

Cornell Motes

Understanding Possessives

Today's Standard

3.L.2d - Form and use possessives.

Cues	Notes
What is a possessive?	Possessives show ownership.
How do you form a possessive noun?	To form a possessive noun, add an apostrophe and 's' (e.g., 'dog's').
N. (1)	Using possessives helps make writing clear and precise.
Why is using possessives important?	Common mistakes include confusing plurals with possessives and forgetting the apostrophe.
Common mistakes with	
possessives	Examples: 'Sarah's book', 'cat's tail', 'teacher's desk'.
Examples of possessives	

Summary

Possessives indicate ownership and are formed by adding an apostrophe and 's'. Correct use of possessives is essential for clear communication.