

Extension

Possessive Pronouns

Possessive pronouns replace the people or things that have or own something:

Singular:	my	mine	your	yours	her	hers	his	its
Plural:	our	ours	your	yours	their	theirs		

Re-write the paragraph below replacing most of the names with possessive pronouns.

James couldn't believe James's bad luck. He stood rooted to the spot not being able to do or say anything. James's cheeks were red with embarrassment. The headteacher also didn't know what to say or do. Several seconds passed, although it seemed longer. The headteacher stood up. James still couldn't do or say anything. He gripped on to James's tray as if James's life depended on it. Luckily one of the dinner staff has seen what had happened and came over with a cloth. It allowed James to back out of the dinner hall and in to the corridor. He hoped he wouldn't see the headteacher again for a long time. Long enough for James to get over James's embarrassment.