

Possessive 's

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Look at these examples to see how we use possessive 's.

- This is my grandparents' house
- This is our children's school.
- This is our children's school.



Key aspects

- Possessive 's always comes after a noun or a name.
- We use possessive 's to say that something or someone belongs to a person, is connected to a place, or to show the relationship between people.



Form

	Noun + 's or s'	Noun
Singular	Sam's	bicycle
Plural	Sam and Emma's	house
	My parents'	friends
	My children's	toys



Rules

1. When something belongs to more than one person, and we give a list of names, we put 's on the last name.

Examples:

Sam and Emma's house



Sam's and Emma's house



Rules

2. WITH REGULAR PLURAL
NOUNS WE USE ' NOT 'S.

Examples:

They're my parents' friends.



They're my parent's friends.



Rules

3. WITH IRREGULAR PLURAL NOUNS WE USE 'S.

Examples:

They're my children's bicycles.



They're my childrens' bicycles.

