

Pronouns Grammar Sheet

- **What is a pronoun?**

→ A pronoun is a word that stands in for a noun, often to avoid the need to repeat the same noun over and over.

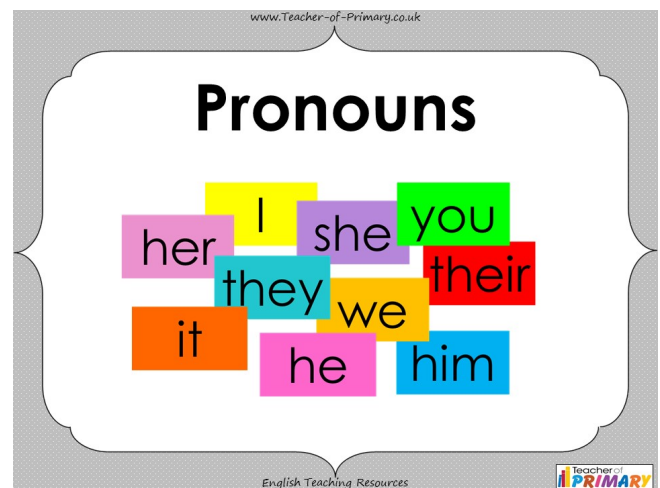
- Like nouns, **pronouns** can refer to people, things, concepts, and places. Most sentences contain at least one noun or pronoun.

- For example:

→ I asked **her** if the headphones were **hers**, but **she** said **they** belonged to someone else.

- **There are different types of pronouns:**

1. Personal Pronouns
2. Possessive Pronouns
3. Reflexive Pronouns
4. Relative Pronouns



● Personal Pronouns:

→ replace the name of a person or a thing.

→ such as: I, you, he, she, it, we, and they (**Subject pronouns**)
me, him, her, us, and them (**Object pronouns**)

For example:

We would like to invite Stacy to join **us** for dinner.

● Possessive Pronouns:

→ replace a noun in a sentence but also show ownership.

→ such as: Mine, Ours, Hers, His, Theirs, and Yours.

For example:

I didn't have my umbrella so Marta lent me **hers**.

David's car is faster than **mine**.

● Reflexive Pronouns:

→ are used to refer back to the subject (person/thing).

→ such as: myself, yourself, himself, herself, itself, ourselves, yourselves and themselves.

For example:

I hope you enjoy **yourselves** at the party tonight!

We need to believe in **ourselves** more.

● Relative Pronouns:

→ are used to describe or limit the subject.

→ such as: who, whom, which, whose, and that.

For example:

The man **who** donated this money is my brother.

Kate, **whose** sister I used to share a house with, has gone to work in Australia.

Exercises

Question 1: Complete the following sentences using the correct pronoun.

1. Murat is a good boy. **He** always listens to **his** teacher.
2. Amit and Sumit are twin brothers. **They** take the same bag to school.
3. Milly and I are very good friends. **We** have known each other since childhood.
4. The mangoes are very sour. Where did you buy **them**?
5. I love watching Tom and Jerry. **It** reminds me of my childhood days.
6. I bought this book for my sister. **We** often read it together.
7. This is Steve. Do you know **him**?
8. There are many windows here. But all of **them** are jammed.
9. The army has reached **its** destination.
10. My aunt and uncle live in Delhi. **We** often visit **them**.

Question 2: Choose the correct pronoun and use it in the sentence.

1. (Me/**I**) feel like taking a short trip to the Maldives
2. (**I**/me) think you should participate in the debate.
3. Wuthering Heights is (**her**/hers) favorite book.
4. Those papers are (**mine**/my).
5. The box was lying around. Is (**it**/its) yours?
6. The dog almost choked (himself/**itself**).
7. Natasha was all by (yourselves/**herself**).
8. I got (me/**myself**) all wet while walking in the rain.
9. (That/**this**) book lying here is mine.
10. (Each/**neither**) of us were given a gift hamper.