

First, Second, or Third Person

a) Sort the pronouns into the table below.

she	I	they	he	you	me	us
your	his	ours	mine	hers	theirs	we
first person pronouns		second person pronouns		third person pronouns		

b) Identify each sentence as being written in the first, second, or third person.

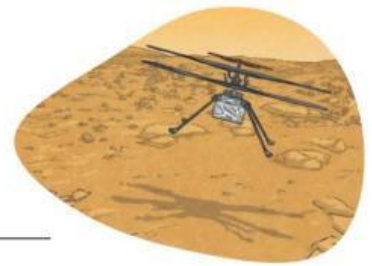
For example: Peter was not afraid of heights. He was afraid of falling from heights. **third person**

1. Jasmine walked sluggishly home. She was tired and feeling sad that she hadn't been selected for the volleyball team.

2. I refused to move. It was my right of way, and I was not going to let anyone tell me otherwise.

3. The boys looked at each other nervously; Harry was in big trouble!

4. Have you ever wondered what life would be like on Mars?



c) Rewrite the following sentences, changing them from the third person to the first person.

1. Collette was busy cleaning her room because her mom said that it was like a pigsty.

2. Archie and Melanie jumped into the sea. "It's freezing," Archie screamed, as his whole body shook violently.

3. Mrs. Turner was the best, thought Chi as he walked out of her classroom. He couldn't wait for his next lesson with her.

4. Jennifer looked at her friend glumly. She had left her homework at home.

