

Be able to use apostrophes correctly

The possessive apostrophe 's

- ∞ We **DON'T** use possessive apostrophes to show plurals.
- ∞ We use an apostrophe to show connection, belonging or possession.
- ∞ Apostrophes are punctuation marks.

For example:

The baby's **name** is Alice. (The name belongs to the baby).

Mrs Osman's **flowers** are beautiful. (The flowers belong to Mrs Osman).

The flowers are in the hospital's **vase**. (The vase belongs to the hospital).

Type the sentence below with correct use of apostrophes.

1. Alis wife is in hospital.

2. Alis baby was born yesterday.

3. Mr Osmans wife is in hospital.

4. Mrs Osmans husband wants to visit her in hospital.

