

Instructions:

- I) Read the text.

Who is Samantha? _____

What was her work about? _____

Who could also do her job? _____

How does the story end? _____

MY FAVORITE FRAGRANCE

Samantha was a friend of mine. She had great success in the perfume business because of her fantastic nose. She could smell things a mile away. Her job was to suggest new perfume fragrances to her company's scientists. Their experiments were based on my friend's nasal labor. No one had a nose better than hers.

Everywhere she went, Sam studied her surroundings to find new odors. Soon, she started to rank smells. The foulest odors would rank zero. The most sublime smelling sensations would rank a hundred.

It was a great job, until the sad day when the scientists created a machine that could smell things better than Sam. Not only that, the machine could also talk! Its electronic brain was really smart, and it kept getting smarter by the minute.

Sam became worried. Did the machine have a better brain than hers? It did. After a couple of weeks, the machine became omniscient. It knew just about everything!

This presented a breakthrough for its creators. For the first time ever, it was possible to ask an omniscient being everything you ever wanted to know about next season's favorite fragrance, months before your competitors. So, the scientists asked the omniscient machine what next season's most popular fragrance would be.

The machine transmitted its answer in a cold, electronic voice:

"Cheese."

- 2 Complete the dialogue using the words from the box.

her hers his mine my your yours

TOM: Have you seen Mary? I found _____ lost dog. Look!

ANA: This dog is not _____.

TOM: What do you mean? She told me she lost a small black dog, just like _____.

ANA: Just like _____? You mean the dog you've had since you were a little kid?

TOM: Yes, _____ dog Blacky.

ANA: Yeah, but _____ dog is a chihuahua. Mary's dog is a fox terrier.

TOM: Oh, no! And what am I supposed to do with this dog now? Look at _____ eyes. He's really cute.

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We also use pronouns to refer to possession. There are two types: **possessive determiners** and **possessive pronouns**. We use **possessive determiners** before a noun. The possessive determiners are *my, your* (singular), *his, her, its, our, your* (plural), *their*.

Example:

This is *my* pencil.

We can use **possessive pronouns** to replace a noun. The possessive pronouns are *mine, yours, his, hers, its, ours, yours, theirs*.

Example:

That is *your* pencil. This is *mine*.



- 3 Get into teams of three. Unscramble the words and punctuation marks to form a complete sentence.

1. yours / is / responsibility / not / my / it's / ; / This / . /

2. has / opinions / . / he / and / have / his / your / You /

3. are / their / . / are / chairs / ours / Those / these / and

4. I / mine / school / love / your / . / I / but / like / , /

5. umbrella / his / it / or / ? / is / her / this / Is /

6. ? / yours / house / you / my / prefer / Do / or

- 4 Work in teams of five. In the chart below, write the foulest smell that you have ever smelled. Write your teammates' answers also. Compare your answers using possessive determiners and possessive pronouns. Vote on who has smelled the worst smell of all.



Which smell is the worst?

The foulest smell I have ever smelled

The foulest smell my teammates have ever smelled

And the winner is...

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What is your favorite smell? How would you name it as a perfume?

Possessive determiners exercise

Instructions: Choose the correct determiner in each sentence.

- 1 Is this book?
- 2 parents live in Hamburg.
- 3 This is guitar.
- 4 How old is sister?
- 5 Where does team play?
- 6 Yesterday she sent letter to London.
- 7 Are those trainers?
- 8 Ken has cut finger.
- 9 The children finished game.
- 10 The hotel has own swimming pool.

Possessive Pronouns exercise:

Instructions choose the correct answer to change the pronoun in the sentences.



The books are .



The dog is .



The motorcycle is .



The car is .



The boots are .



The ball is .



The cherries are .



The chair is .



The drinks are .



The cookies are .