

Practice

Grammar:
Linking Verbs

Name _____

- A **linking verb** does not show action. It connects the subject to the rest of the sentence.
- The word *be* is a common linking verb. *Be* has special forms in the present tense. A linking verb must agree with its subject.
I *am* part of a big family.
The house *is* big and roomy.
All my brothers *are* here.

Write *am*, *is*, or *are* to finish each sentence.

1. I _____ on vacation with my family.
2. We _____ at a park with lots of rides.
3. The rides _____ fast and scary.
4. But now we _____ in trouble.
5. Sam and I _____ happy to stay in the water park.
6. Chris _____ ready to try the roller-coaster.
7. George _____ ready for lunch.
8. Fortunately, Mom and Dad _____ here.
9. I _____ happy to listen to their ideas.
10. We _____ eager for a good solution!
11. Mom and Dad _____ glad to be at the park.
12. Sam and Chris _____ at the ice cream stand.
13. I _____ hungry.
14. George _____ on the steps to the ticket booth.
15. We _____ next to the miniature golf course.