

Reflexive – Emphatic Pronouns / Both – Neither / Possessives

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2 Fill in: *myself, yourself, himself, ourselves* or *yourselves*.

- Jim: Bye Mum. We're going to Simon's birthday party.
 Mum: OK. Enjoy 1) ... *yourselves* ... boys. And Jim, don't eat too much cake or you'll make
 2) sick. Did you get him a card?
 Jim: Yes, we did. Actually, Mark and I made it 3) What are you
 and Dad going to do this afternoon, Mum?
 Mum: I'm going to buy 4) some new clothes and Dad's going to study. He's
 trying to teach 5) Italian. Have a good time at the party but behave
 6)

3 Fill in the appropriate *reflexive pronoun* or *each other*.

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| <p>1 A: Did you help Jimmy finish his homework?
 B: No, he finished it <i>himself</i>
 </p> <p>2 A: What's wrong with Tom and Henry?
 B: They don't get along with
 </p> <p>3 A: Are you going to the park with your
 friends?
 B: No, they are going by</p> | <p>4 A: How is Dan?
 B: I don't know. We haven't seen
 for a long time.</p> <p>5 A: I'm hungry. Have you got anything to eat?
 B: There is some food in the fridge. Help
 !</p> <p>6 A: Do you need to turn off the heater?
 B: No, it will actually turn
 off.</p> |
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Possessive case with 's / s'

- 1 **singular nouns + 's** (person or animal)
 the boy's bag, the cat's head
- 2 **regular plural nouns + '**
 the boys' bags
- 3 **irregular plural nouns not ending in s/-es + 's**
 the children's toys

Possessive case with of

- 1 **of + name of a thing**
 the banks of the river
- 2 **of + possessive case/possessive pronoun**
 That's a friend of Mary's (= one of Mary's friends).
 I've got a book of yours (= one of your books).

Note: phrase of place + 's: at the chemist's = at the chemist's shop
 phrase of time + 's / ': today's paper = the paper that has come out today
 two weeks' holiday = a holiday that lasts for two weeks