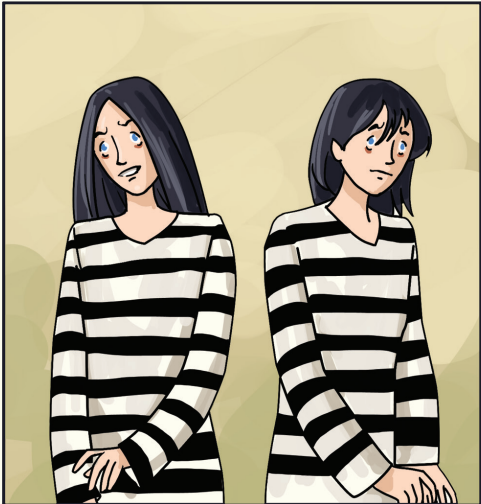


**POLICE INFORMATION
THE SMITH SISTERS**



Christine and Karen Smith are tall and their eyes are blue.
Their hair is black but Christine's hair is short and
Karen's hair is long.

**THEY ARE DANGEROUS!
TELEPHONE 999 FOR THE POLICE**

Presentation

Possessive 's

Add 's to a name or person:

Christine's hair is short. = *Her hair is short*

Christine's eyes are blue and Karen's eyes are blue. = *Their eyes are blue.*

Karen is my brother's wife. = *Karen is his wife.*

With two people, add the possessive 's to the second person:

Christine's eyes are blue and Karen's eyes are blue. = *Christine and Karen's eyes are blue.*

TIP Notice the difference:

Christine's hair is short. = 's is possessive

Christine's a student = contraction of *is*

Key vocabulary **Opposite adjectives:** black/white, short/long (hair), new/old, big/small, happy/sad

Exercises

1 Write the sentence with possessive 's.

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| 1 | His eyes are blue. | Paul's eyes are blue. |
| 2 | Her hair is long. | Clare |
| 3 | Their car is red. | Jane and Jim |
| 4 | His bicycle is old. | Pablo |
| 5 | Her baby is beautiful. | Jill |
| 6 | His cat is big. | Oscar |
| 7 | Her bag is black. | Sally |
| 8 | Their phones are new. | Harry and Sandra |

2 Complete the sentences with possessive 's or is.

- He is tall.
- Mark 's brother is short.
- Sheila cat is black.
- My cat black and white.
- New York a city.
- Fred house is small.
- Their child happy.
- Richard and Joanne children are nice.
- The house new.
- Andrew house is old.

3 Complete the sentence using possessive 's and an opposite adjective.

- My hair is short, but my sister's hair is long.
- His bag is white, but his brother
- Their daughter is young, but their friend
- Her car is new, but Maria
- My house is small, but Richard and Eleana

4 Write sentences about a friend using possessive 's.

Example: Karen's hair is brown.

- hair is
- eyes are
- bag is
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