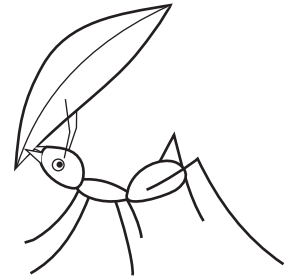


Point of View Pronouns



A **pronoun** is a word that replaces a noun or a noun phrase.

- They help our writing sound smooth and less repetitive.
- They also tell what point of view a story is written from.

Pronouns	Point of View	Who is the narrator?
I, me, we, us, our, my, myself, ourselves	first person	The narrator is a character in the story.
He, she, it, him, her, himself, herself, they, their, them, themselves	third person	The narrator is not a character in the story.

Part 1

Directions: Highlight the pronouns and identify the point of view narration in each sentence.

Circle One

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| 1. I heard thunder when I was in my bed last night. | first person third person |
| 2. She had a noticeable sunburn after they were at the beach. | first person third person |
| 3. They created openings by digging with their shovels. | first person third person |
| 4. My mom helped me, and we cleaned my room quickly. | first person third person |

Part 2

Directions: Rewrite the sentences in first person point of view by changing the pronouns. Hint: Pretend you are a character in the sentences!

Example: When the scout presented the crystal to the ant queen, she took a small bite, then quickly ate the entire thing.

When the scout presented the crystal to me, I took a small bite, then quickly ate the entire thing.

1. They were eager to gather more crystals because the queen was the mother of them all.

2. It was late in the day when they departed.

3. They marched into the woods that surrounded their underground home.

4. Up the side they climbed, higher and higher.
