

**ourselves**[avə'selvz] *pron*A *refl*

1) себя, себе, собой, -сь, -ся (о 1-м л. мн. ч.)

it's no good worrying ourselves about that - нет смысла беспокоиться /волноваться/ об этом

we shall only harm ourselves - мы только повредим себе

2) себя, себе, собой (о 1-м л. мн. ч.)

we considered ourselves to be perfect strangers there - мы считали себя там совершенно чужими

for ourselves we want little - для себя нам нужно немного

we put ourselves a question ... - мы задали себе вопрос ...

we must not deceive ourselves - мы не должны себя обманывать

we should seldom speak of ourselves - о себе не следует много говорить

give us a moment to ourselves - дайте нам немного побыть одним

nobody likes it but ourselves - никому, кроме нас (самих), это не нравится

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сами (о 1-м л. мн. ч.)

let us do it ourselves - давайте сделаем это сами

we ourselves have often done the same thing - мы сами часто делали то же

it was good for the others, if not for ourselves - если и не для нас самих, то для других это было хорошо

to be ourselves - быть самим собой

to come to ourselves - прийти в себя

we were not ourselves for some time - некоторое время мы не могли прийти в себя

(all) by ourselves - а) без посторонней помощи, самостоятельно; we have done it all by ourselves - мы это сделали сами; б) одни,

в одиночестве

come in, we're all by ourselves - входите, мы одни

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1. the reflexive form of we; used when you and another person or other people together cause and are affected by an action

• We shouldn't blame ourselves for what happened.

• Let's just relax and enjoy ourselves.

• We'd like to see it for ourselves.

2. used to emphasize we or us; sometimes used instead of these words

• We've often thought of going there ourselves.

• The only people there were ourselves.

Idiom: ↑by ourselves**ourselves**

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**our-selves** **S1 W3** /avə'selvz \$ avr-/ *BrE* *AmE* *pronoun*

1. used by the person speaking to show that they and one or more other people are affected by their own action:

" We prepared ourselves for the long journey ahead.

" It was strange seeing ourselves on television.

2.

a) used to emphasize 'we' or 'us':

" We built the house ourselves.

" As parents ourselves, we understand the problem

b) used after 'as', 'like', or 'except' instead of 'us':

" More help is needed for people like ourselves.

3. **(all) by ourselves**

a) alone:

" We weren't supposed to play by ourselves near the pond.

b) without help from anyone else:

" I knew that Tim and I wouldn't be able to do the whole job by ourselves.

4. **(all) to ourselves** without having to share something with any other people:

" We had the house to ourselves.

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