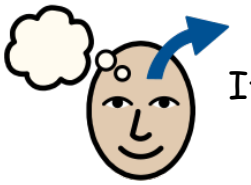
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Plural Possession

For when we need to signal possession of a plural subject.

Type	What it means	How it's written	Example
Plural noun	More than one thing	Add **-s** or **-es** Watch for irregular!	dog**s**, box**es** children
Singular possessive	One person/thing owns something	Add **'s**	The dog**'s** tail (tail belongs to one dog)
Plural possessive	More than one person/thing owns something	Add **s'** (apostrophe after the **s**) Sometimes: add **s** to the object.	The dog**s'** tail**s** (tails belong to several dogs)
Irregular plural possessive	Plural doesn't end in **-s**	Add **'s**	The children**'s** books (books belong to the children)



If the plural already ends in **-s**, the apostrophe goes **after** the **-s.**

If the plural doesn't end in **-s**, add **'s**.

Add the missing apostrophes in the correct place:

a) The girls shoes were left in the cloakroom.
b) All of the cats toys were scattered across the floor.
c) The womens coats were hanging by the door.
d) The teachers laptops were being repaired.

Insert the correct **plural possessive** form of the noun in brackets to complete each sentence:

1. The _____ (teacher) footsteps were loud in the corridor.
2. The _____ (bird) beaks were bright red.
3. The _____ (crab) shells washed onto the beach.