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1 Quick quiz. Work with a partner and write the plural of each word.

- person
- baby
- man
- wife
- child
- woman

Now make a sentence using each plural word.

2 Add 's to a word in each sentence to show possession.

- a They're Florence black shoes
- b It's Yvette red car.
- c He's Peter brother.
- d That's Jacek sister.
- e It's Alessandro camera.
- f These are Susie tickets.

3 Complete the gaps in the conversations.

1. A: Can I have two ¹_____ to Edinburgh, please? One ²_____and one child.
B: ³_____ or return?
A: Return please.
B: That's thirty two fifty, ⁴_____.
A: Here you ⁵_____.
B: Thank you.
2. A: Can I pay by ¹_____card?
B: Yes, ²_____ here please.
3. A: Here's my credit card.
B: Enter ¹_____ PIN number, please.

Practise the conversations with a partner.



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TEACHER'S NOTES:

Aim: to practise possessive 's, irregular plurals and ask about things and make simple transactions. This worksheet is designed to be used in conjunction with unit 4.3.

Time: 40 minutes

Materials: copy of the worksheet for each student

- 1 Tell students to quickly write down the plural of each of the nouns and then make a sentence using each plural. Ask students to read out their sentences to the class.

Answers: people; babies; men; wives; children; women

- 2 Students read the sentences and then add 's to a word in the sentence to make it possessive. (You may want to do the first sentence as an example with the class.) Elicit answers from the class.

Answers:

- a They're Florence's black shoes.
- b It's Yvette's red car.
- c He's Peter's brother.
- d That's Jacek's sister.
- e It's Alessandro's camera.
- f These are Susie's tickets.

- 3 Students fill in the gaps in the conversation and then practise the conversations with each other.

Answers:

- 1) 1 tickets; 2 adult; 3 single; 4 please; 5 are
- 2) 1 credit; 2 sign
- 3) 1 your

