

Pronoun Antecedent Agreement

Pronouns are words that take the place of nouns in a sentence. The word that a pronoun takes the place of is called the **antecedent**. A pronoun must agree with its antecedent in number. A singular antecedent takes a singular pronoun. A plural antecedent takes a plural pronoun.

DIRECTIONS: Choose a noun from the box that makes sense as the antecedent in each sentence.

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| Al and Penny | Jenny | Randy | party |
| cookies | those women | class | door |

1. I will call _____. **He** will be willing to help.
2. When is the _____? **It** isn't this weekend, is it?
3. Here are some _____. **They** are delicious.
4. I dread my first _____. **It** is so boring.
5. _____ is my best friend! **She** is a lot of fun.
6. _____ aren't here. Nobody told **them** to come.
7. _____ are doctors. **They** are in practice together.
8. The _____ isn't closed. Can you please shut **it**?

