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Grammar Self-check
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GRAMMAR. The simple present tense

Look at these affirmative statements.

I live in Rio.	He lives in Tokyo.
We have two children.	She has four sisters.
They work in a school.	Sam works in an office.

FIGURE IT OUT . . .

Complete these grammar rules.

1. Use verb + -s with _____ subjects, except you and I.
plural / singular
2. Use have with _____ subjects and the subjects you and I.
plural / singular
3. Use has with _____ subjects, except you and I.
plural / singular

Look at these negative statements.

I don't live in Japan.	She doesn't live in Mexico.
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FIGURE IT OUT . . .

What word do you add to make a sentence negative? _____

Look at these yes / no questions and short answers.

Do you have any nieces and nephews?	Yes, I do. / No, I don't.
Does he live near his parents?	Yes, he does. / No, he doesn't.

FIGURE IT OUT . . .

1. **What comes between the helping verb and the main verb in yes / no questions?**

2. **Can you use a contraction in an affirmative short answer?** _____