

Demonstrative and Interrogative Pronouns

An **interrogative pronoun** comes at the beginning of a sentence to ask a question. The interrogative pronouns are **who, whom, whose, which, and what**.

A **demonstrative pronoun** is used to point out something. The demonstrative pronouns are **this, that, these, and those**.



Pronouns do not modify nouns. Are the italicized words pronouns in these sentences?

Which bus do you ride?

That dog is a cocker spaniel.

Think Identify the underlined pronouns in the following sentences as demonstrative (**Dem.**) or interrogative (**Int.**).

- _____ 1. Who is that in the clown costume?
- _____ 2. Which of the stories did you write?
- _____ 3. This is an interesting picture by Monet.
- _____ 4. That is a statue of Nathan Hale.
- _____ 5. Compare these apples with those over there.
- _____ 6. What are you doing with those papers?
- _____ 7. Which of the coats will you take to school?
- _____ 8. This is a visit I will long remember.
- _____ 9. Whose is the best paper in the class?
- _____ 10. What is that in the distance?
- _____ 11. Whom did the teacher help?
- _____ 12. That is the tallest building in town.
- _____ 13. This is the day which the Lord hath made.
- _____ 14. Are those your new shoes, Melissa?
- _____ 15. These are my books.