

## Possessive Pronouns

Name: \_\_\_\_\_



**Possessive pronouns show that something belongs to someone or something.**

If the shoes belong to me, they are **my** shoes. They are **mine**.

If the car belongs to you, it is **your** car. It is **yours**.

If the books belong to her, they are **her** books. They are **hers**.

If the pencil belongs to him, it is **his** pencil. It is **his**.

If the leaf belongs to the plant, it is **its** leaf.

If the food belongs to us, it is **our** food. It is **ours**.

If the house belongs to them, it is **their** house. It is **theirs**.

**Choose the possessive pronouns that best complete each sentence.**

1. \_\_\_\_\_ (My/Mine) brother planted a beautiful apricot tree in \_\_\_\_\_ (our/ours) front yard.
2. Annalisa finished \_\_\_\_\_ (her/hers) homework early, but Julissa did not do \_\_\_\_\_ (her/hers) until later.
3. The little boy who lives next door played with \_\_\_\_\_ (him/his) toys.
4. The furniture belongs to my mother. It is \_\_\_\_\_ (her/hers).
5. \_\_\_\_\_ (Our/Ours) family enjoys spending time together.
6. Jenny's dad trimmed the branches off the tree. It looked bare without all of \_\_\_\_\_ (it/its) branches.
7. You must remember to clean \_\_\_\_\_ (your/yours) room before you go to the party.
8. Mr. and Mrs. Rochester bought a plant for \_\_\_\_\_ (their/theirs) house.
9. The bicycle over there is \_\_\_\_\_ (him/his), but this one right here is \_\_\_\_\_ (my/mine).
10. Angela likes to wear \_\_\_\_\_ (her/hers) hair long, while Peggy prefers to wear \_\_\_\_\_ (her/hers) short.



Watch the video and read the conversation between Sophie and Hakan. Then do these exercises to check your understanding of personal pronouns and possessives.



**Grammar Snacks**

### 1. Check your grammar: multiple choice – personal pronouns and possessives

Choose the correct word to complete the sentences.

1. Could **you / her / your** take a message, please?
2. They showed us all **they / their / ours** holiday photos last night.
3. I'm sorry but these seats are **my / their / ours** .
4. Sandy and **I / me / her** are going to the café.
5. Do you want **I / me / my** to turn this off?
6. I saw your sister's paintings yesterday. **She / They / Its** were very good.
7. They've got two babies and they take **they / their / them** everywhere.
8. Let **he / my / him** help you with that.

### 2. Check your grammar: error correction – personal pronouns and possessives

Correct the mistakes and write the sentences on the line below.

1. They don't look like they brothers.  
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2. It's your father's idea, not my.  
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3. Sam and me went to that concert at the weekend.  
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4. I've never met you parents, you know.  
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5. A: Who's coming to the cinema? B: Only Paul and my.

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6. I would do anything for he.

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7. My is from a different shop.

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8. Have you seen our project? I hope they get an A+.

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### 3. Check your grammar: gap fill – personal pronouns and possessives

Complete the gaps with a word from the box.

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| me | he  | me | I   | me  | you  |
| we | its | I  | She | you | mine |
| it | our | us |     |     |      |

1. That's my brother's cup and this is \_\_\_\_\_. My grandmother gave it to \_\_\_\_\_.

2. Good morning. Can \_\_\_\_\_ help \_\_\_\_\_?

3. Ah, there's Jade's watch. Could \_\_\_\_\_ pass it to \_\_\_\_\_? I'll keep it safe.

4. That poor dog has lost one of \_\_\_\_\_ legs.

5. Look! I've got Poppy's phone number! She gave \_\_\_\_\_ it last night.

6. \_\_\_\_\_ don't mind where \_\_\_\_\_ go but \_\_\_\_\_ doesn't like the beach.

7. \_\_\_\_\_ never lets \_\_\_\_\_ watch TV after 9 p.m.

8. Do you like \_\_\_\_\_ new car? \_\_\_\_\_ is second-hand.