell your partner which friend!
- \*Ask yes/no questions to guess your partner's friend.

**Examples:**

Questions			Short answers.		
			1	2	3
Is your friend	a man a woman busy hard-working from Texas a doctor	?	Yes, No,	my friend he she	is. isn't.