Workshop 7: Family & Famous!

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Possessive 's

a. **Do you know them? Match the person with the correct job and photo.**













Shakira

Manuel Elkin Patarroyo

Gustavo Petro

Gabriel García Márquez

Egan Bernal

Totó la Momposina

He is a writer. He wrote wonderful books and won the Nobel Prize.

He is a cyclist. He won the Tour de France on his bicycle.

She was a celebrated voice of Colombian folk music.

She is a famous singer and dancer. The whole world sings her songs!

He is a scientist. He studies vaccines to help sick people.

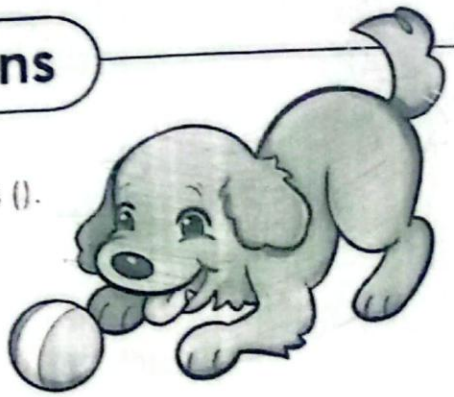
He is the President of Colombia.

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b. Complete the following exercises based on the given example.

Possessive Nouns



Complete each sentence.
Write the possessive form of the noun in parentheses ().

example: The puppy's toy squeaks.
(puppy)

1. This is Matthew's homework. (Matthew)
2. The boy's pants are black. (boy)
3. That bird's feathers are yellow. (bird)
4. This is Sarah's jacket. (Sarah)
5. The dog's toy is noisy. (dog)
6. My friend's book report is fantastic. (friend)
7. Are these Grandma's quarters? (Grandma)
8. The horse's stall is clean now. (horse)
9. Bob's uniform needs to be washed. (Bob)
10. The baby's rattle is pink. (baby)

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my brother	my brother's	the women	the women's
a woman	a woman's	the men	the men's
James	James's / James'	his colleagues	his colleagues'

A. Complete the sentences with the possessive form of the nouns in brackets.

1. **(HUSBANDS)** Mary and Sarah are talking. Their husbands' cars are parked outside.
2. **(MANAGER)** The Manager's office is on the second floor.
3. **(WOMEN)** The Women's restroom is down the hall on the left.
4. **(WEEK)** I am exhausted. I am looking forward to a week's vacation.
5. **(COMPANY)** We need to review the Company's financial report before the meeting.
6. **(BROTHER)** My Brother's apartment is located right in the city center.
7. **(MR. DAVIS)** Mr. Davis' presentation on workplace safety was very informative.
8. **(EMPLOYEES)** All of the Employees' schedules are posted on the notice board.
9. **(PEOPLE)** As a leader, it is important to listen to the People's opinions.
10. **(STUDENT)** The student's dictionary was left on the classroom desk.
11. **(TODAY)** Unfortunately, Today's morning meeting has been canceled.
12. **(COLLEAGUES)** Are those your Colleagues' laptops left on the conference table?

B. Correct the mistakes in the use of possessive nouns by adding apostrophes and final -s/-es when necessary.

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1. ~~My sister~~ Sister's husband is an engineer at the local factory. ✓
2. We found the ~~secretarys~~ secretarys' keys on the floor near the reception desk. ✗ **secretary's**
3. The ~~mens~~ Mens' suits are on sale at the department store this week. ✗ **men's**
4. It is every ~~citizen~~ citizen's right to vote in the upcoming local election. ✓
5. Last weekend, I went to my friend ~~Sarah~~ Sarah's house for a dinner party. ✓
6. The ~~boss~~ boss's car is parked in the reserved spot near the entrance. ✗ **boss's**
7. After the heavy storm, they had to repair all the ~~neighbours~~ neighbours' roofs. ✓

WHOSE is it?

c. **WHOSE is it? — Star objects!**

... like the example. Use Whose ... ? and 's.

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c. 🔍 **WHOSE is it? — Star objects!**

Each star has a special object. Ask and answer like the example. Use Whose…? and 's.

Whose microphone is it? → *It's Shakira's microphone.* 🎤

1. **Whose bicycle is it?** 🚲
   It's Egan Bernal's bicycle.
2. **Whose books are they?** 📚
   They're Gabriel Garcia's books.
3. **Whose lab coat is it?** 🥼
   It's Manuel Elkin patarroyo's lab coat.
4. **Whose presidential chair is it?** 🪑
   It's Gustavo petro's chair.

📌 Remember!

We use **'s** to show who owns something: Shakira's guitar = the guitar of Shakira.
We use **Whose…?** to ask who the owner is: Whose guitar is this?
Careful! **Whose** = owner. **Who's** = Who is.

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The Family

a. **Complete with the correct family word. Use the word box.**

grandmother • uncle • niece • nephew • parents • cousin • partner

1. My mother's mother is my grandmother.
2. My father's brother is my uncle.
3. My sister's daughter is my niece.
4. My brother's son is my nephew.
5. My mother and my father together are my parents.
6. My aunt's son is my cousin.
7. The person I live with and love is my partner.

b. Your Family Tree!

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the morning • Monday • 8:00 • 2026 • night • my birthday • the weekend • summer • 15th May • the evening • lunchtime • December

IN	ON	AT
• Summer • 2026 • the morning • the December • the evening	• Monday • 15th mayo • Weekend • My birthay	• Night • lunchtime • 8:00

→ AT

+ the weekend

b. **Fill the gaps with IN, ON or AT. Read this funny party plan!**

My favourite party is in (1) December, ~~in~~ at (2) Christmas time! It is always on (3) Saturday.
We start at (4) 6:00 in (5) the evening. in (6) the morning, my mum cooks all day. And at (7) night we dance and sing... but my grandfather always falls asleep at (8) 9:30!

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a. **Read the story about Lucía's day.**

A Day in My Life

by Lucía #morning #family #arepas #happy

I get up very early, at 5:00 in the morning. I am not tired because I love my job! I make arepas in my little café in Medellín.

First, I have a big coffee. Then I open the café at 6:00. In the morning, a lot of people come before work. They are hungry and very happy to see me!

At one o'clock I have lunch with my daughter, Sara. She is seven years old. After lunch, we play for half an hour. It is my favourite moment of the day.

In the afternoon I am very busy, but on Saturdays my husband helps me. We work together and we laugh a lot.

In the evening I close the café at 7:00. Then I go home, I cook dinner, and I watch TV with my family. I never go to bed before 10:00, but sometimes I fall asleep on the sofa!

I work hard, but I am happy. My little café and my big family make every day perfect.

b. **Read again and answer the questions.**

1. What time does Lucía get up?
at 5:00 in the morning ✓

2. What does she make in her café? **She makes ...**
I make arepas in my little cafe in Medellin ✓

3. Who does she have lunch with?
She has lunch with her daughter sara ✓

4. What do they do after lunch? **They play ...**
we play for half an hour ✓

5. Who helps Lucía on Saturdays? **Her husband helps her**
but on saturdays my husband helps me ✓

6. What time does she close the café? **She closes the cafe**
I close the cafe at ✓ 7:00.

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