

# LANGUAGE FOCUS · Possessive 's · be: questions · Possessive pronouns

I can ask questions about where people and things are.

#### Possessive's

Look at the examples and complete the Rules with singular and plural.

the teacher's mobile Harry's bag the students' chairs

#### RULES

1 We use 's for possession with ..... 2 we use s' for possession with ......

## be: questions

- 2 1.07 Read and listen to the text. Choose the correct answers.
  - 1 Charlie's mum is at home / at work.
  - 2 Her laptop is in the drawer / on the TV.
  - 3 Her speakers are in Charlie's room / her room.

Mum Hi, Charlie. Charlie Oh, hi, Mum.

Are you at work?

No, I'm not. Mum

I'm at home.

Where are you?

Charlie I'm at school,

Mum! It's 12 p.m.

Mum Oh, yes. OK. Are you in class?

Charlie No, why? Are you OK?

Yes, I'm fine. But Charlie -Mum

where is my laptop?

Charlie Ah ... yes. Look in the drawer

under the TV. Is it there?

Mum Yes, it is. And the speakers?

Where are the speakers, Charlie?

Charlie Mmm. Good question. Erm ... are

they in the drawer?

Mum No, they aren't.

Charlie Erm ... OK. Are they in my room? Mum MY speakers in YOUR room ...?

Yes, they are. Charlie ...!

Charlie OK, Mum. Bye!

Read the dialogue again and complete the table.

| Questions           |                       | Short answers                             |
|---------------------|-----------------------|---|
| Am I                |                       | Yes, I am. / No, 3                        |
| 1he /<br>she / it   | in class?<br>at home? | Yes, it 4/ No, it isn't.                  |
| ²you /<br>we / they | at nome:              | Yes, they are. / No,<br>they <sup>5</sup> |

### Possessive pronouns

Match the possessive pronouns in the box with the possessive adjectives.

ours his theirs hers yours

| Possessive adjective | Possessive pronoun |  |
|----------------------|--------------------|--|
| my                   | mine               |  |
| his                  | 1                  |  |
| her                  | 2                  |  |
| our                  | 3                  |  |
| your                 | 4                  |  |
| their                | 5                  |  |

- Write phrases with possessive pronouns.
  - 1 This is my pen. This is mine.
  - 2 This is his book.
  - 3 This is her desk.
  - 4 This is our table.
  - 5 This is your bag.
  - 6 This is their dictionary.
- 6 Suse IT! Work in pairs. Look at the table below. Choose a person, a city and a place. Then ask questions to find out your partner's information.



No, I'm not.

| Person            | City     | Place        |
|-------------------|----------|--------------|
| Lionel Messi      | Rio      | at school    |
| Taylor Swift      | New York | in town      |
| Kristen Stewart   | London   | at home      |
| Robert Downey Jr. | Cairo    | at the shops |