

POSSESSIVE 'S'

Possessive 's', also known as the possessive case or possessive form, is a grammatical structure used to indicate ownership or possession of something. It is typically added to nouns and pronouns to show that something belongs to someone or something else.

Here's how it works:

1. For Singular Nouns:

- To form the possessive 's' for singular nouns, add 's to the end of the noun.
- Examples:
 - Mary's **book** (the book belongs to Mary)
 - The dog's **tail** (the tail belongs to the dog)

2. For Plural Nouns Ending in 's':

- To form the possessive 's' for plural nouns that already end in 's', add only an apostrophe ('), without an additional 's.
- Examples:
 - The students' **books** (the books belong to the students)
 - The girls' **dresses** (the dresses belong to the girls)

3. For Plural Nouns Not Ending in 's':

- To form the possessive 's' for plural nouns that do not end in 's', add 's to the end of the noun.
- Examples:
 - The men's **shoes** (the shoes belong to the men)
 - The children's **toys** (the toys belong to the children)

4. For Pronouns:

- Possessive 's' is also used with pronouns to show ownership.
- Examples:
 - Her **book** (the book belongs to her)
 - Their **house** (the house belongs to them)

Summary Chart:

Noun Type	Possessive Form	Example Sentences
Singular Nouns	's	Mary's book
Plural Nouns (ending in 's')	'	The students' books
Plural Nouns (not ending in 's')	's	The men's shoes
Pronouns	's	Her book