

# WH-QUESTIONS (QUESTION WORDS)

There are two main types of questions: Yes/No questions and WH- question. WH-questions are questions starting with WH-words including: what, when, where, who, whom, which, whose, why and how.

Question words are used to ask about specific qualities, times, places, people and so on. Below is a list of question words and example sentences:

| Question Words | Usages   | Examples   |
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| <b>What</b>    | Used to ask about <b>things</b>                  | - What are you doing?<br>- What do you think about the movie?  |
| <b>When</b>    | Used to ask about <b>time</b>                    | - When will the meeting start?<br>- When are you leaving?  |
| <b>Where</b>   | Used to ask about <b>places</b>                  | - Where's my bag?<br>- Where do you live?  |
| <b>Who</b>     | Used to ask about <b>people</b>                  | - Who do you love the most in your family?<br>- Who told you that story?   |
| <b>Whom</b>    | Used to ask about <b>people (object of verb)</b> | - Whom did you see in the morning?<br>I saw Mr. Mark, my English teacher.<br>- Whom was Jim talking to?<br>He was talking to Jack, his new roommate. |
| <b>Which</b>   | Used to ask about <b>choices</b>                 | - Which one do you choose? The left or right?<br>- Of all the drinks in the menu, which one would you like?  |
| <b>Whose</b>   | Used to ask about <b>possession</b>              | - Whose pencil is this? Is it yours?<br>- Whose books are these?   |
| <b>Why</b>     | Used to ask about <b>reasons/causes</b>          | - Why did it happen? I didn't understand.<br>- Why is he crying?   |
| <b>How</b>     | Used to ask about <b>manner/process</b>          | - How can you explain this problem? Please tell us.<br>- How can you get here?   |