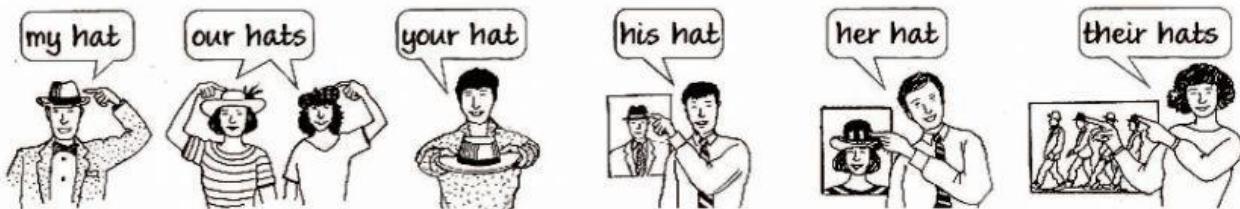


**my/his/their etc.****A**

I → <b>my</b>	I like <b>my</b> job.
we → <b>our</b>	We like <b>our</b> jobs.
you → <b>your</b>	You like <b>your</b> job.
he → <b>his</b>	He likes <b>his</b> job.
she → <b>her</b>	She likes <b>her</b> job.
they → <b>their</b>	They like <b>their</b> jobs.

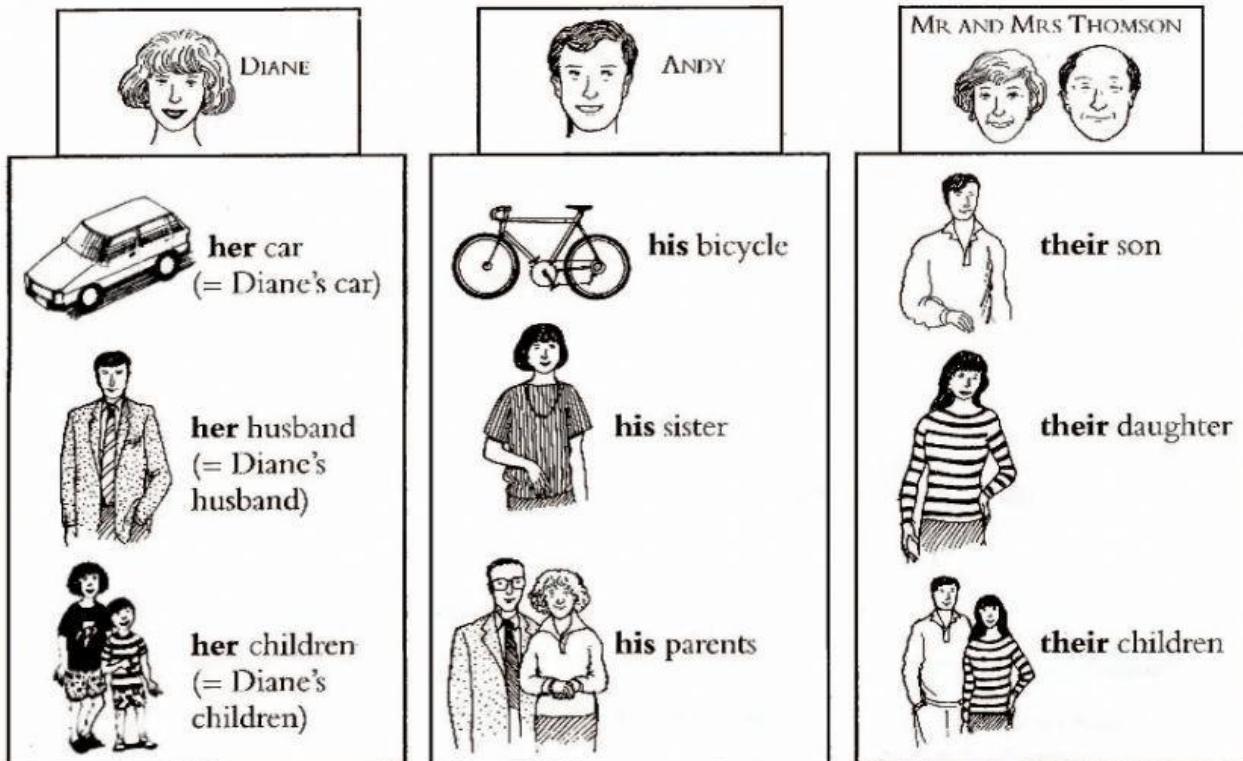
it → **its** Oxford (= it) is famous for **its** university.

We use **my/your/his etc. + a noun**:

**my** hands  
**our** house

**his** mother  
**your** best friend

**her** new car  
**their** room

**B****his/her/their****C****its and it's**

**its** Oxford is famous for **its** university.  
**it's** (= it is) I like Oxford. **It's** a nice city. (= **It is** a nice city.)

**EXERCISES****59.1**

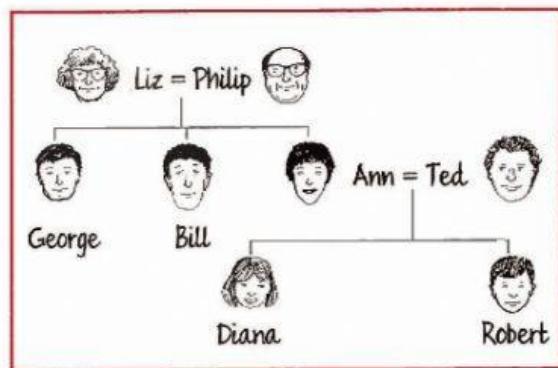
Finish these sentences.

- 1 I'm going to wash my hands.
- 2 She's going to wash ......
- 3 We're going to wash ......
- 4 He's going to wash ......
- 5 They're going to wash ......
- 6 Are you going to wash .....?

**59.2**

Finish these sentences.

- 1 He lives with his parents.
- 2 They live with ..... parents.
- 3 We ..... parents.
- 4 Julia lives ......
- 5 I ..... parents.
- 6 John ......
- 7 Do you live .....?
- 8 Most children ......

**59.3**Look at the family tree and complete the sentences with **his/her/their**.

- 1 I saw Liz with her husband, Philip.
- 2 I saw Ann and Ted with ..... children.
- 3 I saw Ted with ..... wife, Ann.
- 4 I saw George with ..... brother, Bill.
- 5 I saw Ann with ..... brother, Bill.
- 6 I saw Liz and Philip with ..... son, Bill.
- 7 I saw Ann with ..... parents.
- 8 I saw Diana and Robert with ..... parents.

**59.4**Put in **my/our/your/his/her/their/its**.

- 1 Do you like your job?
- 2 I know Mr Watson but I don't know ..... wife.
- 3 Mr and Mrs Baker live in London. ..... son lives in Australia.
- 4 We're going to have a party. We're going to invite all ..... friends.
- 5 Ann is going out with ..... friends this evening.
- 6 I like tennis. It's ..... favourite sport.
- 7 'Is that ..... car?' 'No, I haven't got a car.'
- 8 I want to phone Ann. Do you know ..... phone number?
- 9 Do you think most people are happy in ..... jobs?
- 10 I'm going to wash ..... hair before I go out.
- 11 This is a beautiful tree. ..... leaves are a beautiful colour.
- 12 John has a brother and a sister. ..... brother is 25 and ..... sister is 21.

**59.5**Complete the sentences. Use **my/his/their** etc. with one of these words:**coat      homework      house      husband      job      key      name**

- 1 Jim doesn't enjoy his job. It's not very interesting.
- 2 I can't open the door. I haven't got ......
- 3 Sally is married. ..... works in a bank.
- 4 It's very cold today. Put on ..... when you go out.
- 5 'What are the children doing?' 'They're doing ......'
- 6 'Do you know that man?' 'Yes, but I don't know ......'
- 7 We live in Barton Street. ..... is at the end on the left.