Intensive and Reflexive Pronouns Worksheet

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- 1. Define reflexive pronouns and provide three examples.
- 2. Define intensive pronouns and provide three examples.
- 3. Identify the reflexive and intensive pronouns in the following sentences:
 - (a) She taught herself how to play the guitar.
 - (b) I baked the cake myself.
 - (c) They blamed themselves for the mistake.
 - (d) He himself wrote the entire book.
 - (e) We decorated the hall ourselves.
- 4. Fill in the blanks with appropriate reflexive or intensive pronouns:
 - (a) The cat cleaned _____ after its meal.
 - (b) You should trust _____ to make the right decision.
 - (c) The president _____ announced the new policy.

- (d) They cooked dinner all by _____.
- (e) I challenged _____ to solve the puzzle.
- 5. Rewrite the following sentences to include intensive pronouns:
 - (a) Sarah completed the project.
 - (b) We built the treehouse.
 - (c) John repaired the car.
- 6. Explain the difference between reflexive and intensive pronouns with examples.
- 7. Correct the errors in the following sentences:
 - (a) Myself went to the store.
 - (b) He blamed hisself for the mistake.
 - (c) They enjoyed the movie by theirselves.
- 8. Create five sentences of your own using reflexive and intensive pronouns.

Solutions: Intensive and Reflexive Pronouns Worksheet

- Reflexive pronouns are pronouns that refer back to the subject of the sentence. Examples: myself, herself, themselves.
- 2. Intensive pronouns are used for emphasis and do not change the meaning of the sentence. Examples: myself, herself, themselves.
- 3. Answers for identifying pronouns:
 - (a) Reflexive: herself
 - (b) Intensive: myself
 - (c) Reflexive: themselves
 - (d) Intensive: himself
 - (e) Reflexive: ourselves
- 4. Fill in the blanks:
 - (a) itself
 - (b) yourself
 - (c) himself
 - (d) themselves

- (e) myself
- 5. Rewritten sentences:
 - (a) Sarah herself completed the project.
 - (b) We ourselves built the treehouse.
 - (c) John himself repaired the car.
- Reflexive pronouns refer back to the subject, while intensive pronouns are used for emphasis. For example:
 - Reflexive: She helped herself.
 - Intensive: She herself completed the task.
- 7. Corrected sentences:
 - (a) I went to the store.
 - (b) He blamed himself for the mistake.
 - (c) They enjoyed the movie by themselves.
- 8. (Answers will vary.)