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### **Preface**

**STARTING STEPS in grammar** is a two-book series for junior A and B classes.

In this series, the most basic language points and structures are presented in a very simple way, and then practised through a variety of innovative exercises.

The careful step-by-step approach to grammatical phenomena makes pupils feel self-confident, and they therefore gradually develop a good command of the language.

These books can be used on a parallel basis either with the **START NOW!** series or any other coursebook for this level, as the grammatical contents can easily be matched.

It is suggested that pupils should begin **STARTING STEPS in grammar** about two months after starting their coursebook.

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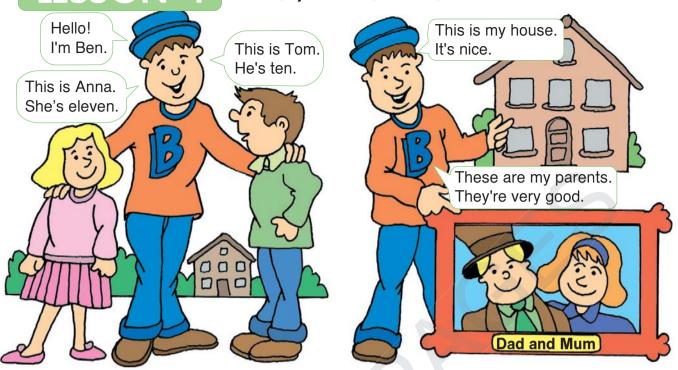
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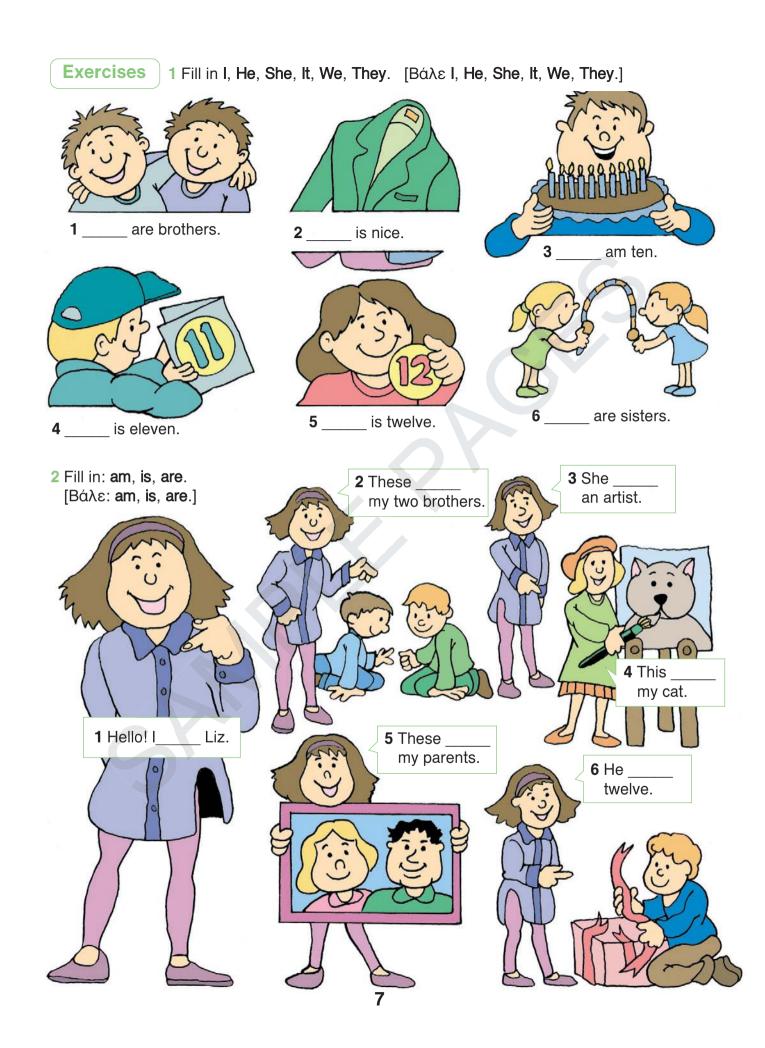
## I am, you are, he is, ...



### Το ρήμα είμαι

		Κατάφαση	Ερώτηση	Άρνηση
ı	am	[l'm] = εγώ είμαι	Am I?	I am not [I'm not]
You	are	[You're] = εσύ είσαι	Are you?	You are not [You aren't]
He	is	[He's] = αυτός είναι	ls he?	He is not [He isn't]
She	is	[She's] = αυτή είναι	ls she?	She is not [She isn't]
It	is	[lt's] = αυτό είναι	Is it?	It is not [It isn't]
We	are	[We're] = εμείς είμαστε	Are we?	We are not [We aren't]
You	are	[You're] = εσείς είστε	Are you?	You are not [You aren't]
They	are	[They're] = αυτοί είναι	Are they?	They are not [They aren't]





3 Look at the example and do the same. [Κοίτα το παράδειγμα και κάνε το ίδιο.]

**3** a mouse

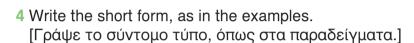
1	Louise	<u>she</u>	<b>7</b> my	/ cat	
2	my parents		<b>8</b> Jin	n and Karen	

\_\_\_\_\_ 9 my brother and I

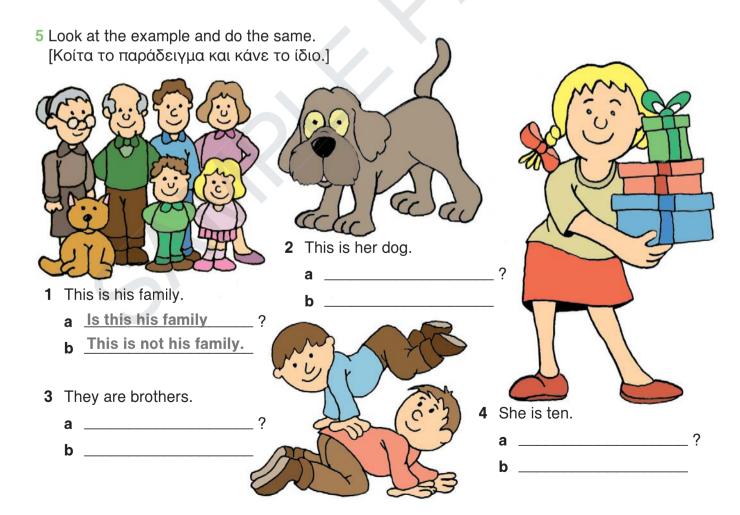
**4** his wife \_\_\_\_\_ **10** Mr Porter \_\_

5 Mrs Brown \_\_\_\_ 11 her sister

6 his brother \_\_\_\_ 12 a house



(	[He is]	1 He's	my brother.	[You are]	4	silly.
	[She is not]	2 She isn't	a good girl.	[They are not]	5	my parents.
	[It is]	3	a mouse.	[We are]	6	 friends.



6 Write the words in the correct order. [Γράψε τις λέξεις στη σωστή σειρά.]



1 my / is / this / brother This is my brother.



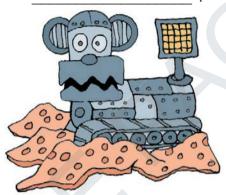
2 is / your / he / doctor



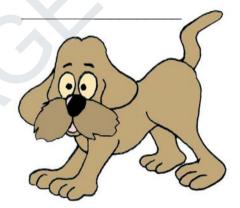
3 he / not / artist / is / an



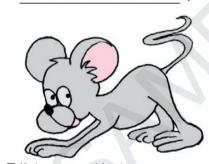
4 you / ill / are



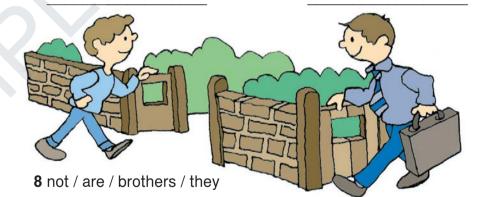
5 a / is / machine / new / it



6 name / Rex / is / its



7 it / mouse / is / a



7 Tick (✔) the words that go with the pronoun given in each box.

[Σημείωσε με 🖍) ποιές λέξεις αντιστοιχούν στην αντωνυμία που δίνεται σε κάθε κουτί.]

Не	She	It	We	They
the map	Margaret	the fish	Karen and Jim	the bananas
September	the lamp	the boy	Jane and I	the dog and the cat
Mr Brown 🗸	my sister	the boat	my father and I	his parents
the machine	the ball	the tent	the boys	my book
John 🗸	the tomato	the tables	Anna and you	Frank and I

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