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Apostrophes to Show Ownership Worksheet

An apostrophe is a punctuation mark used to indicate either possession or the omission of letters or numbers.

Directions: Circle the correct word to complete each sentence.

Example A: (Davids / David's) football went over the fence.

Answer: David's

1. (Sarahs / Sarah's) textbook was in her backpack.
2. I went to (Stephen's / Stephens) home for dinner.
3. The (teams / team's) jerseys were brand new.
4. (Michael's / Michaels) sweater was dirty.
5. The (lion's / lions) fur was bright yellow.
6. The (computer's / computers) keyboard was missing.
7. We went to my (mother's / mothers) house for dinner.
8. The (ships / ship's) deck was very beautiful.

Directions: Complete each sentence below with the noun in parenthesis.

9. We will go to _____ home after school. (John)
10. I think that my _____ job is admirable. (father)
11. The _____ might should be respected. (ocean)
12. My _____ recital is tonight. (sister)
13. The _____ wood was about to give way. (deck)
14. The _____ scales protect it from its prey. (alligator)