<u>Varied Fluency</u> Step 2: Using Apostrophes for Plural Possession

National Curriculum Objectives:

English Year 4: (4G5.8) <u>Indicating possession by using the possessive apostrophe with</u> plural nouns

English Year 4: (4G5.8) <u>The grammatical difference between plural and possessive –s</u> English Year 4: (4G5.8) <u>Apostrophes to mark plural possession [for example, the girl's property the prints of the prints are selected.)</u>

name, the girls' names]

Differentiation:

Developing Questions to support using apostrophes for possession with regular plural nouns (ending in 's').

Expected Questions to support using apostrophes for possession with plural nouns which are regular or irregular (not ending in 's').

Greater Depth Questions to support using apostrophes for possession with irregular plurals (not ending in 's') and collective nouns, for example: the audience's refreshments.

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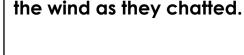


<u>Using Apostrophes for Plural</u> <u>Possession</u>	Using Apostrophes for Plural Possession
1a. True or false? The apostrophe has been used correctly in the sentence below.	1b. True or false? The apostrophe has been used correctly in the sentence below.
The girl's PE kits had all been left on	My shoe's laces have both broken
the floor.	today.
₩	↓ VF
2a. Choose the correct use of the apostrophe to complete the sentence below.	2b. Choose the correct use of the apostrophe to complete the sentence below.
The saddles are all	Our nappies are all
very dirty and need to be cleaned.	smelly and need to be changed.
horse's horses'	babies' babie's
♦	♦ VF
3a. Insert an apostrophe in the sentence below.	3b. Insert an apostrophe in the sentence below.
The houses doors are many	The gardens flower beds look very
different colours.	colourful.
↓	♦ VF
4a. Complete the sentence below using the plural of 'dog' and an apostrophe.	4b. Complete the sentence below using the plural of 'computer' and an apostrophe.
Our tails are	The screens have
wagging excitedly.	been turned off.



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Using Apostrophes for Plural Using Apostrophes for Plural Possession Possession 5a. True or false? The apostrophe has 5b. True or false? The apostrophe has been used correctly in the sentence been used correctly in the sentence below. below. The boy's football kits were all filthy The car's horns all beeped loudly and needed to be washed. when the lorry blocked the road. 6a. Choose the correct use of the 6b. Choose the correct use of the apostrophe to complete the sentence apostrophe to complete the sentence below. below. The _____ toilet was out of My _____ toys were scattered all over the floor. order all day. children's men's childrens' mens' 7a. Insert an apostrophe in the sentence 7b. Insert an apostrophe in the sentence below. below. The dogs leads became tangled as Our twin sons birthdays are next they ran around. week and they are very excited. 8a. Complete the sentence below using 8b. Complete the sentence below using the plural of 'woman' and an apostrophe. the plural of 'suspect' and an apostrophe. The _____ hair swayed in We recovered three







fingerprints on the door.



Using Apostrophes for Plural Using Apostrophes for Plural Possession Possession 9a. True or false? The apostrophe has 9b. True or false? The apostrophe has been used correctly in the sentence been used correctly in the sentence below. below. From far away we could only hear Both teams' scores were recorded one football crowds' chants. on a card. 10a. Choose the correct use of the 10b. Choose the correct use of the apostrophe to complete the sentence apostrophe to complete the sentence below. below. were The The leaping around the fields. were served at the interval. audience's flock's lamb's refreshment's audience's audiences flocks lamb's || flock's lambs refreshments refreshment's 11b. Insert an apostrophe in the sentence 11a. Insert an apostrophe in the sentence below. below. The groups entries for the Thick snow covered the herds fields. competition were judged carefully. 12b. Complete the sentence below using the plural of 'goose' and an apostrophe. the plural of 'mouse' and an apostrophe.



12a. Complete the sentence below using

The _____ wings glistened in the sun as they flew south for the winter.

The _____ tails are used for balancing when moving around.





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<u>Developing</u>

1a. False, it should be girls'.

2a. horses'

3a. houses'

4a. dogs'

Expected

5a. False, it should be boys'.

6a. men's

7a. dogs'

8a. women's

Greater Depth

9a. False, it should be crowd's.

10a. flock's lambs

11a. herd's

12a. geese's

<u>Developing</u>

1b. False, it should be shoes'.

2b. babies'

3b. gardens'

4b. computers'

Expected

5b. False, it should be cars'.

6b. children's

7b. sons'

8b. suspects'

Greater Depth

9b. True

10b. audience's refreshments

11b. groups'

12b. mice's

