



Date: Today is \_\_\_\_\_, January \_\_\_\_\_, 2022.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Class: 9<sup>th</sup> \_\_\_\_\_

## WRITING BUILDER

### 1 Read the rules for using pronouns.

#### Using pronouns

a We use pronouns to replace the names of people, places, and things. With pronouns our language isn't repetitive.  
*I know Paul. I know him from school.* ✓  
*I know Paul. I know Paul from school.* X

b There are different kinds of pronoun: subject, object, and possessive.  
*We go to junior high school.* (subject pronoun)  
*Mom always gives me great birthday presents.* (object pronoun)  
*That isn't Ellen's pizza. Hers is on the table.* (possessive pronoun)

### 2 Look at the pronouns in the sentences. Write S (subject), O (object), or P (possessive) next to each sentence.

At the moment, **she** is on vacation. S

1 I hate carrots. I never eat **them**! \_\_\_\_\_

2 **We** are running for the bus. \_\_\_\_\_

3 I have **mine**, but where are yours? \_\_\_\_\_

4 I can hear **him**, but I can't see **him**. \_\_\_\_\_

### 3 Complete the sentences with the correct pronouns.

Tom and I have homework. I'm doing mine here. Tom is doing his in the kitchen.

- 1 This book is fantastic. I'm really enjoying \_\_\_\_.
- 2 Where are my friends? I'm waiting for \_\_\_\_!
- 3 Give us that chocolate. It's \_\_\_\_!
- 4 The children are happy. \_\_\_\_ are playing.
- 5 Our grandma lives in Chicago. We visit \_\_\_\_ every summer.

### 4 Complete the blog post with the correct pronouns.

Hello friends,

It's me, Joe! This week <sup>1</sup>I'm at my favorite music festival, the Bonnaroo festival in Tennessee. This year <sup>1</sup>\_\_\_\_ starts on June 13<sup>th</sup>. I'm here with my cousin Alicia. I go with <sup>2</sup>\_\_\_\_ every year. <sup>3</sup>\_\_\_\_ always have fun. Right now, <sup>4</sup>I'm having a guitar lesson with a really cool teacher called Eric. My guitar is only a cheap one, but <sup>5</sup>\_\_\_\_ is awesome. This evening The xx are on stage. Alicia is excited because she really likes <sup>6</sup>\_\_\_\_\_. What's <sup>7</sup>\_\_\_\_ favorite festival?

More news soon,

Joe

### 5 Now do exercise 6 on page 17.