Lesson 6 — Possessives

Grammar: possessives (Unit 1)
Laser A1+ SB p. 11 (Grammar: possessives — egalik sifatlari, egalik olmoshlari, 's va s' apostrofi; ex.1 to‘g‘ri so‘zni yozish, ex.2 gapni tartibga solish, ex.3 dialogdagi xatolarni tuzatish) — asosiy manba

Class	Grade 7
Lesson type	Grammar
Aim	By the end of the lesson students can choose between a possessive adjective and a possessive pronoun, and write the apostrophe in the right place for singular, plural and irregular nouns.
Materials	Vocabulary sheet (30 items), matching worksheet (Groups A and B), slides, flashcards with audio (sozlar.com/vocab); Laser A1+ p. 11
New items	30 words and phrases

Learning outcomes

• complete six sentences with my / your / his / her / our / their

• replace a noun with mine / yours / his / hers / ours / theirs

• write 's after a singular noun and s' after a regular plural

Stage by stage (45 minutes)

Min	Stage	Teacher	Students
3	**Lead-in**	Hold up a pen and a bag from two students. Ask 'Whose is this?' and write the two answers on the board: It's Aziz's. It's hers.	Answer about three more objects.
5	**Grammar clinic (form table)**	Show the table: adjective before a noun, pronoun instead of a noun. Drill the six pairs.	Copy the table and add one example of their own to each row.
4	**Apostrophe focus**	Where does the apostrophe go? Singular, regular plural, irregular plural, and its / it's. Then Laser p. 11 ex. 2: reorder three sentences with 's / s'.	Sort eight phrases into 's and s' columns.
9	**Presentation (4 blocks)**	Present A school things (8), B personal things (8), C clothes (6) and D whose is it? (8). Use real objects in the room for blocks A and C.	Repeat, write the Uzbek meaning, point at an object for each item in A and C.
4	**Pronunciation of 's**	Drill the three sounds /s/ /z/ /ɪz/; students sort the eight names.	Say each name and mark the sound.
6	**Correct the mistakes (recycle 1)**	Laser p. 11 ex. 3: ten mistakes in the dialogue. Check as a class, then two students read it aloud.	Correct the ten mistakes and read the dialogue in pairs.
6	**Whose is this? (recycle 2)**	Collect one object from each student in a bag; hold them up one by one for the class to claim.	Ask and answer: Whose is this? — It's mine / It's Malika's.
6	**Matching activity (recycle 3)**	Hand out the matching worksheet; Group A and Group B, then swap tables.	Match the halves, read the sentences aloud, give the Uzbek meaning.
2	**Feedback and homework**	Correct two apostrophe mistakes on the board, set homework, show the flashcard link.	Correct the sentences, write down the homework.

Form — possessive adjective or possessive pronoun?

	BEFORE A NOUN (adjective)	INSTEAD OF A NOUN (pronoun)
I	This is **my** phone.	This phone is **mine**.
you	That's **your** bag.	That bag is **yours**.
he / she	**his** room · **her** book	It's **his**. · It's **hers**.
we / they	**our** class · **their** room	It's **ours**. · It's **theirs**.

Egalik olmoshidan keyin ot kelmaydi: *This is mine — this is mine phone* emas. Apostrof ham qo‘yilmaydi: **yours**, **hers**, **ours**, **theirs** (*your's* — xato).

If you are running late (skip in this order)

Bu bosqichlar darsning maqsadiga ta’sir qilmaydi — vaqt yetmasa, shu tartibda tashlab keting.

1. «Bugungi mavzu» rasmlar slaydi — 2 daqiqadan 1 daqiqaga.
2. «Memory check» slaydi — og‘zaki qiling, ekranga chiqarmang (~3 daq.).
3. Talaffuz ('s ning uch tovushi) slaydi — uy vazifasiga bering (~4 daq.).
4. Practice (gap fill) 7-12-bandlar — uyga bering (~3 daq.).

Questions to ask

• Which comes after a possessive pronoun — a noun or nothing?

• Where does the apostrophe go in 'my parents car'? Why?

• What is the difference between its and it's?

• How do we say the 's in 'George's' — and why is it different from 'Pat's'?

• Whose desk is this? Answer in two different ways.

Anticipated problems and solutions

• Students write 'mine phone' or 'this is my'. Keep the two columns on the board: BEFORE A NOUN / INSTEAD OF A NOUN, and test with 'is there a noun after it?'

• Apostrophe in the wrong place: 'my parent's car' for two parents. Ask first: one person or more than one?

• 'your's' and 'her's' — possessive pronouns never take an apostrophe. Show the list once and keep it visible.

Fast finishers / weaker students

Fast finishers rewrite five sentences from the dialogue using 's instead of a pronoun; weaker students work with the form table on the desk and do only the first six items of the exercise.

Homework

• Write ten sentences about things in your house: five with 's or s' and five with a possessive pronoun.

• Learn the 30 items (sections A-D) with the flashcards: sozlar.com/vocab/cards/?set=grade7-lesson6

• Laser A1+ Workbook pp. 8-9.

Reading text — Whose is it?

This morning there was a bag on my desk. “Whose bag is this?” asked our teacher. “It isn't mine,” I said. “Mine is black and it's under my chair.”

“It isn't hers either,” said Aziz. “Her bag is next to the window. And it isn't ours — our bags are by the door. Maybe it's theirs?” He looked at the twins' room across the corridor.

Then Malika came in. “That's my sister's bag,” she said. “It **belongs to** her. She left it here before the lesson — my sister's room is on this floor. I'll **give** it **back** to her at break.”

Things get lost in our school every day: the children's books, somebody's **ruler**, a **water bottle**, even George's **charger** last week. What's the problem? Our teacher has a simple rule: if it isn't yours, put it in the **lost property** box, and **the owner** will **find** it there.

Reading questions — answer key

1. Malika's sister's.; 2. Next to the window.; 3. His is black and under his chair.; 4. If it isn't yours, put it in the lost property box.

Book task — answer key

Correct the mistakes (ex. 3): 1 mine · 2 my · 3 his · 4 mine · 5 hers · 6 David's · 7 yours · 8 my · 9 his · 10 our

Reorder the words (ex. 2): My sister's pet rabbit hasn't got a name. · Other people's families are interesting. · Theo's mum hasn't got brothers or sisters.

Pronunciation task — answer key

/s/ — jarangsiz tovushdan keyin (Pat, Jack); /z/ — jarangli tovushdan keyin (Finlay, Imogen, Theo); /ɪz/ — s, z, ch, sh, ge dan keyin (Alex, George, Ross)

Word list (quick reference)

rubber — o‘chirg‘ich

pencil sharpener — qalamtarosh (qalam ochgich)

ruler — chizg‘ich

notebook — daftar

scissors — qaychi

calculator — kalkulyator

water bottle — suv idishi (butilka)

homework — uy vazifasi

keys — kalitlar

wallet — hamyon

umbrella — soyabon

hairbrush — soch cho‘tkasi

sunglasses — quyosh ko‘zoynagi

charger — quvvatlagich (zaryadlovchi)

lunch box — tushlik qutisi

ring — uzuk

T-shirt — futbolka

jacket — kurtka

trainers — krossovka

scarf — sharf

gloves — qo‘lqop

sweater — sviter

belong to — (biror kishiga) tegishli bo‘lmoq

give back — qaytarib bermoq

borrow — qarzga olmoq, vaqtincha olib turmoq

lend — qarzga bermoq, vaqtincha berib turmoq

lose — yo‘qotmoq

find — topmoq

the owner — egasi

lost property — topilmalar (yo‘qolgan buyumlar joyi)