

Nouns That Show Ownership

A noun that shows ownership is called a **possessive noun**. To make a singular noun possessive, add an apostrophe (') and an s.

Possessive Common Nouns	Possessive Proper Nouns
the girl's coat	Rosa's coat
the town's library	Miami's library

Underline the possessive noun in each sentence.

1. The city's water is fresh and pure.
2. After school, I walk my neighbor's dog.
3. Juan's coat is brown and red.

Fill in the blanks with a possessive noun.

1. The cat belongs to Michael.
It is _____ cat.
2. My uncle owns that store.
It is my _____ store.
3. The buses belong to Houston.
They are _____ buses.