

Exercise 1 • Find It: Singular Possessive and Plural Nouns

- ▶ Listen as the teacher reads the sentences.
 - ▶ Circle the singular possessive nouns. Underline the plural nouns.
1. Brad's job in Boston made him glad.
 2. But Boston's traffic jams were no picnic.
 3. All the traffic gave him fits.
 4. Big rigs sped past Brad's van.
 5. He was timid on the ramps.
 6. Traffic in the tunnels made him frantic.
 7. He saw a lot of mishaps in the tunnels.
 8. Brad's trips to his job were grim.
 9. Brad had plans to slip out of Boston.
 10. Bad mishaps on the tunnel's ramp made him miss the trip.

Exercise 2 • Choose It and Use It

- ▶ Read the sentence with the blank.
- ▶ Circle the word that correctly fits the blank.
- ▶ Write the word in the blank.
- ▶ Read the sentence again.
- ▶ Use that same word in a sentence of your own.

1. The _____ hid the tools in the victim's van.

bandits or bandit's

2. Brad and Dan grab the frantic _____ in the lab.

rabbit's or rabbits

3. They plan to use _____ script for the film.

AI or AI's

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Exercise 2 (continued) • Choose It and Use It

4. Dan has catnip _____ in the bag.

plants or **plant's**

5. The cast has _____ script for this act.

Jim's or **Jim**

Exercise 3 • Find It: Singular Possessive and Plural Nouns

- ▶ Review “Africa Digs” with your teacher.
- ▶ Identify the singular possessive nouns you find in Steps 5–9.

- ▶ Identify the plural nouns you find in Steps 5–9.

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Exercise 4 • Sentence Dictation

- ▶ Listen to each sentence.
- ▶ Repeat the sentence.
- ▶ Write it on the line.
- ▶ Write **V** over the verb.
- ▶ Write **DO** over the direct object.

1. _____

2. _____

3. _____

4. _____

5. _____

Exercise 5 • Sentence Morphs

- ▶ Practice scooping these phrases.
- ▶ Read as you would speak them.

<p style="text-align: center;">• I •  • have a list •</p> <p style="text-align: center;">I have a list.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">• they were glad • • to have • • the facts •</p> <p style="text-align: center;">They were glad to have the facts.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">• do you • • have a stamp • • in your handbag •</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Do you have a stamp in your handbag?</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">• Hans • • was glad to have • • the land grant •</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Hans was glad to have the land grant.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">• The Big Dig • • impacts traffic • • in Boston •</p> <p style="text-align: center;">The Big Dig impacts traffic in Boston.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">• Lin and An • • were at a camp • • in Africa •</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Lin and An were at a camp in Africa.</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">• The limp flag • • flaps • • in the mist. •</p> <p style="text-align: center;">The limp flag flaps in the mist.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">• the traffic jam • • is in Boston •</p> <p style="text-align: center;">The traffic jam is in Boston.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">• Jin and Alvis • • had to sprint • • to the bandstand •</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Jin and Alvis had to sprint to the bandstand.</p>