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Determiners and pronouns 3

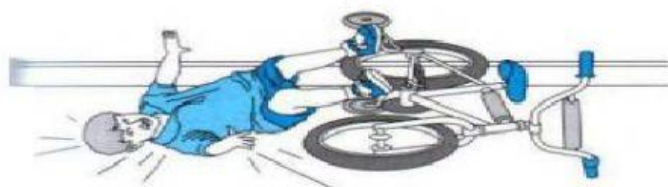
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reflexive pronouns; *there/it + to be*

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Reflexive pronouns

I → myself, you (singular) → yourself, he → himself, she → herself, it → itself, we → ourselves, you (plural) → yourselves, they → themselves

We use *myself*, *yourself* etc.



- when the **subject** and the **object** are the same person/thing:
*Tim hurt **himself** when he fell off his bike.* (= Tim (subject and object) was hurt)
but *Sam cried when Tim hurt **him**.* (= Sam (object) was hurt)
- with *enjoy* (your)self, *behave* (your)self, *help* (your)self:
*Help **yourself** to some food.*
*Sally really **enjoyed herself**.*

By (your)self means alone. We can also say *on* (your) own:
*Sally wanted to be **by herself** or **on her own**.*

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C3 Complete each sentence with the correct reflexive pronoun.

- Help yourself to a sandwich and a drink and then take it to the checkout.
- Children, behave please.
- The boys hurt when they fell out of the tree.
- I went to the dentist with Jane because she doesn't like going by
- I cut when I was making soup.
- The actor looked at in the mirror before he went on stage.