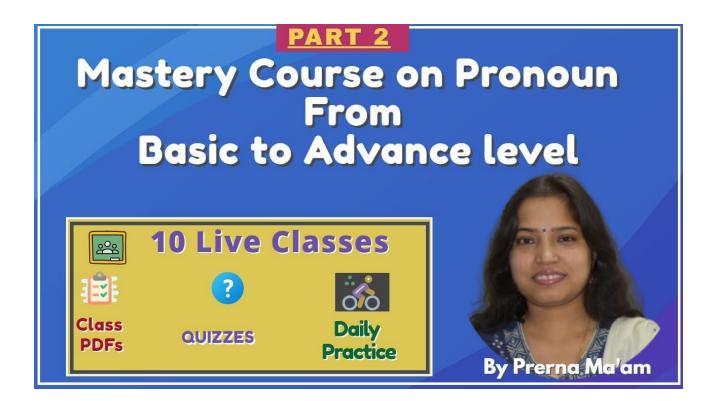
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# Mastery Course on Pronoun Live Course by Prerna Ma'am

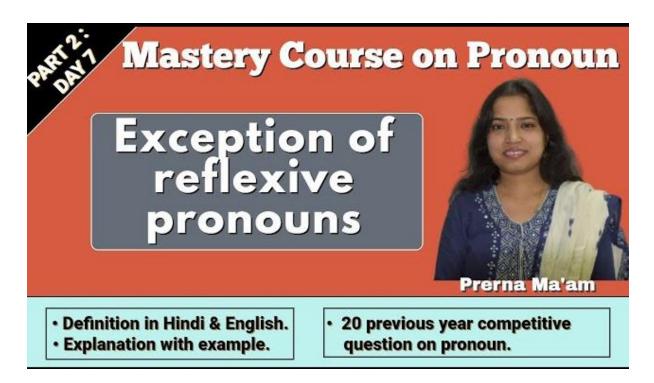




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## **Class Topic:**

Day 7 - Mastery Course on Pronoun part-1– Exceptions of Reflexive Pronoun



### Introduction

इस कोर्स में आप pronoun के बारे में पढ़ेंगे वो भी basic level to advance level. इस कोर्स में अपलोगो को examples के द्वारा concept को clear किया जाएँगे साथ ही साथ competitive based questions करवाया जाएगा, हर concept को कहानी के द्वारा clear किया जाएगा आपलोगो को notes provide किया जाएगा previous year questions के साथ so why to wait join our pronoun mission.

#### Learning Objective:

The learning objective of this lesson as follows:



In this session we will do Exceptions of Reflexive Pronoun

- a) Reflexive pronoun(definition)
- b) Exception of reflexive pronoun
- c) Examples
- d) Questions
- f)moral story(find error)

#### DEFINITION

Reflexive pronoun is used as an object when the subject of a sentence and its object are the same person or thing. These reflexive pronouns always end in *-self* or *-selves*.

They include: adapt, complain, concentrate, get up, hide, lie down, meet, move, relax, remember, shave, shower, sit down. 2. After a preposition of place or location we use a personal **pronoun** and not a **reflexive pronoun** 

#### **Exception of reflexive pronoun**

EXCEPTION-1

Don't use reflexive pronouns when the verb is something someone does every day.

She dries **herself** with a towel after every shower.

John dressed **himself** for the meeting.

In cases like this where the verb describes something that is a common occurrence, you simply don't need the reflexive pronoun.

She dries with a towel after every shower.

John dressed for the meeting.

However, you should use the reflexive pronoun if you need it for emphasis. John dressed **himself** for the meeting even though he only had one arm. Clearly, John is doing something exceptional and the use of the reflexive pronoun helps to bring out that fact

EXCEPTION-2.

Don't use reflexive pronouns after prepositions of place. Incorrect: *Mary placed the mixing bowl beside herself.* Correct:



Mary placed the mixing bowl beside her.

#### EXCEPTION-3

#### Don't use reflexive pronouns after "with."

In this case, we are referring to the preposition *with* when it means "accompanied by."

Incorrect:

*Jordan took some jelly beans with herself to the show.* Correct:

Jordan took some jelly beans with her to the show. FILL THE BLANKS WITH PROPER REFLEXIVE PRONOUN

1). Meena was in a hurry, so she washed the clothes .....

- A) himself
- B) itself
- C) herself
- D) myself
- 2. The cat bit .....
- A) themselves
- B) <u>itself</u>
- C) myself
- D) herself

3. We don't have to call mechanic; we can fix the tyre .....

- A) herself B) himself C) myself
- D) <u>ourselves</u>

4. Every day, I clean my face with soap and stare at . . . . . in the mirror.

A<u>) myself</u> B) herself C) himself D) itself

5. That racing bike is in a class all by .....

A) themselves

#### B) herself C) yourselves D) <u>itself</u> **moral story(FIND THE ERROR IN REFLEXIVE PRONOUN)**

tortoise was resting under a tree, on which a bird had built its nest.Tortoise took strawberry with <u>itself</u>. The tortoise spoke to the bird sitting besides <u>itself</u> mockingly, "What a shabby home you have! It is made of broken twigs, it has no roof, and looks crude. What's worse is that you had to build it yourself. I think my house, which is my shell, is much better than your pathetic nest".

"Yes, it is made of broken sticks, looks shabby and is open to the elements of nature. It is crude, but I built it, and I like it."

"I guess it's just like any other nest, but not better than mine", said the tortoise. "You must be jealous of my shell, though."

"On the contrary", the bird replied. "My home has space for my family and friends; where we do our works <u>ourselves</u>. your shell cannot accommodate anyone other than you. Maybe you have a better house. But I have a better home", said the bird happily.

#### Moral

Better a crowded hut than a lonely mansion.

Ans-it, it, no reflexive pronoun



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