

Double Genitive

Double Genitive is another way to indicate possession.

He is **a friend of mine**. (= one of my friends)

Jack is **a friend of Patty's**. (= one of Patty's friends)

Jack is **a friend of hers**. (= one of her friends)

Possessive Pronouns	
I	mine
You	yours
She	hers
He	his
It	its
We	ours
They	theirs

The structure we use is: **determiner + noun + of + possessive pronoun**

John is **a + cousin + of + mine**. (= one of my cousins)

Exercise - Rewrite de sentences using Double Genitive:

1. Carol is one of my classmates.

2. I lend you one of my magazines.

3. You saved me one of your gifts.

4. Mary will have to call one of her relatives. _____

5. He is writing to one of his friends.

6. We met one of your cousins. _____

7. Sophia invited some of her friends to the party. _____

8. They had dinner with one of their neighbors. _____

9. One of my friends is getting married.

10. It was Tom's great idea!

11. Is Tom one of your friends?

12. They went on a trip with two of their friends.

13. I met one of Patty's friend at the party.

14. They introduced me to 3 of their classmates.
