

Possessive adjectives and pronouns; whose

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POSSESSIVE ADJECTIVES	POSSESSIVE PRONOUNS
my	mine
your	yours
his	his
her	hers
its	-
our	ours
your	yours
their	theirs

- We use possessive adjectives with nouns.
*This is **my** moped. That's **your** moped.*
*These are **my** books and those are **your** books.*
- We use possessive adjectives and 's to indicate possession.
This is my sister's tablet.
- We use possessive pronouns to replace possessive adjectives + nouns.
*That's her mobile. = It's **hers**.*
- We use *whose* when we want to know the person who possesses something.
A Whose bag is this? B It's mine.
A Whose shoes are those? B They are Terry's.

Note!

Do not confuse *whose* with *who's* (= *who is* or *who has*).

1 Complete the sentences with the correct possessive pronoun.

- 1 It's my house. It's mine.
- 2 It's his hat. It's _____.
- 3 It's her T-shirt. It's _____.
- 4 It's their newspaper. It's _____.
- 5 They're our bikes. They're _____.
- 6 They're your pencils. They're _____.

2 Underline the correct possessive form.

- 1 This coat isn't my / mine, it's too small.
It must be your / yours.
- 2 Tell Lisa not to forget her / hers passport
and not to forget my / mine either.
- 3 I don't have any drink left. Can I have some
of your / yours?
- 4 This doesn't look like my / mine jacket.
- 5 Two of their / theirs children go to junior
school and their / theirs oldest son goes to
secondary school.
- 6 You can take my / mine keys if you can't
find your / yours.

3 Complete the sentences with the correct possessive adjective.

- 1 Why don't you ask Sam to lend us his
car?
- 2 The children washed _____ hands
and walked into the kitchen.
- 3 My sister goes on _____ favourite
social network website every day.
- 4 Put _____ jumper on. The weather is
quite chilly today.
- 5 My parents and older brother came to
_____ graduation.
- 6 Tom and Nancy just returned back from
_____ holiday.
- 7 Amy fell and twisted _____ ankle.
- 8 Jenny and _____ boyfriend came to
the cinema with us.
- 9 Sam has got a new puppy. _____
name is Spot.
- 10 Andrew needs new glasses because
_____ old ones are broken.
- 11 A What's the name of the boy who is sitting
next to Lexi?
B _____ name is Robert.
- 12 _____ car is old, but we still like it.

4 Fill in the gaps with a possessive adjective or a possessive pronoun.

- 1 Gary invited his girlfriend out for dinner with us last night. She's a lovely girl.
- 2 The thief grabbed _____ purse and ran away.
- 3 I need a pen to sign _____ name on this paper.
- 4 A Is this the magazine you bought yesterday?
B No, it's not _____ magazine. _____ is over there on the table.
- 5 _____ cake is delicious, Isabel.
- 6 A Is this your laptop, Mary?
B No, it's not _____. It's Sarah's. _____ is black and this is red, so it must be _____.
- 7 We always wash _____ hands before meals.

- 8 Can you lend me _____ calculator, please?
- 9 Peter, this is _____ friend Alan.
- 10 A Whose car is that?
B That's _____. John likes sports cars.



5 Rewrite the following sentences using the appropriate possessive pronouns.

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| 1 This is our car.
<u>This car is ours.</u> | 7 Is that his dog?
_____ |
| 2 Those are their books.
_____ | 8 These are her sunglasses.
_____ |
| 3 Isn't that your DVD?
_____ | 9 This is my new smartphone.
_____ |
| 4 Aren't these your trainers?
_____ | 10 Is this your necklace?
_____ |
| 5 That is her dress.
_____ | 11 Are these our exercise books?
_____ |
| 6 Are these their sandwiches?
_____ | 12 These are my notes from the lesson.
_____ |

6 Complete the following sentences with the appropriate possessive pronoun.

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| 1 A Is this my pencil?
B No, this is my pencil. <u>Yours</u> is on the desk. | 6 Paul, this is my plate and that's _____. |
| 2 A Is that their car?
B No, _____ is black. | 7 A Is that her new skirt?
B Yes, it's _____. |
| 3 That's her house and the motorbike over there is _____, too. | 8 A Is this their cat?
B Yes, it's _____. |
| 4 A Is that your notebook?
B Yes, it's _____. | 9 A Are these your socks, Sally?
B No, they aren't _____. |
| 5 A Is this his scarf?
B No, _____ is brown. | 10 This isn't our camcorder; _____ is very old. |