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RAHUL: I hope he guards the Society well.

TINA: Why is Sri Lanka called an ^{2.} island?

TEACHER: It is surrounded by water on all sides.

BINA: My grandfather donates generously to the Blind School and an orphanage called The Kind Home. He is a generous man.

STUTI: Such a person is called a ^{3.} philanthropist.

GEETA: My sister enjoys playing the piano. She is not a professional.

She is only an ^{4.} amateur

VANI: In a few years she will become an expert.

TARA: My mother represents our country in France. She is an ^{5.} ambassador

Answer these questions. Begin your answers with *It's* . . .

1. Who does the *phiran* belong to? *It's Salma's.*
2. Whose is the *mekhela chador*? *It's _____.*
3. Who does the *mundu* belong to? *_____.*
4. Who does the *salwar-kameez* belong to? *_____.*
5. Whose is the *lehnga-choli*? *_____.*
6. Who does the *dhoti* belong to? *_____.*

CAUTION!
Its or it's?

Whenever in doubt, try replacing *its* with *it is*.

It's is used as a contraction of *it is*.
It's mine. (It is mine.)

Its is used in the possessive case.
The cat licked *its* fur.
The cat licked *it's* fur. *X*
(You cannot replace *it's* with *it is*.)

GRAMMAR IN CONVERSATION
ENRICHMENT ACTIVITY

Work in pairs. Use possessives to make sentences about the students of your class. Take turns.

*My friend Ramola is our English teacher's daughter.
Sudhanshu is Stella's brother.
Sri's mother is a doctor. Afzal's hair is very curly.*

ONE NOUN FOR MANY WORDS

S. Complete the dialogues with words from the box.

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READING COMPREHENSION

BANNU AND RIKKY

Rikky horse went to bunny Bannu's house one evening. Bannu served him some fresh fruits and a piece of cake. Rikky horse was very happy, He neighed to show his happiness. Rikky horse wanted him to sit on his back and took him to market. They bought gram, leafy vegetables and a kilogram of carrots.

On his way back Rikky dropped Bannu near his house. He took away carrots and rest were taken by Rikky. Both said good bye.

Watching all this Olly Owl smiled and said, " They are good riends"

Now read the passage and answer the following questions:-

1. What is the name of the horse?
 2. Where did Rikky go?
 3. What did Bannu serve him?
 4. How did Rikky show his happiness?
 5. How did Bannu go to market?
 6. Where did Rikky drop Bannu?
 7. Who took carrots?
 8. What did Rikky horse take?
 9. Who was watching all this?
 10. What did Olly Owl say?
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② Rewrite using Possessive form,

1. the ears of the elves

Ans

2. the toys of the babies

3. the food of the elephants

4. the engines of the cars

5. the hats of the children.