These words describe states of being. They are some of the most common words in French. Writing out the being words will help you to memorize them.

to be = être

I am = je suis

you are (singular) = tu es

he is = il est

she is = elle est

it is = il est _or_ elle est

we are = nous sommes

you are (plural) = vous êtes

they are = ils sont _or_ elles sont

Copy the French being words twice on the lines below.

to be = _____

I am = _____   we are = _____

you are (s.) = _____   you are (pl.) = _____

he is = _____   they are = _____

she is = _____   they are = _____