

Possessive nouns

Exercise 1

Choose the correct word in each column:

Example:

SINGULAR	SINGULAR POSSESSIVE	PLURAL	PLURAL POSSESSIVE
cat	cat's	cats	cats'

SINGULAR	SINGULAR POSSESSIVE	PLURAL	PLURAL POSSESSIVE
girl		boys	
	friend's		
			women's
		children	
	man's		

Exercise 2

Write the possessive form of each phrase:

Example:
the money of his father his father's money

1. the toys of the children _____
2. the instruments of the musicians _____
3. the barn of the horses _____
4. the mug of my coworker _____
5. the house of our sister-in-law _____

6. the car of her neighbor _____
7. the shoes of my cousin _____
8. the bed of the dogs _____
9. the book of our teacher _____
10. the sister of Seamus _____

Exercise 3

Click and choose the best word to fill the gap:

Example: The _____ shoes are under his bed.
a. boys b. boys' c. boy's

1. Whose bikes are these? They're _____ bikes.
 - a. Sylvia and Johnny
 - b. Sylvia's and Johnny's
 - c. Sylvia and Johnny's
2. Our boss is organizing a surprise party for _____ birthday.
 - a. Lucas's
 - b. Lucas
 - c. Lucas'
3. _____ siblings live all over the country. She hardly ever sees them.
 - a. My best friends
 - b. My best friends'
 - c. My best friend's
4. Don't forget to warm up _____ milk before you feed them.
 - a. the baby's
 - b. the babies'
 - c. the babies
5. _____ favorite way to spend an afternoon is working in the garden.
 - a. My husbands
 - b. My husbands'
 - c. My husband's

Well done!

Bonus: Try making 5 of your own sentences using possessive nouns.
Good luck!