

Who?

Exercises for using 'wen' & 'wem' with prepositions in questions

Render the following into grammatically correct German.

Pay attention to word order. Each question begins with a preposition followed by 'wen' or 'wem'.

QUESTIONS

1. Who are they laughing about? *Über wen lachen sie?*
2. Who is she thinking about? *An wen denkt sie?*
3. Who are you guys talking about? *Über wen sprecht ihr?*
4. Who are you guys waiting for? *Auf wen wartet ihr?*
5. Who is he afraid of? *Vor wem hat er Angst?*
6. Who are we talking about? *Über wen sprechen wir?*
7. Who are you afraid of? *Vor wem hast du Angst?*

ANSWERS

1. They are laughing about the neighbor. *Sie lachen über den Nachbarn.*
2. She is thinking about her husband. (*Mann*) *Sie denkt an ihren Mann.*
3. We are talking about our professor. (*fem.*) *Wir sprechen über unsere Professorin.*
4. We are waiting for our professor. (*masc.*) *Wir warten auf unseren Professor.*
5. He is afraid of his wife. (*Frau*) *Er hat Angst vor seiner Frau.*
6. We are talking about our parents. *Wir sprechen über unsere Eltern.*
7. I'm afraid of you. *Ich habe Angst vor dir.*