

Pronoun Playoff

Objective

To use subject and object pronouns correctly

Players

Any number

You will need

14 index cards, pencils or pens, and 1 sheet of paper for keeping score

Before playing

- Write each of the sentences shown on a separate index card.
- Write the following pronouns on index cards, one per card: *I, me*

1. That home run amazed the coach and _____.
2. Vanessa and _____ ordered a pizza.
3. The guests brought Luis and _____ some gifts.
4. Mom and _____ e-mailed some photos.
5. A sudden rain soaked the dogs and _____.
6. The boys and _____ relaxed in the shade.
7. Someone gave Anna and _____ a great idea.
8. Uncle David and _____ just missed the bus.
9. Ellie invited Willy and _____ to dinner.
10. Tamako and _____ read mainly science fiction.
11. Bennett and _____ hiked around the lake.
12. The accident taught Harry and _____ a lesson.

1. Shuffle the sentence cards and stack them facedown.

2. Lay the two pronoun cards faceup where all players can see them.

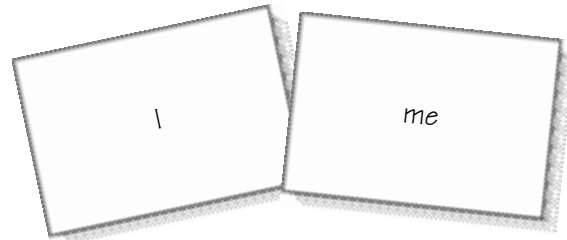
3. Choose one player to be the scorekeeper.

4. Player 1 turns over the top card in the sentence stack. He or she reads the sentence card aloud, filling in the blank with one of the pronouns shown on the pronoun cards.

5. The rest of the players determine if the pronoun is correct. Disputes may be resolved by referring to page 291 of your English book or asking the teacher.

6. Player 1 then puts the sentence card facedown at the bottom of the sentence stack, and the next player takes a turn.

7. Play for a set number of rounds. At the end of the game, the player with the most points wins.



Scoring

A player scores one point for using the correct pronoun.