POSSESSIVE PRONOUNS

Possessive pronouns are used instead of a noun phrase to show possession. For example,

Donut is my dog. \rightarrow Donut is mine.

possessive pronoun

Subject pronouns	Possessive adjectives	Possessive pronouns
I	my	mine
you	your	yours
he	his	his
she	her	hers
it	its	
we	our	ours
you	your	yours
they	their	theirs

For example,

It is a phone.

It is my phone.

It is mine. subject pronoun possessive adjective possessive pronoun

1. Write the correct possessive pronoun.









It is my sandwich. The sandwich is







This is Marsha and Hamid's cat. The cat is



My house is more beautiful than your house. My house is more

Donut is Tony's	dog. Donut is	•	The bik	kes are mir	ne and Aisha'	S
			The bik	kes are	•••••••	
This ice	cream is for you. The ic	e cream is	•••••	••••		
Clara	has a new book. The boo	k is				
2. Select the co	orrect pronoun.					
My hair	is short and brown.	The bask	ketball is	s	• •	
mine				she		
my				hers		
1				her		
love	phones.	• • • • • • • •	have g	good jobs.		
we	we	thei	r			
our	our	thei				
ours	ours	■ they	/			

my

mine

...... T-shirt is green and is blue.

him

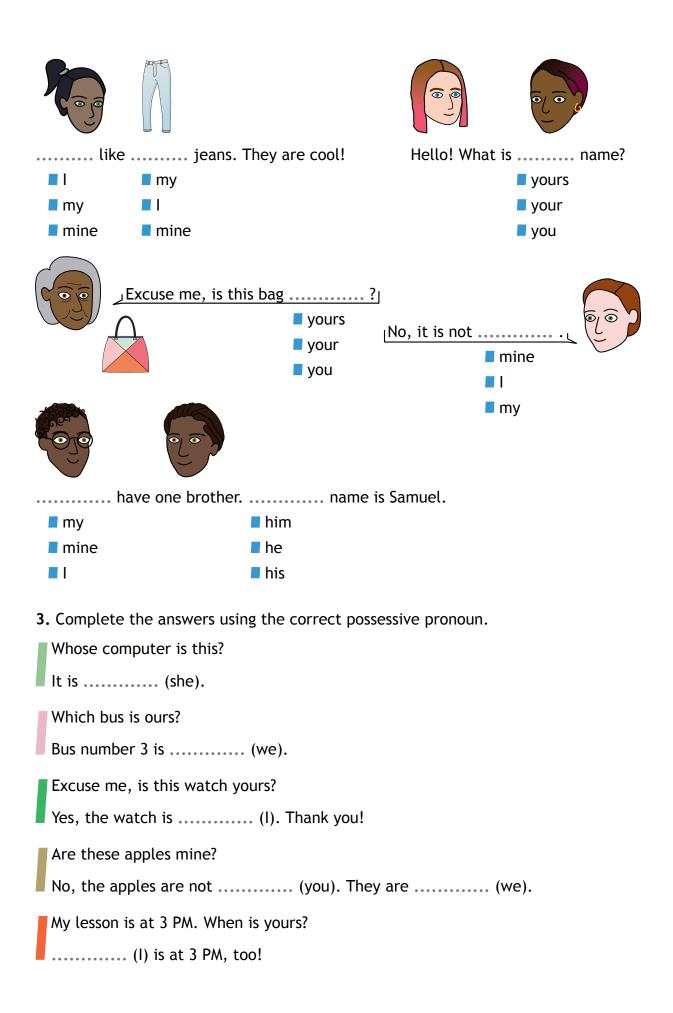
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his

their

theirs

they



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Is this their dog?
 Yes, the dog is ..... (they).
 Whose house is it?
 The house is ..... (she).
 Whose is the long black coat?
 The long black coat is ..... (he).
 Is the green notebook Tony's?
No, the green notebook is ............ (I).
4. Write the sentences in the correct order.
 is / The blue bike / mine / .
  The blue bike is mine.
                 his / basketball / It / is / .
 notebook / This / hers / is / .
 .....
 are / The dogs / theirs / .
 .....
 your / This / cake / is not /!
 .....
 our / are not / These / drinks / .
 ••••••••••••••••••••••••••••••
 uses / my computer every day / He / .
  .....
 your / hat / Excuse me, / is this /?
   and / The red trainers are / hers / mine / the yellow trainers are / .
 is not / The white jacket / mine / .
  ......
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pronoun, possessive adjective, or possessive pronoun. Last weekend, went to visit friends in Dover. live in a beautiful house. house is Marcel more beautiful than windows are very Marsha big and the garden is sunny. friends' names are Marsha and Hamid. Hamid are from Egypt. is a builder and is a cook. Hamid loves job but Marsha does not like dream job is police officer. On Saturday, met friends, Tony and Clara. live in Canterbury. dog is small and light brown. name is Donut and favourite food is chips. all went walking on the White Cliffs of Dover. In the evening, Hamid cooked favourite dish: beef with apples and rice. was terrible. Hamid ate food but Marsha and did not finish is not a good cook! On Sunday, went to the beach and had ice cream. Marsha had strawberry, Hamid had coconut, and was chocolate flavour. was delicious. After the beach, took the train home. all had a great weekend! 6. Answer the questions about Marcel's weekend changing the words in **bold** for a subject pronoun, possessive adjective, or possessive pronoun. Use full sentences. Is Marsha and Hamid's house more beautiful than Marcel's? Yes, their house is more beautiful than his. Is Donut Marcel's dog?

5. Listen to Marcel's story and complete the sentences with the correct subject

Whose favourite dish did Hamid cook?
Do Hamid and Marsha like their jobs?
Is police officer Hamid's dream job?
Was the strawberry ice cream Marcel's?
Did Marsha and Marcel finish their food?
Hamid and Marsha's house is in Dover. Is Tony's?
Was the coconut ice cream Hamid's?
Are Tony and Clara Marcel's friends?

Possessive pronouns (A2)

Teacher's notes

If students need a review on pronouns, please see our A1 resources "Personal Pronouns" and "Possessives" at https://research.kent.ac.uk/theenglishhubforrefugees/resources/

Task 5. Listening script.

Last weekend, I went to visit my friends in Dover. They live in a beautiful house. Their house is more beautiful than mine. Its windows are very big and the garden is sunny.

My friends' names are Marsha and Hamid. They are from Egypt. He is a builder and she is a cook. Hamid loves his job but Marsha does not like hers. Her dream job is police officer.

On Saturday, we met our friends, Tony and Clara. They live in Canterbury. Their dog is small and light brown. Its name is Donut and its favourite food is chips. We all went walking on the White Cliffs of Dover.

In the evening, Hamid cooked *his* favourite dish: beef with apples and rice. *It* was terrible. Hamid ate *his* food but Marsha and *I* did not finish *ours*. *He* is not a good cook!

On Sunday, we went to the beach and had ice cream. Marsha had strawberry, Hamid had coconut, and mine was chocolate flavour. It was delicious.

After the beach, I took the train home. We all had a great weekend!