

## 1. Choose

1. This is *Charlie's* / *Charlies'* bag.
2. This is my *uncles'* / *uncle's* house.
3. These *girls'* / *girl's* flowers are beautiful.
4. The *mens'* / *men's* cars are parked there.
5. There are *womens'* / *women's* dresses in this shop.
6. All *students'* / *student's* classes are canceled.
7. My *dad's* / *dads'* sister is my aunt.
8. *Cathy's* / *Cathys'* work is the best.
9. My *grandfather's* / *grand'sfather* room is upstairs.
10. That *cats'* / *cat's* eyes are green.

## 2. Fill in the gaps

1. This is   **Tony's**   watch. (Tony)
2. My                    birthdays are in June. (brothers)
3. The                    shoes are dirty. (children)
4.                    favourite food is pasta. (Jake)
5. The                    room is upstairs. (teachers)
6. This is my                    task. (colleague)
7. I always follow my                    advice. (sister)
8. What is this                    name? (boy)
9. This is my                    family. (friend)

## 3. Open the brackets. Use the possessive case.

Example:

*This is Mike's bike (bike, Mike).*

1. We are in (restaurant, Nick) \_\_\_\_\_.
2. She reads (poems, Pushkin) \_\_\_\_\_.
3. Tony liked (photo, his friend) \_\_\_\_\_.
4. Today I'm wearing (jeans, my sister) \_\_\_\_\_.
5. (house, Susan) \_\_\_\_\_ is very large.
6. I use (laptop, Lisa) \_\_\_\_\_.
7. The (answer, student) \_\_\_\_\_ is brilliant.
8. We're meeting in (house, Jack) \_\_\_\_\_.

## 4. Rewrite the phrases. Use the possessive case.

Example:

*the ring of my mother → my mother's ring*

1. the tail of the cat → \_\_\_\_\_
2. the book of our teacher → \_\_\_\_\_
3. the friend of Jim → \_\_\_\_\_
4. the son of Luisa → \_\_\_\_\_
5. the bags of the women → \_\_\_\_\_
6. the car of my dad → \_\_\_\_\_

7. the pens of my colleagues → \_\_\_\_\_  
8. the house of my parents → \_\_\_\_\_

### 5. Rewrite the sentences. Use the possessive case.

Example:

*This house belongs to Mr. Smith. → This is Mr. Smith's house.*

1. This kite belongs to that boy. → \_\_\_\_\_.
2. This bike belongs to Polly. → \_\_\_\_\_.
3. Those shirts belong to Emily. → \_\_\_\_\_.
4. These dresses belong to the girls. → \_\_\_\_\_.
5. This flat belongs to Jerry. → \_\_\_\_\_.
6. These shoes belong to the dancers. → \_\_\_\_\_.

### 6. Use the possessive case where necessary.

1. This is our company \_\_\_ car.
2. All children spent June in their grandparents \_\_\_ house.
3. We used our children \_\_\_ camera to take photos.
4. The flat is owned by Paul and Mary. This is Paul \_\_\_ and Mary \_\_\_ flat .
5. My elder brother \_\_\_ computer was upgraded not long ago.
6. These two rooms belong to Steve and Paul. They are Steve \_\_\_ and Paul \_\_\_ rooms.
7. Everybody listened to editor-in-chief \_\_\_ report.
8. Robert Burns \_\_\_ poems are beautiful.
9. This is my brother-in-law \_\_\_ bike.
10. We attended two months \_\_\_ courses last year.
11. The girls \_\_\_ new teacher is excellent.
12. This is St. James \_\_\_ Park.

### 7. Choose

- 1) Do you know why \_\_\_ parents have not met before?  
a) Ann and Alex's      b) Ann's and Alex's
- 2) This car doesn't belong to John. It is his \_\_\_\_.  
a) brother-in-law's      b) brother's-in-law
- 3) Yesterday I was introduced to \_\_\_ father, which was a real pleasure.  
a) Mary and John's      b) Mary's and John's
- 4) I have two sisters. That's my room and that's my \_\_\_ room.  
a) two sisters'      b) two sister's
- 5) On the way home she usually bought a slice of cake at \_\_\_\_\_.  
a) the bakers'      b) the baker's
- 6) The \_\_\_ coats were left in the cloakroom downstairs.  
a) boy's      b) boys'
- 7) It was a nice \_\_\_\_\_ through the country.  
a) two hours' drive      b) two hour's drive

- 8) The \_\_\_\_ is an amazing place.  
a) bottom of the sea    b) sea's bottom
- 9) \_\_\_\_ partner was to make a speech at the meeting.  
a) The founder's of the company  
b) The founder of the company's
- 10) Everybody thought that \_\_\_\_ was promising.  
a) the beginning of the match  
b) the match's beginning
- 11) He lives \_\_\_ distance from here.  
a) kilometre's    b) a kilometre's
- 12) Have you still got \_\_\_\_ newspaper?  
a) last's Sunday's    b) last Sunday's