

Pronouns Practice

Replace each of the underlined nouns with an appropriate pronoun. Write the pronoun in the parentheses that follow the noun.

1. <u>lae () went with Shelby () to the office to pick up some</u>
paperwork.
2. Allison and Alli () often get the giggles when Kyle makes faces at Allison
and Alli ().
3. Ms. Fluffilicious, our cat, often hisses when Max and Brian () walk by.
4. Mrs. Manny Brown's third hour English class () all arrived on time to
class.
5. The dog () didn't even growl when the prowler crept in through the
window of the house.
6. Oregon High School () was built on marshy land, which explains why
the ditches are sometimes flooded.
7. Alex () sometimes walks past the parking garage () on his way
home.
8. Are <u>Ray and Becca</u> () taking <u>a book(</u>) with <u>Ray and Becca</u> ()?
9. That box () is too heavy to carry on your own!
Write the pronouns from each sentence on the line to the left of each sentence. Some sentences may have more than one pronoun, and some may not have any. Where a sentence contains no pronouns, leave the line blank.
10. That is gross!
11. She snored so loudly, I couldn't believe it!
12. Where are they going?
13. Those jeans look great on you.
14. I wonder if they knew what they were getting into?
15. He laughed so loudly that he woke the sleeping poodle.
16. Stop chewing your fingernails, please.

17. Li	ndsay forgot to bring the sleeping bag back to Hannah.
18. M	r. Jones took his students on a field trip to the zoo.
19. TI	ne park ranger told us to be careful while hiking.
20. H	ave you ever been to Morocco?
21. lt'	s cold in here!
22. TI	his is painful to watch.
23. M	y watch is ten minutes fast.
24. N	o one likes a whiner.
25. TI	nat table tipped over quite easily.
26. B	ring me that box of Kleenex, will you?
27. TI	ne mouse pad slipped off the desk and onto the floor.
28. 1	nope you did well on your exams.
29. A	banner hung from the side of the building.
30. U	sing pronouns makes speaking easier!

Circle the pronouns in the following sentences. Draw an arrow from the pronoun to its antecedent(s).

- 31. She and Tom knew both of the girls very well
- 32. Did anyone do his homework for today?
- 33. Both of the students answered the questions incorrectly which made their instructor angry.
- 34. She left her new softball glove outside in the rain.
- 35. Jack dropped his keys, but he quickly leaned over to pick them up.
- 36. Tony himself had little faith in his theory about the science experiment.
- 37. This is my favorite pronoun worksheet.
- 38. It is good that we are given the chance to experience different cultures.
- 39. Marian thinks her new dress is too long for her.
- 40. We were working on new defensive plays for our upcoming game.
- 41. He was barely alive and his appearance showed it.
- 42. Americans drive their cars more often than they walk.



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Write each pronoun from the following sentences on the answer blanks provided. Be careful NOT to include pronouns that are functioning as adjectives!

- 1. She went to the store with Angela.
- 2. Six of us had to squeeze in the tiny car.
- 3. Every Thursday, Kenny goes to Wal-Mart with us.
- 4. At the grocery store, the cashier gave me change.
- 5. When the sun comes up, he leaves for work.
- 6. I enjoyed seeing them on the playground.
- 7. Last night, we put up our Christmas tree.
- 8. If I eat all of my vegetables, my mother will let me watch television.
- 9. We played with the puppy, then fed her a biscuit.
- 10. Have they seen the sandcastle we built?
- 11. We have nothing to complain about.
- 12. The teacher does all of the grading herself.
- 13. Those are so cute!
- 14. You are speaking to whom?
- 15. The correct response when a caller asks for you is, "This is she."
- 16. The team chalked the lines on the field themselves, since the referee hadn't arrived yet.
- 17. Whoever is not in his seat will receive a tardy!
- 18. It was Jeff's irresponsible driving that caused the accident.
- 19. The student who gets the highest score will get a treat!
- 20. Each of you should be sure to check your answers.
- 21. Don't forget the gifts!
- 22. Did you bring it with you?
- 23. Learning about grammar is not fun for us, but it is necessary.
- 24. Connor hates himself for being rude to the librarian.
- 25. Tim watched the football as it disappeared into the neighbor's yard.

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Circle the pronouns in the following passage.

She had a compartment to herself in the train from London to Morningside Park, and she sat with both her feet on the seat in an attitude that would certainly have distressed her mother to see, and horrified her grandmother beyond measure; she sat with her knees up to her chin and her hands clasped before them, and she was so lost in thought that she discovered with a start, from a lettered lamp, that she was at Morningside Park, and thought she was moving out of the station, whereas she was only moving in. "Lord!" she said. She jumped up at once, caught up a leather clutch containing notebooks, a fat textbook, and a chocolate-and-yellow-covered pamphlet, and leaped neatly from the carriage, only to discover that the train was slowing down and that she had to traverse the full length of the platform past it again as the result of her precipitation. "Sold again," she remarked. "Idiot!" She raged inwardly while she walked along with that air of self-contained serenity that is proper to a young lady of nearly two-and-twenty under the eye of the world.

She walked down the station approach, past the neat, obtrusive offices of the coal merchant and the house agent, and so to the wicket-gate by the butcher's shop that led to the field path to her home. Outside the post-office stood a no-hatted, blond young man in gray flannels, who was elaborately affixing a stamp to a letter. At the sight of her he became rigid and a singularly bright shade of pink. She made herself serenely unaware of his existence, though it may be it was his presence that sent her by the field detour instead of by the direct path up the Avenue.

"Umph!" he said, and regarded his letter doubtfully before consigning it to the pillar-box. "Here goes," he said. Then he hovered undecidedly for some seconds with his hands in his pockets and his mouth puckered to a whistle before he turned to go home by the Avenue.

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