Direct Object Pronouns Notes

- two questions to ask: *Who*? *What*?
- Examples:
  - I call my mom. *Who* do I call? "my mom" in English, I could rewrite this or restate this to say, "I call her."
  - For the party, Bob brings chocolate chip cookies. *What* does Bob bring? He brings "chocolate chip cookies." We could restate this to say, "Bob brings them."
- direct objects are not always in every sentence.
- Example: The students study every night for the final exam.
- Direct Object Pronouns REPLACE the direct object, don't leave it in the sentence
- PRONOUNS, GO BEFORE THE CONJUGATED VERB

PRONOUNS CHART

yo me	nosotros/as nos
tú te	*vosotros/as os
Uds., lo, él, la ella	Uds., los, ellos, las ellas

subject pronouns in black
direct object pronouns in red

- verb phrase, two words, two ways

Example: Luisa va a comprar una planta en la tienda de Menards.

Practice:

What direct object pronoun would you use to replace the direct object?

1. The customs' inspector inspects the suitcase.

2. The travel agency helps you plan your trip.

3. José confirms the reservation with the travel agent.

4. We buy a round trip ticket when we travel.

5. Our family takes a trip to Puerto Rico.

6. The child makes the bed every morning.

7. You (inf/s) see the beautiful countryside.

8. The students play cards in class.

9. Luisa sings songs at the train station.

10. Carmen y Eduardo need a double room.