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What's the matter?

Focus: have got for illness (I've got a cold), feel + adjective (I feel tired), hurt / hurts (My back hurts)

GRAMMAR: WHAT'S THE MATTER?

What's the matter? → I've got a cold / a headache / a bad back.
How do you feel? → I feel ill / tired / better.
Where does it hurt? → My back hurt**s**. My feet hurt. (he / she / it + -s)

1 Choose the correct word.

Example: My feet _____. (hurt / hurts) → hurt

1. My arm _____. I can't drive. (hurt / hurts)
2. She's _____ a bad headache. (got / get)
3. Where _____ it hurt? (do / does)
4. He _____ got a cold. He's in bed. (have / has)

2 Complete with got, feel, feels, hurt or hurts.

Example: I've _____ a problem with my back. → got

1. Omar _____ ill. He isn't at work.
2. My eyes _____. I can't read.
3. We've _____ a cold. We don't feel well.
4. Her leg _____. She can't walk.

3 Put the words in order.

Example: matter / the / what's / ? → What's the matter?

1. hurt / does / where / it / ?

_____

2. headache / got / I've / bad / a

_____

3. feel / how / she / today / does / ?

_____

4. hurts / lot / my / a / back

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ANSWER KEY

1 1 hurts, 2 got, 3 does, 4 has **2** 1 feels, 2 hurt, 3 got, 4 hurts **3** 1 Where does it hurt? | 2 I've got a bad headache. | 3 How does she feel today? | 4 My back hurts a lot.

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