

1 There are two sets of personal pronouns. Can you match the subject pronouns to the correct object pronouns?

Object pronouns: us, me, you, them, her, it, him

Subject pronouns	Object pronouns	Subject pronouns	Object pronouns
I	_____	it	_____
you	_____	we	_____
he	_____	they	_____
she	_____		

2 You use subject pronouns as the subject of a verb:

I like your hat. You live near here, do you? He's my boss.

She's on holiday. We were in London yesterday. They come from Nigeria.

3 You use object pronouns:

a as the object of a verb:

Could you help us with this, please? She gave me £5.

I told them to be here at 6 o'clock. She saw him in town.

b after a preposition:

She was waiting for us. I talked to him yesterday.

Can you take me with you?



I don't know anything about him.

c after the verb to be:



This is us in Greece, and this is us in Italy last year, and this is me in Paris.



Hello, John, it's me.

4 You can use you or they to talk about people in general, and we to talk about a group including the speaker:

They have good food in this restaurant. You can buy this book anywhere. We drink a lot of tea in England.

5 You use pronouns after you have talked about someone or something for the first time, to avoid repetition:

I spoke to Mary this morning. She said she was very busy.

Patrick lives near the coast. He has a lovely house.

A Underline all the subject pronouns in these sentences:

- 1 I can't forget the last time we went to that restaurant. The food made me ill, and it wasn't cheap, either.
- 2 Do you know where we can buy an English newspaper? Someone told us there was a shop near here. Can you help?
- 3 I got a letter from Simon today. I hadn't heard from him for ages. He's working in Milan now, apparently.
- 4 Val invited me to her party, but I'm not sure if I can go. She lives miles away, and I've got a million things to do.

B Now look at the sentences again. There is an object pronoun in every sentence. Can you find them?

C Match the parts of the following dialogues:

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| 1 Do you know Mr and Mrs James? | It's in Africa, I think. |
| 2 Where's Timbuctoo? | He's in hospital now. |
| 3 Mike had an accident on Sunday. | It's boring. |
| 4 That's a brilliant film. | They eat a lot of pasta. |
| 5 I'm not interested in football. | We met them last week. |
| 6 Where did you buy those shoes? | I've seen it three times. |
| 7 What's the food like in Italy? | Paul gave them to me. |

D Look at the picture, add the personal pronouns to the sentences, then match the sentences to the right speakers by putting the correct letter in the brackets after each sentence:

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| 1 Do you know Sue? _____'s a top model. () | 5 Don't bring flowers in here. Sue doesn't like _____ . () |
| 2 I made her dress. Do you like _____ ? () | 6 I'm her manager. _____ have to talk to _____ if _____ want an interview with _____. () |
| 3 I think I'm in love with _____ , but _____'s not very interested in _____. () | 7 _____ gave us these photographs of _____ ! () |
| 4 We are her assistants. _____ are always very busy. She travels everywhere with _____. () | |

