

# PRONOUN CASE – EXERCISE 2: SHE, HER, AND HERS

**Directions:** Fill in the blanks with the appropriate choices—*she*, *her*, or *hers*. Check your answers with the [interactive version](#) of the exercise.

1. See that young lady smacking her lips? It might have been \_\_\_\_\_ who stole your jelly donut.  
  
A. she  
B. her
2. Clarisse shrugged her shoulders and shook her head. Neither \_\_\_\_\_ nor Jermaine knew the answer to question 5 on the quiz.  
  
A. she  
B. her
3. Kettia's favorite color is peach, so I'd guess that this pretty orange sweater is \_\_\_\_\_.  
  
A. hers  
B. her's  
C. hers'
4. Kendra has a car. Perhaps \_\_\_\_\_ and Ruth can run to the fish market for some fresh octopus tentacles.  
  
A. she  
B. her

5. Mom comes from a family of strict disciplinarians, so always say please and thank you around Aunt Nancy and \_\_\_\_\_ if you don't want your earlobe twisted.
- A. she  
B. her
6. Don't set the platter of fried chicken in front of Amber and \_\_\_\_\_! Both of those young women are vegetarians and gag at the sight of meat!
- A. she  
B. her
7. My dog Oreo loves to rip paper. \_\_\_\_\_ and the cat have a system; Buster bats the mail to the floor where Oreo shreds it.
- A. She  
B. Her
8. I didn't spill that coffee on your essay! It was \_\_\_\_\_, that blonde sipping the cappuccino and flirting with Carlos.
- A. she  
B. her
9. Theodora has hair that flows down her back, so maybe that 12-inch strand stuck in your tuna fish is \_\_\_\_\_.
- A. hers  
B. her's  
C. hers'

10. Sharon is addicted to romance novels. \_\_\_\_\_ trade the cheap paperbacks as fast as they can consume them.
- A. She and Brianna
  - B. Brianna and her
11. Give Lisa your homework to check. It is \_\_\_\_\_ who knows all of the complicated rules that govern pronoun case.
- A. she
  - B. her
12. Only one swimmer is left in the pool, so these size 14 shoes must be \_\_\_\_\_.
- A. hers
  - B. her's
  - C. hers'
13. Please pass these four quarters to Yolanda and \_\_\_\_\_. Last week they lent me a dollar, and I want to pay them back.
- A. she
  - B. her
14. Tonya sighed in irritation. Either \_\_\_\_\_ or Marie would have to cover Tom's hours if he didn't show up to work soon.
- A. she
  - B. her

15. Mildred turned her back as soon as the door opened. We believe that \_\_\_\_\_ will never mend their friendship.
- A. she and Leanne
  - B. Leanne and her
16. Keisha is a real slob, so I'll bet the crusty pot in the sink is \_\_\_\_\_.
- A. hers
  - B. her's
  - C. hers'
17. The stranger wore a heavy fleece hoody. Carl squeezed in between \_\_\_\_\_ and Salina, who had a cushy down jacket, because his thin cotton shirt offered no protection from the fall's first cold snap.
- A. she
  - B. her
18. Mrs. Redmond is a stickler about grammar. Wesley will have to watch what he says around Grandma and \_\_\_\_\_ if he doesn't want a 30-minute pronoun lesson in the living room.
- A. she
  - B. her
19. Mrs. Watson has adopted several stray cats, so maybe that orange tomcat is \_\_\_\_\_.
- A. hers
  - B. her's
  - C. hers'

20. Vivian slurped the piping hot soup. Not only \_\_\_\_\_ but also the other guests will be shocked to learn that Mark used frog tongues, not clams, as the meat for the chowder.

A. she

B. her

