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# Possessive adjectives

- **Possessive adjectives** show ownership or relationships between people. They are placed before the noun.

Owner		Owner	
yo	mi libro mis libros	nosotros(as)	nuestro libro/nuestra casa nuestros libros/nuestras casas
tú	tu libro tus libros	vosotros(as)	vuestro libro/vuestra casa vuestros libros/vuestras casas
usted él ella	su libro sus libros	ustedes ellos ellas	su libro sus libros

## Gender and number agreement

- While possessive adjectives refer to the owner, their form agrees in gender and number with the noun that comes after them.

refers to                      agrees grammatically

**Martín** vive con **sus** abuelos.

**Carlos y yo** vivimos con **nuestra** abuela.

## Su and sus

- **Su** and **sus** can take the place of a phrase with **de + person**.

¿De dónde es la madre **de Juan**? **Su** madre es de Puebla.