Echo Questions Vs. Question Tags

ECHO QUESTIONS
We use echo questions to show interest or surprise. For this purpose, the listener makes a short question using the auxiliary verb of the statement the speaker has just said.

EXAMPLES:
- They are visiting relatives at this moment.
  Are they?
- Jane bought a sports car last week
  Did she?
- I live in London’s city centre.
  Do you?
- Richard has got an iPhone.
  Has he?

QUESTION TAGS
These short questions are used to check information. We use a positive statement followed by a negative tag when we expect a positive answer: YES.

We use a negative statement followed by a positive tag when we expect a negative answer: NO.

EXAMPLES:
- He told you he was married, didn’t he?
- The weather will improve tomorrow, won’t it?
- He can't drive a lorry, can he?
- They are vegetarians, aren’t they?
- She cooks well, doesn’t she?
- You live near here, don’t you?