

Possessive Pronouns

A possessive pronoun tells who or what owns (possesses) something.
A possessive pronoun takes the place of possessive nouns (nouns that show ownership).

Examples of possessive pronouns that are used before a noun:

our boat **her** brother **my** necklace **your** house **their** basket **its** tail

Examples of possessive pronouns that stand alone:

Is this hat **yours**? Yes, the cards are **mine**. Is this book **theirs**?

Rewrite each sentence using a possessive pronoun from the word box for the underlined word.

her	his	its
our		their

- 1.) I am going to Jacob's performance.
I am going to **his** performance.
- 2.) I will tell Linda's friend about the book.
I will tell **her** friend about the book.
- 3.) Look at the turtle's shell.
Look at **its** shell.
- 4.) This is my family's garden.
This is **our** garden.
- 5.) Does that look like Mike and Sue's car?
Does that look like **their** car?
- 6.) This is my family's houseboat.
This is **our** houseboat.
- 7.) Please put this on Mark and Laura's patio.
Please put this on **their** patio.
- 8.) Did you see the peacock's feathers?
Did you see **its** feathers?

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Grade 1 Pronouns Worksheet

Answers

- 1) I have a new book. It is mine.
- 2) She has a new cat. It is hers.
- 3) They have new pillows. It is theirs.
- 4) We have new shoes. They are ours.
- 5) He has a new car. It is his.
- 6) You have a new toy. It is yours.
- 7) The dog has a new bone. It is its.
- 8) The book belongs to her. It is hers.
- 9) The coat belongs to me. It is mine.
- 10) The chair belongs to Mary. It is hers.