

8C GRAMMAR possessive pronouns

a Circle the correct word in the dialogues.

- 1 A Is that Bill's camera?
B No, it's **our** / **ours** Why?
- 2 A She says she's 25.
B 25! That's not **her** / **hers** real age.
- 3 A Can you move **your** / **yours** car, please?
B Sorry? That's not **my** / **mine** car.
- 4 A Andy and Gina's cat is so sweet! When did they get it?
B I don't think it's **their** / **theirs**, actually. It's the neighbours'.
- 5 A I love this motorbike! Is it **your** / **yours**?
B No, it's not **my** / **mine**, unfortunately.
- 6 A Have you seen this photo in the newspaper?
B Wait a minute! They're **our** / **ours** children!

b Complete the sentences with the correct subject or object pronouns (*I, me, you, etc.*) and possessive adjectives or pronouns (*my, mine, etc.*).

- 1 If Andrew doesn't leave soon, he 'll miss _____ train. I think you should tell _____ to hurry.
- 2 My sister and I work in the same office. _____ hours are the same, so _____ often have lunch together.
- 3 Do you know where Sally is? _____ isn't at _____ desk, and one of the secretaries is looking for _____.
- 4 My parents live near me in London. My flat is very small but _____ is enormous. I often tell _____ that _____ don't need all that space.
- 5 Look at that dog. _____ looks really ill and _____ leg is hurt.
- 6 A Is that your phone ringing?
B No, _____ has a different ringtone. Isn't it _____?
A No, _____ phone's in _____ bag.
B It's probably Anne's then. Could _____ call _____? I think _____'s in the bathroom.

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c Write four sentences that are true for you using *I, me, my, and mine*.

SOLUTIONS OF GRAMMAR 8C

a)

2 her

3 your; my

4 theirs

5 yours; mine

6 our

b)

1 his; him

2 Our; we

3 She; her; her

4 theirs;

them; they

5 Its; its

6 mine; yours; my; my; you; her;she