**This works sheet gives a few example of uses of (Ser)**

**Ser is used to express the hour, day, and date.**

¿Qué hora **es**? = What time is it?

**Son** las dos. = It's two o'clock.

¿Qué día **es** hoy? = What day is today?

Hoy **es** lunes. = Today's Monday.

¿Qué fecha **es** hoy? = What's the date today?

**Es** el cinco de mayo. = It's May fifth.

**Ser is used to express place of origin.**

¿De dónde **eres** tú? = Where are you from?

**Soy** de Colombia. = I'm from Colombia.

**Ser is used to express occupation.**

¿Cuál **es** tu trabajo? = What do you do?

**Soy** carpintero = I'm a carpenter.

**Ser is used to express nationality.**

¿**Es** ella puertorriqueña? = Is she Puerto Rican?

No, **es** guatemalteca. = No, she's Guatemalan.

**Ser is used to express religious or political affiliation.**

¿**Son** los García bautistas? = Are the Garcias Baptists?

No, **son** católicos.= No, they're Catholics.

¿**Es** el gobierno socialista? = Is the government socialist?

No, **es** comunista. = No, it's communist.