

Sample Lesson #2

- L.7.2 1. **If a plural noun does not end in *s*, add an apostrophe and *s* to make the noun possessive.**

Example: the children's corner

Rewrite these phrases, using the possessive form of the underlined noun.

the hats of the men _____

the whiskers of the mice _____

- L.7.3 2. Underline the simple subject in the sentence below; write the verb.

Is there a famous landmark in Canton, Ohio? _____

- L.7.1 3. Which sentence has a transitive verb?

_____ Mr. Meyers runs a large corporation.

_____ He has strong business credentials.

- L.7.3 4. Underline the simple subject; write the verb.

There wasn't any residue on the dishes. _____

- L.6.1a 5. Underline the transitive verb and circle the direct object in each sentence.

Uncle Will brought me to school every day.

I thanked him by mowing his lawn.

- L.7.1 6. **Proper adjectives are formed from proper nouns and are always capitalized.**

Examples: Italian painting, French bread, Atlantic salmon

Underline the proper adjectives in this sentence.

A troupe of Irish dancers will be performing Saturday evening.

- L.7.1b 7. Add a comma and coordinating conjunction to complete each compound sentence.

Tracy is representing Puerto Rico _____ Ricardo is a delegate from Costa Rica.

The General Assembly meets next month _____ we need to finish writing our resolutions now.

We will read the resolutions on Friday evening _____ we'll discuss the position papers on Saturday morning.

- L.7.1 8. Underline the prepositional phrase. Double underline the object of the preposition.

We found packages beneath the tree.

- L.7.3 9. Which type of sentence is this?

Cicely Tyson starred in the film version of *Sounder*.

declarative

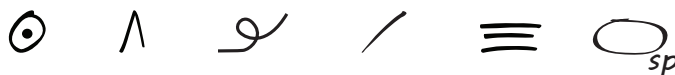
interrogative

imperative

exclamatory



- W.7.5 10. Draw each proofreader's symbol next to its meaning. (Check the *Help Pages* if you do not remember what the symbols stand for.)



Capitalize. _____

Add something. _____

Take out something. _____

Add an end mark. _____

Make lower case. _____

Check spelling. _____