

Replace the nouns with pronouns in the following sentences to make the sentences less repetitive.

- 1. Oscar drew a picture. Oscar's was pleased about Oscar's picture. Oscar's parents hung his picture in his parent's kitchen.
- 2. Peter took his favourite toy to school. *Peter* played with *the toy* at break time and all of his friends wanted to watch him. *Peter's friends* thought *Peter's toy* was amazing.
- 3. 'I wonder if mum could make a cake?' thought Jane. If Jane helps mum to make the cake then the cake will be baked much faster.
- 4. The actor was posing for the actor's magazine photoshoot. The photographer asked the actor to sit in various different positions so the photographer could get the best shots.
- 5. The dog and the cat were resting on the front porch when a loud bang of thunder roared above the dog and the cat. Quickly, the dog and the cat dashed inside away from the terrifying noise.



Copy each sentences into your books and state whether the underlined pronoun is relative, personal or possessive.

Example

My family has two dogs. They are ours. they = personal pronoun ours = possessive pronoun

- 1. His hat is blue; it also has a small white logo on the front.
- 2. The hat, which is missing, was given to the boy when he was 6 years old.
- 3. The horse was magnificent. Its owner had trained it impeccably well!
- 4. There isn't a day when I don't feel happy.
- 5. Please have more food it is yours.
- 6. No the mess isn't mine. It is theirs.
- 7. Jess and I went to the cinema. We had lots of fun watching the new Aladdin movie!
- 8. They have got some tennis ball that you can play with.



Answers

Oscar drew a picture. Oscar's was pleased about Oscar's picture. Oscar's parents hung his picture in his parent's kitchen.

Oscar drew a picture. He was pleased about his picture. His parents hung it in their kitchen.

Peter took his favourite toy to school. Peter played with the toy at break time and all of his friends wanted to watch him. Peter's friends thought Peter's toy was amazing.

Peter took his favourite toy to school. *He* played with *it* at break time and all of his friends wanted to watch him. *They* thought *his toy* was amazing.

'I wonder if mum could make a cake?' thought Jane. If Jane helps mum to make the cake then the cake will be baked much faster.

'I wonder if mum could make a cake?' thought Jane. If I help her to make the cake then it will be baked much faster.

The actor was posing for the actor's magazine photoshoot. The photographer asked the actor to sit in various different positions so the photographer could get the best shots.

The actor was posing for *his* magazine photoshoot. The photographer asked *him* to sit in various different positions so *he* could get the best shots.

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The dog and the cat were resting on the front porch when a loud bang of thunder roared above *them*. Quickly, *they* dashed inside away from the terrifying noise.

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Which = relative pronoun he = personal pronoun

Its = possessive pronoun it = personal pronoun

When = relative pronoun

Yours = possessive pronoun

<u>Mine</u> = possessive pronoun <u>theirs</u> = possessive pronoun

We = personal pronoun

They = personal pronoun that = relative pronoun

