

## Chapter 11. Pronouns

**Exercise 1.** Complete this table giving the various forms of **personal pronouns**:

I	me	mine	myself	
	us			
you				← Singular
you				← Plural
		his		
	her			
			itself	
they				

**Exercise 2. Fill in the blanks with suitable personal pronouns:**

1. \_\_\_\_\_ am preparing for my unit test. Don't disturb \_\_\_\_\_.
2. Here is a bunch of roses. \_\_\_\_\_ are very fresh. Put \_\_\_\_\_ in a flower vase.
3. My father \_\_\_\_\_ asked me to buy this pen for \_\_\_\_\_.
4. Puneet is a well-behaved boy. \_\_\_\_\_ is polite in his speech. Everybody likes \_\_\_\_\_.
5. She stood in front of a mirror, looking at \_\_\_\_\_.
6. I cannot find my pen. \_\_\_\_\_ was lying here on the table. Has anyone seen \_\_\_\_\_?
7. The teachers \_\_\_\_\_ did not want an early examination. \_\_\_\_\_ said it would put a great strain on \_\_\_\_\_.
8. If we are in trouble, we should thank only \_\_\_\_\_ for \_\_\_\_\_. \_\_\_\_\_ can blame nobody else.
9. Pooja sings very well. Whenever \_\_\_\_\_ is on the stage, the public applauds \_\_\_\_\_. I have heard every song of \_\_\_\_\_.
10. **Mummy** : Tanu, \_\_\_\_\_ were late in the morning. Could \_\_\_\_\_ catch the bus?

**Tanu** : The bus was late too. \_\_\_\_\_ could easily catch \_\_\_\_\_.

### Exercise 3. Fill in the blanks with suitable personal pronouns:

"Are these gloves \_\_\_\_\_?" Vibhu asked Anshu.

"No, \_\_\_\_\_ are black. These are grey. \_\_\_\_\_ might be Shivani's," said Anshu.

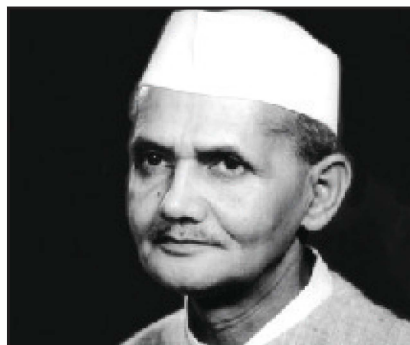
"\_\_\_\_\_ are not \_\_\_\_\_. \_\_\_\_\_ says \_\_\_\_\_ did not bring her gloves today," Vibhu said.

"Then ask Mukul. \_\_\_\_\_ might be \_\_\_\_\_," Anshu suggested.

"\_\_\_\_\_ have asked him also. \_\_\_\_\_ aren't \_\_\_\_\_ either," said Vibhu.

### Exercise 4. Fill in the blanks with suitable personal pronouns:

As a child, Lal Bahadur led a life of great poverty. \_\_\_\_\_ used to swim his way to the school across the Ganga. One day \_\_\_\_\_ went to a fair along with some friends. When it was time to return, \_\_\_\_\_ stayed back.



"Aren't \_\_\_\_\_ coming?" his friends asked.

"No, \_\_\_\_\_ want to enjoy \_\_\_\_\_ a little longer. \_\_\_\_\_ can leave," said Lal Bahadur.

"\_\_\_\_\_ will get late and your mother will be worried for \_\_\_\_\_. Please come," his friends said.

"\_\_\_\_\_ knows \_\_\_\_\_ will be late," said Lal Bahadur.

The fact is that \_\_\_\_\_ did not have money to pay the boat fare and \_\_\_\_\_ did not want his friends to take pity on \_\_\_\_\_. \_\_\_\_\_ was a self-respecting boy.