

# Possessive Nouns, Adjectives, & Pronouns

## Exercise 1:

Write the possessive form of the noun in parentheses ( ) to show belonging.

Example: I want the shelves' (shelves) colour to match the rest of the furniture.

1. The \_\_\_\_\_ (stairs) steep angle make it difficult to climb.
2. Kent and Nancy are \_\_\_\_\_ (Pete) children.
3. Mac is using our \_\_\_\_\_ (mom) banana bread recipe.
4. Is \_\_\_\_\_ (John) football team playing today?
5. The \_\_\_\_\_ (men) room is down the hall.
6. That is \_\_\_\_\_ (Tom) iPhone.
7. The teachers are marking the \_\_\_\_\_ (students) tests.
8. Is the \_\_\_\_\_ (baby) bottle warm?
9. Dean is \_\_\_\_\_ (Isabelle) brother.
10. You can really taste the \_\_\_\_\_ (tomatoes) rich flavour in my \_\_\_\_\_ (grandmother) spaghetti sauce.
11. There are three territories in \_\_\_\_\_ (Canada) north.
12. Are you going to \_\_\_\_\_ (Samantha) party tonight?

## Exercise 2:

Select the correct verb or verb phrase and fill in the blank with the correct possessive adjective.

Possessive Adjective	my	your	his	her	its	our	their
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Example: The children ( ride / **are riding** ) **their** bikes around the neighbourhood today.

1. The boy ( likes / is liking ) \_\_\_\_\_ new shoes.
2. She ( teach / is teaching ) \_\_\_\_\_ courses online this semester.
3. The cat ( eats / is eating ) \_\_\_\_\_ breakfast now.
4. She ( likes / is liking ) \_\_\_\_\_ bedroom.
5. He ( gives / is giving ) \_\_\_\_\_ homework to \_\_\_\_\_ teacher.
6. We ( eat / are eating ) \_\_\_\_\_ lunches outside today.
7. He (practices / is practicing ) for \_\_\_\_\_ concert.
8. The bird ( sleeps / is sleeping ) in \_\_\_\_\_ nest every night.
9. She always ( forgets / is forgetting ) \_\_\_\_\_ homework.
10. They ( close / are closing ) \_\_\_\_\_ store early tonight.
11. Mary ( sees / is seeing ) \_\_\_\_\_ neighbours ( leave / are leaving ) \_\_\_\_\_ house every morning.
12. Susana ( makes / is making ) \_\_\_\_\_ lunch.

**Exercise 3:**

Fill in the blank with the correct possessive pronoun.

Possessive Pronoun	mine	yours	his	hers	ours	theirs
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**Example:** This is my car. The car is mine.

1. That is Mark's dog. The dog is \_\_\_\_\_.
2. The photograph belongs to them. The photograph is \_\_\_\_\_.
3. My house is located on the hill. The house on the hill is \_\_\_\_\_.
4. The bracelet belongs to her. The bracelet is \_\_\_\_\_.
5. That backpack is Tyler's. The backpack is \_\_\_\_\_.
6. The iPhone belongs to you. The iPhone is \_\_\_\_\_.
7. You can choose any food to eat. The choice is \_\_\_\_\_.
8. That is Mary's apple. It is \_\_\_\_\_.
9. Gena and Katherine have three cats. The cats are \_\_\_\_\_.
10. We have a new car. The new car is \_\_\_\_\_.
11. The children are playing with the computer. It is \_\_\_\_\_.
12. My sister and I walk the dog because it is \_\_\_\_\_.

**Exercise 4:**Fill in the blank with the correct possessive adjective or pronoun.**Example:** He has his exam today. Do you have yours?

1. I have two sisters. \_\_\_\_\_ names are Kathie and Elaine.
2. My friends love reading. It is a favourite pastime of \_\_\_\_\_.
3. I have my books in \_\_\_\_\_ locker. Do you have \_\_\_\_\_?
4. Thomas and \_\_\_\_\_ sister are good students.
5. I am doing \_\_\_\_\_ homework. Is he doing \_\_\_\_\_?
6. He is reading \_\_\_\_\_ favourite book.
7. John and Sam, is Heather \_\_\_\_\_ sister?
8. Is he visiting \_\_\_\_\_ parents next weekend?
9. She is drinking \_\_\_\_\_ coffee.
10. The pencil belongs to the girl. It is \_\_\_\_\_.
11. Are you working on \_\_\_\_\_ homework?
12. James is writing a letter to \_\_\_\_\_ sister.