

short by

Say this when you don't have enough.
This shows how much you need.



MORE EXAMPLES

"We need 10 players for our football game.
We have eight players, so we're **short by**
two."

A: "My cash register is **short by** \$15."

B: "You must have given a customer too
much change."

For *must have*, see page 130

Have you been waiting long?

This is a polite question to ask someone waiting for you.



MORE EXAMPLES

A: "Have you been waiting long?"

B: "No, just a few minutes."

"I'm sorry to keep you waiting. **Have you been waiting long?**"

Will that be all?

Is that the only thing you want?

Servers ask this in restaurants.



MORE EXAMPLES

A: "I'll have a salad and an iced tea, please."

B: "**Will that be all?**"

A: "Yes, that's it, thank you."

A: "I'd like a cheeseburger to go, please."

B: "**Will that be all?**"

A: "No. And a Diet Coke, too."

For *that's it*, see page 59

For *to go*, see page 270

For here or to go?

Do you want to eat/drink here in the restaurant, or do you want to take it away?

Servers ask this in restaurants.



MORE EXAMPLES

A: "One cheeseburger, please."

B: "Is that **for here or to go?**"

A: "It's to go."

A: "I'd like two coffees, please."

B: "**For here or to go?**"

A: "For here, please."

look / look like

look + adjective / look like + noun



MORE EXAMPLES

A: "You **look** tired."

B: "That's because I worked late every night this week."

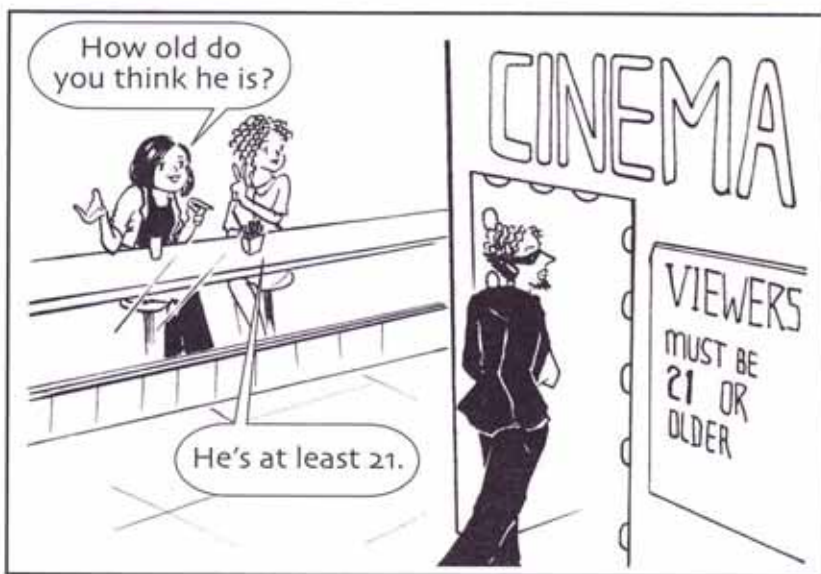
A: "My new haircut is too short. I **look like** a boy."

B: "No, you **look** beautiful."

NOTE: noun = thing (book, man, house);
adjective = describing word (good, tall, old)

at least 21

21 or more than 21



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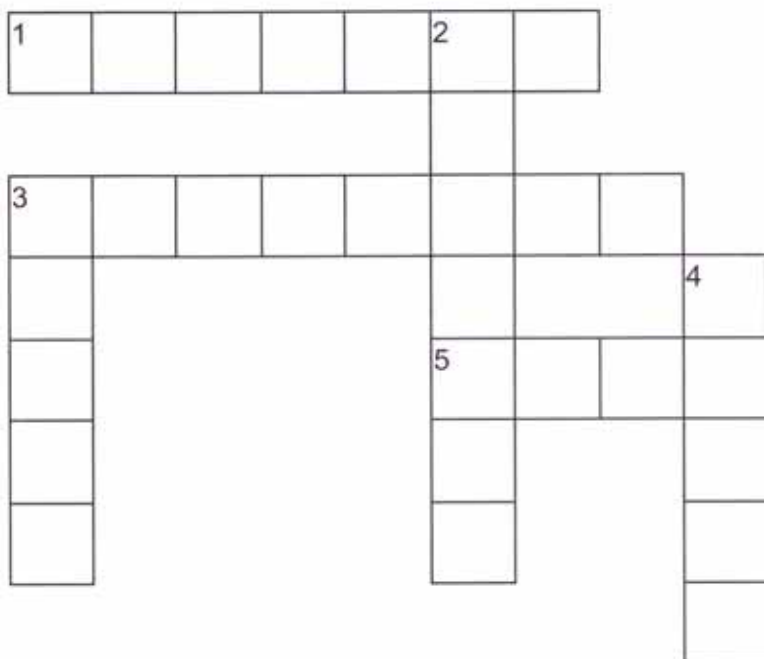
A: "I wonder how much that jacket costs."

B: "**At least** \$200. Maybe even \$300! It's made of leather."

"That piano is heavy! You need **at least** four people to help you carry it."

For *made of*, see page 122

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ACROSS

- 1) "To buy a house, you need \$100,000 or more. You need ___ ___ \$100,000."
- 3) "Thanks for waiting for me. Have you ___ waiting ___?" ■ "No, only about five minutes."
- 5) "One coffee, please." ■ "For here or ___ ___?" ■ "I'll drink it here."

DOWN

- 2) "I need a 10-foot ladder. This one is eight feet long. This ladder is ___ ___ two feet."
- 3) "I'd like two hotdogs, please." ■ "Will that ___ ___?" ■ "No, I'd like an iced tea too."
- 4) "My grandmother is old, but she ___ young because her skin is so soft."

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