

EXERCISE: THE POSSESSIVE 'S', THE PLURAL S' AND THE APOSTROPHE '

Practise the 's-genitive. Read the following sentences. Then decide what you need:

- the possessive 's';
- a plural s' with an apostrophe;
- only an apostrophe '.

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A friend wants to ride Thomas bike.

Her father is called John and her mother name is Jennifer.

These bikes belong to the girls. The boys bikes are over there.

The car belongs to Andreas. So it is Andreas car.

Johnny and Julia sleep in the same room. Johnny points to a bed: "This is my sister bed."

"My Mum and Dad sleep here. This is my parents room."

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Look at the example: **The book of Anna** ⇒ Anna's book

1. The computer of Carla
2. The English teacher of Sofia and Clara
3. The boyfriend of the sister of my neighbour
4. The trashcan of the Park of my City.
5. The door of the room of the children of Juan

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1. Las flores del jardín de la escuela
2. El color del nuevo teléfono de Ana es negro
3. Los nombres de los hijos de mi amiga son Carlitos e Ignacio
4. La dirección de correo electrónico del trabajo

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Exercise: Possessive relations

Rewrite the sentences as shown in the example. Use a possessive relation. Example: Julia has a new sweatshirt. \Rightarrow Julia's new sweatshirt

Anna has a beautiful ring. \Rightarrow

The kids have a great teacher. \Rightarrow

Johnny has a new bike. \Rightarrow

Mr. Smith has a red car. \Rightarrow