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Singular Possessive Nouns

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Grammar:
Possessive Nouns and Pronouns

- A **singular possessive noun** shows that a person, animal, place, or thing has or owns something.
- Add an *apostrophe* and *s* to form a singular possessive noun.



Thinking Question

Which noun owns or has something?

The backpack's straps were loose.

Oliver's backpack was once home to a mouse.

Write the possessive for each noun below.

1. friend _____
2. Emma _____
3. bus station _____
4. river _____
5. Florida _____
6. car _____

Underline the noun that should be possessive and write the possessive form.

7. The man hobby was to build furniture. _____
8. The workshop tools hung neatly on the wall. _____
9. His niece birthday was next week. _____
10. The day chores would have to wait until he completed the gift. _____

Plural Possessive Nouns

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- To form a **plural possessive noun**, add an *apostrophe* to the end of plural nouns that end in s.
- Add an *apostrophe* and *s* to the end of plural nouns that do not end in s.

Raymond put the sisters' postcards in the mail.

The children's letters were from all over the country.

Thinking Question

Which noun owns or has something?

Write the possessive form of the plural nouns.

1. men _____

2. babies _____

3. books _____

4. fish _____

5. shelves _____

Write sentences for three of the possessive plural nouns.

6. _____

7. _____

8. _____