

## Replace with Demonstratives Answer Key

### Sample Substitutions

1. I like the cake. **This** tastes sweet.
2. The shoes are by the door. **Those** are muddy.
3. I hear a strange sound. **That** is getting louder.
4. The books are on the shelf. **These** belong to me.
5. We climbed a mountain. **That** was very tall.
6. The cookies are on the plate. **These** smell delicious.
7. I remember our trip. **That** was amazing.
8. The pictures are hanging on the wall. **Those** are very old.

### Teacher Notes/Guide

- **Why this works:** Substitution prevents repetition and shows how pronouns function in real communication.
- **Tip:** Emphasize *this/these* = near; *that/those* = far (in space or time).
- **Scaffolding idea:** Underline the repeated noun first, then replace it with the correct demonstrative pronoun.
- **Extension:** Ask students to expand their sentences with more details after substituting the pronoun (e.g., "**These** smell delicious and are still warm.").