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1. My _____ health is the most important thing to me.
a) children
b) children's
c) childrens'
d) child's

 2. Those are my _____ over there.
a) boot
b) boots
c) boot's
d) boots'

 3. Don't go in there Peter, that's the _____ changing room.
a) lady
b) ladys
c) ladys'
d) ladies'

 4. _____ book is this?
a) Who's
b) Whos
c) Whose
d) Whose's

 5. _____ not a very good car, but at least _____ mine.
a) It's / it's
b) Its / its
c) It's / its
d) Its / it's

 6. If you want to leave your job you must give at least four _____ notice.
a) week
b) weeks
c) week's
d) weeks'

ANSWERS:

1. My _____ health is the most important thing to me.

- a) children – this is not correct. It needs a possessive 's'.
- b) **children's – this is correct. 'Children' is a plural. The apostrophe comes before the possessive 's'.**
- c) childrens' – this is not correct. 'Children' is a plural. The apostrophe comes before the possessive 's'.
- d) child's – this is not correct. Child is singular. The apostrophe comes before the possessive 's'.

2. Those are my _____ over there.

- a) boot – this is not correct. There is more than one boot. It should be a plural form.
- b) **boots – this is correct. It's a plural form.**
- c) boot's – this is not correct. It's a singular possessive and it should be a plural form.
- d) boots' – this is not correct. It's a plural possessive and it should be just a plural form.

3. Don't go in there Peter, that's the _____ changing room.

- a) lady – this is not correct. The changing room doesn't have a sex!
- b) ladys – this is not correct. This is not a correct plural form.
- c) ladys' – this is not correct. It's not a correct plural form.
- d) **ladies' – this is correct. It's a plural possessive.**

4. _____ book is this?

- a) Who's – this isn't correct. The right answer isn't a possessive or contraction.
- b) Whos – this isn't correct. This isn't a word in English.
- c) **Whose – this is correct.**
- d) Whose's – this isn't correct. This isn't a possible form in English.

5. _____ not a very good car, but at least _____ mine.

- a) **It's / it's – this is correct. In each case the apostrophe is needed to show there is a contracted form. Here, it's = it is.**
- b) Its / its – this isn't correct. In each case the apostrophe is needed to show there is a contracted form. Here, it's = it is.
- c) It's / its – this isn't correct. The first answer is right but the second also needs an apostrophe to show there is a contracted form. Here, it's = it is.
- d) Its / it's – this isn't correct. The second answer is right but the first also needs an apostrophe to show there is a contracted form. Here, it's = it is.

6. If you want to leave your job you must give at least four _____ notice.

- a) week – this isn't correct. You need a plural possessive.
- b) weeks – this isn't correct. You need a plural possessive.
- c) week's – this isn't correct. You need a plural possessive.
- d) **weeks' – this is correct. You need a plural possessive.**

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