**Question Formation Chart**

**Questions to ask before making questions**

**1.** . Is it an auxiliary question (ASV) or ***be*** question? (*be* +S) or subject question? **2.** What tense is it? **3.**  Is it a Yes/No or Information question?

**Auxiliary Questions**

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| **Tense** | **Question** | **Auxiliary** | **Subject** | **Verb** | **Rest of Sentence** |
| Simple Present |  | **do , does** |  | **base form** |  |
| Present Progressive |  | **am are is** |  | **verb-ing** |  |
| Simple Past |  | **did** |  | **base form** |  |
| Past Progressive |  | **was, were** |  | **verb-ing** |  |
| future |  | **will**  **am is are** |  | **base form**  **going to +base form** |  |
| Present Perfect |  | **has, have** |  | **past participle** |  |
| modals |  | **can**  **could**  **may**  **should**  **etc.** |  |  |  |

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## *Be* Questions

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| **Tense** | **Question** | **Verb “to be”** | **Subject** | Rest of Sentence |
| Simple Present |  | **am are is** |  |  |
| Simple Past |  | **was were** |  |  |

**Subject Question**

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| Q | V | Rest of Sentence |  |
| Who | wins | all the time? | **Jane** wins all the time. |
| How many people | were | at the party? | **Over a hundred people** were at the party. |
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