(a) To practise the pattern ‘question word + auxiliary + (pro)noun + verb’, ask questions as shown. (The teacher or another student may supply the answers if required.)

Paul went to New York.
why STUDENT A: Why did Paul go to New York?
when STUDENT B: When did Paul go to New York?
who with STUDENT C: Who did Paul go to New York with?

Mary comes to class.
why STUDENT D: Why does Mary come to class?
how often STUDENT E: How often does Mary come to class?
what time STUDENT F: What time does Mary come to class?

1. Bob helped Mary. (how—why—when)
2. Susan’s gone. (where—why—how far)
3. I’ll be in town. (how long—where)
4. Tom got married. (how long ago—why—where)
5. Bob’s taking the exam. (why—when—where)
6. Jane took the book. (when—why—where from)
7. Gordon got a taxi. (how—how long ago—why)
8. Jim will find a flat. (how—where—how soon)
9. John plays golf. (where—how often—who with)
10. Dick was watching TV. (what time—where—why)
11. Sheila went swimming. (where—how long ago—why)
12. George will be in London. (when—how long—where)
13. Don uses his typewriter. (where—when—how often)
14. Allan has been working. (how long—why—who with)
15. Jim will be on holiday. (how soon—where—how long)
16. Bob borrowed the book. (why—who from—how long ago)
17. Elizabeth speaks English. (how well—how often—when)
18. John went to Edinburgh. (why—how long ago—who with)
20. Richard’s opening the tin. (what with—who for—why)

(b) To practise the pattern ‘question word + auxiliary + (pro)noun + verb + to-infinitive’, ask questions about the final word in the statement.

I had to do it. What did you have to do?

1. I have to meet him. Who do you have to meet?
   I’ve got to be there. Where have you got to be?
   1. I’m going to see him.
   2. I’ve got to know it.
   3. I want to do it.
   4. I have to hear her.
   5. I’m going to buy it.
   6. I’ve got to stay there.
   7. I’ll have to go then.
   8. I had to use it.
   9. I mean to see him.
10. I’m going to eat it.
11. I’ve got to have it.
12. I’ll have to be there.
13. I’m going to speak to him.
14. I have to come then.
15. I’ve got to get it.
16. I had to write to her.
17. I intend to meet him.
18. I have to leave then.
19. I’ll have to help them.
20. I’m going to sell it.

(c) To practise the pattern ‘question word (+ auxiliary) + verb’, ask questions about the first word in the statements.

Someone has it.
Who has it?

Something happened.
What happened?

One of them is going.
Which one of them is going?

Some of it arrived late.
How much of it arrived late?

Some of them made mistakes.
How many of them made mistakes?

1. Somebody took it.
   2. Something fell on them.
   3. One of them is coming.