

PRACTICE 19.2A Making Personal Pronouns Agree with Their Antecedents

Read each sentence. Then, rewrite each sentence to include the correct personal pronoun.

EXAMPLE My sister and I visited _____ aunt and uncle.

ANSWER My sister and I visited our aunt and uncle.

1. Jim and Doreen called loudly from the cave, but nobody heard _____.
2. Annie will read _____ report to the class.
3. The president and the Congress announced _____ new ideas.
4. Either Ryan or Cal Will drive _____ truck.
5. Neither Heather nor Celia had a pencil with _____.
6. Antonio said he had done _____ homework.
7. One of the gills has lost _____ backpack.
8. When my brothers or my sister celebrates a birthday, _____ always request cupcakes.
9. Either the boy or his brothers spoke to _____ parents.
10. Neither puppy Will thrive if _____ is not well cared for.

PRACTICE 19.2B Revising for Agreement in Person and Gender

Read each sentence. Then, revise each sentence so that the personal pronoun agrees with the antecedent.

EXAMPLE All of the boys lost his money.

ANSWER All of the boys lost their money.

11. One of the managers gave his approval.
12. Every one of the girls has their assignments.
13. The hikers realized that you can't explore the Grand Canyon in just one day.
14. Neither of the students agreed to ask their parents.
15. One of the men Will have to volunteer their time.