

Pronoun Job Sort

Find pronouns that fit their sentence jobs.

2.L.GC.1.15 "Grammar: Use personal pronouns (subject, object, and possessive). (Master)"

NAME _____

DATE _____

CORRECT USE

A pronoun can be a subject that does an action, an object that gets an action, or a possessive word that shows who owns something. This sentence uses the pronoun in the right job.

Our garden has tulips.

NEEDS FIX

The pronoun does not fit its job in the sentence. Change it to a pronoun that fits.

The bird followed they.

1 SORT _____ 8 items

Circle CORRECT or FIX for each sentence, then pick two items and tell how the pronoun is used or how to fix it.

1. She feeds the fish.

CORRECT

FIX

2. Dad waved to us.

CORRECT

FIX

3. Him found the shell.

CORRECT

FIX

4. The red scarf is hers.

CORRECT

FIX

5. The coach called we.

CORRECT

FIX

6. Me backpack is heavy.

CORRECT

FIX

7. I carry the box.

CORRECT

FIX

8. We see her.

CORRECT

FIX

2 PROVE IT Explain your thinking

Pick two items from Part 1. For each one, tell how you knew where it belonged.

ITEM # _____ HOW I KNEW _____

ITEM # _____ HOW I KNEW _____

3 MAKE YOUR OWN One of each

Write one new sentence for CORRECT and one new sentence for FIX.

CORRECT _____

FIX _____

CHALLENGE

Write one correct sentence with a subject pronoun and a possessive pronoun.

PART 1 • SORT

#	ITEM	CATEGORY	WHY
1	She feeds the fish.	CORRECT	She is the subject and does the action.
2	Dad waved to us.	CORRECT	Us is the object of waved to.
3	Him found the shell.	FIX	Him should be He because it is the subject.
4	The red scarf is hers.	CORRECT	Hers shows who owns the scarf.
5	The coach called we.	FIX	We should be us because it receives the action called.
6	Me backpack is heavy.	FIX	Me should be My because the word shows ownership of the backpack.
7	I carry the box.	CORRECT	I is the subject and does the action.
8	We see her.	CORRECT	Her is the object of see.

PART 2 • PROVE IT

Accept any explanation that names the deciding feature from the rule box for the chosen item.

PART 3 • MAKE YOUR OWN (SAMPLE ANSWERS)

- **CORRECT:** My boots are wet.
- **FIX:** Them boots are wet.

Challenge: She packed her lunch.

Accept different student sentences when the pronoun fits its job. Fixes are 3, He found the shell; 5, The coach called us; and 6, My backpack is heavy.