



DEMONSTRATIVE PRONOUNS



Parts of speech

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Objectives:

- to differentiate between This, That & These, Those and apply them properly.

The words **this**,
these, **that** and
those are called
demonstrative
pronouns. They
are showing
words.



Those are goats.



These are sheep.



This is my house.
This is a hill.
These are donkeys.
What is **this**?
Did you drop **this**?
Hi, Jane! **This** is Michael!



That is John's house.
That is a mountain.
Those are horses.
What are **those**?
We can do better
than **that**.
No, **that's** not mine.
You mean you won?
That's amazing!
Hello, who is **that**
speaking, please?
Hello, is **that** you,
George?





You use **this** and **these** when you point to things **near** you.

You use **that** and **those** when you point to things **farther away**.

Demonstrative pronouns can be singular or plural:

Singular

this

that

Plural

these

those

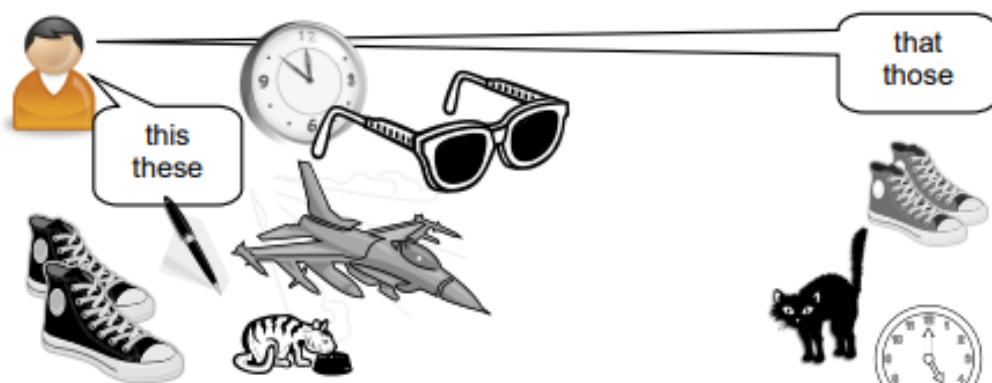
Exercise 1 .

Read the following passage. Write the missing demonstrative pronouns in the blank spaces.

Henry and I went for a walk on the beach. "What's _____ over there?" I asked. "It looks like broken glass," said Henry. He gave me a bag. "Put it in _____," he said. I put the broken glass into the bag. "We'd better put _____ in the trash," I said. He took the bag from me. "You have to hold it like _____," said Henry, "so that you don't cut your hand."

Exercise 2.

Demonstrative Pronouns



that
those

- Complete the sentences below with:
this, these, that or those

1. _____ shoes are black.
2. _____ shoes are gray.
3. _____ pen is small.
4. _____ pen is very large.
5. The time on _____ clock is 5:00.
6. The time on _____ clock is 11:50.
7. _____ plane is a toy.
8. _____ plane isn't a toy.
9. _____ cat is eating
10. _____ cat isn't eating.
11. _____ glasses are for reading.
12. _____ glasses are sunglasses.





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LUCK!**