

Personal Pronouns

Language Focus

- We have two sets of personal pronouns

Subject pronoun	Object pronoun
I	me
You	you
We	us
They	them
He	him
She	her
It	it

- We use the subject pronouns at the beginning of a sentence. They become the 2nd word in a question.
e.g. Do I look smart in the cap. / We are a happy family.
- We use the object pronouns in the middle or at the end of a sentence. They come after verbs (e.g. gave) or prepositions (e.g. of).
e.g. Daddy gave me this cap last Christmas. / Mom takes good care of them.

A. Circle the correct answers.

- (You / It) is Sunday tomorrow. Can (we / us) go to visit Granny?
- Mom is going to bring a baby to (her / us). (I / Me) hope (they / it) will be a girl.
- Mom loves flowers very much. (She / Her) grows some roses at home.
- Dad, Mum and (I / me) live happily. (We / Us) have a cat named Chucky. (He / It) is a lovely cat. Granny visits (we / us) twice a month.
- “(You / It) is late now. Children like (you / he) should go to sleep,” Mom said to Dan. “Honey, can (you / he) tell (me / him) a bedtime story?” Mom asked Dad.
- “Who gave (me / you) this toy aeroplane?” Dad asked. “Granny gave (me / it) to (me / it),” Dan answered. “Did (she / you) thank (you / her)?” Dad asked. “Yes, (I / me) did,” Dan said.

B. Rewrite the sentences using the correct pronouns. The first one has been done for you as an example.

1. Peter is a friendly boy. We all like Peter.

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2. Jane is upset. Let's talk to Jane.

3. The boys are fighting. Let's stop the boys.

4. These cats are hurt. Let's take the cats to the vet.

5. John and I like rugby very much. Come and play with John and me.

C. Complete the sentences with correct pronouns.

1. Danny's family usually eats a turkey at Christmas. " _____ is a very big roast turkey," Danny said. "Which part of _____ do _____ like, boy?" Granny asked.

2. "Before _____ start eating, let's say our prayers of thanks," Mom said.

3. "Thank God for bringing a lovely girl to _____," Dad and Mom said. " _____ is so beautiful. What about calling _____ Snowie?" Dad said.

4. "Where is the rocking horse, Mommy?" Danny asked. " _____ is a bit too noisy to ride on the rocking horse. Can _____ play other toys?" Mom said.

5. "Snowie is going to sleep with Dad and Mom these days because _____ is easier to look after _____," Dad told Danny.

6. Mom is knitting a scarf. " _____ don't like pink and this scarf is too small for _____!" Danny told Mom. "This scarf is not for _____, darling..." Mom said.

7. There are some presents on the table. Danny thinks _____ are for _____. As he tries to open _____ one by one, Mom said, "Granny is so kind to buy so many gifts for Snowie."

D. Complete the text with correct letters.

- A. he asks Granny to teach him
- B. We have to go to the supermarket
- C. you are a sweet boy
- D. it is fun to cook
- E. it is too late
- F. I am going to have a baby brother or baby sister.
- G. You can cook food for Mom
- H. do you want to learn cooking
- I. Is it easy to make
- J. All you need is raw green vegetables and salad dressing
- K. teach me how to cook
- L. Where are you going

Little Danny Learns to Cook

Danny thinks (1) _____ so (2) _____.

“Granny, (3) _____,” said the grandson. “Why (4) _____, my boy?” Granny asked.

“(5) _____. I want to cook something for the baby to eat.”

“Ho-ho-ho, (6) _____ but a newborn baby can only drink milk,” Granny said. “Don’t get sad, darling. (7) _____!”

“Yes. Mom’s favourite food is green salad. (8) _____?” the boy asked.

“Of course it is. (9) _____,” Granny said.

Danny is going to get his shoes. “(10) _____, Danny?”

“(11) _____ to get the things we need!” they boy said. “Ho-ho, (12) _____. The supermarket is closed.”

