

Possessive vs. plural

Grade 3 Punctuation Worksheet

Choose the correct word to complete the sentence.

girls = plural
girl's, girls' = possessive

Sentences	A	B
<u>B</u> 1. Most <u>games</u> are fun.	games'	games
_____ 2. These _____ blades are turning fast.	helicopter's	helicopters
_____ 3. The _____ book was interesting.	authors	authors'
_____ 4. The _____ were very athletic.	dancers	dancers'
_____ 5. The _____ recipe is delicious.	cook's	cooks
_____ 6. The _____ training sets them apart.	firefighters	firefighters'
_____ 7. Mozart and Wagner are famous _____ .	composer's	composers
_____ 8. The _____ are cutting the the grass today.	gardeners	gardeners'
_____ 9. _____ leaves turn orange in the fall.	Trees	Trees'
_____ 10. The _____ can sing and dance.	robot's	robots
_____ 11. The _____ program allows it to sing and dance.	robot's	robots
_____ 12. The _____ program allows them to sing and dance.	robot's	robots

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Answers

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<u>A</u> 5. The <u>cook's</u> recipe is delicious.	cook's	cooks
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<u>B</u> 7. Mozart and Wagner are famous <u>composers</u> .	composer's	composers
<u>A</u> 8. The <u>gardeners</u> are cutting the grass today.	gardeners	gardeners'
<u>B</u> 9. <u>Trees'</u> leaves turn orange in the fall.	Trees	Trees'
<u>B</u> 10. The <u>robots</u> can sing and dance.	robot's	robots
<u>A</u> 11. The <u>robot's</u> program allows it to sing and dance.	robot's	robots
<u>A</u> 12. The <u>robot's</u> program allows them to sing and dance.	robot's	robots