

Subject-verb agreement

Complete the following sentences using a verb form that agrees with the subject in number and person.

1. Here are two pieces of shirting. Each one two meters long.

is

are

2. That woman got two children. Both girls.

have, is

have, are

has, are

has, is

3. Few girls in this village to schools.

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go

goes

4. Some economists believe that all
not well with the global economy.

is

are

5. He inherited a lot of wealth from his father, but
now all gone.

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6. all of the invitees expected to
turn up?

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7. I have two pens. But neither well.

write

writes

8. "Which of these two flats would you like to buy?
" "Either me."

suit

suits

9. Mr. Mathews is an advocate, but neither of his
two sons good at studies.

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10. The two countries have been at war for three years now. Neither to agree to a ceasefire.

want

wants

Answers

1. Here are two pieces of shirting. Each one is two meters long.
2. That woman has got two children. Both are girls.
3. Few girls in this village go to schools.
4. Some economists believe that all is not well with the global economy.
5. He inherited a lot of wealth from his father, but now all is gone.
6. Are all of the invitees expected to turn up?
7. I have two pens. But neither writes well.
8. "Which of these two flats would you like to buy? " "Either suits me."
9. Mr. Mathews is an advocate, but neither of his two sons is good at studies.
10. The two countries have been at war for three years now. Neither wants to agree to a ceasefire.