

Note - Write these in you English Grammar book only with the respective date.

1 NOUNS Grammar

Nouns are naming words.
They tell us the names of persons, things, places and animals.

Here are names of some persons.

teacher

mother

driver

doctor

Here are names of some things.

bicycle

telephone

carrot

tree

Here are names of some places.

school

park

post office

bedroom

Here are names of some animals.

dog

lion

peacock

duck

All these naming words are nouns.

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PRACTICE

A Look at the following pictures and say what the persons, things, places and animals shown in them are called.

Aeroplane

Cake

Apple

Cat

Star

Book Shop

Temple

Hen

Bus Stop

Singer

Boy

Elephant

Clouds

Zebra

Nurse

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B Circle the names of persons, things, places and animals in the Word Search Box as per the pictures given below. One has been done for you.

H.W!

F	O	C	C	Z	C	Y	A	Q	F
H	C	A	S	Z	H	H	Q	H	V
Y	S	P	S	G	Q	C	P	S	X
K	R	F	A	S	X	O	U	A	I
I	H	A	V	N	H	W	F	O	L
T	P	O	S	T	M	A	N	O	A
C	F	R	A	Q	I	J	T	H	E
H	C	B	A	N	A	N	A	U	G
E	N	U	R	S	E	C	A	T	Q
N	X	X	L	O	C	K	Y	B	G

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C Look at the picture and tick in the list below the names of persons, things, places and animals you see in the picture.

1. scooter

2. bicycle

3. car

4. horse

5. footpath

6. doctor

7. girl

8. bus

9. telephone

10. bookshop

11. river

12. dog

13. cat

14. fish

15. school

16. donkey

17. postman

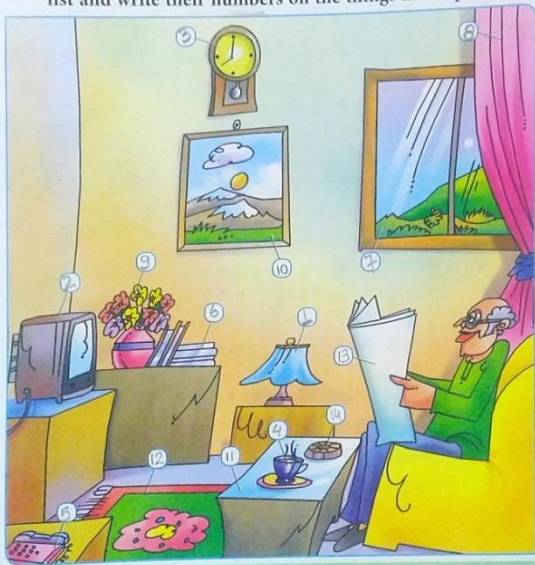
18. bank

19. train

20. park

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D Look at the picture. Pick out the names of things from the list and write their numbers on the things in the picture.



Names of things in the picture

1. table-lamp	2. television	3. clock
4. cup	5. telephone	6. books
7. window	8. curtain	9. flowers
10. picture	11. table	12. carpet
13. newspaper	14. ash-tray	

2 PROPER NOUNS

P Proper nouns are special names of people, things, places and animals.

Here are some examples.

1. **Jasbir** is a boy.
2. **Rita** is a girl.
3. **Delhi** is the name of a city.
4. **Snowy** is my pet.
5. **Yamuna** is the name of a river.



The words in bold are **special names**. For example, **Jasbir** is a special name of a boy and **Rita** is a special name of a girl. These special names are called **Proper Nouns**.

We begin a proper noun with a capital letter. We do not begin a common noun with a capital letter.

PRACTICE

A Write at least three special names (proper nouns) for the following naming words (nouns). *H.W.*

Naming words (nouns)	Special names (proper nouns)
1. friends	
2. family members	
3. teachers	
4. famous people	<i>Indira Gandhi,</i>
5. buildings	<i>Taj Mahal,</i>

B Circle the special names.

school	<u>Nehru House</u>	bookshop
principal	tiger	<u>Miss Rama Rao</u>
<u>Netaji Hospital</u>	Gateway of India	<u>Rakesh</u>
hospital	<u>Indian Book Depot</u>	<u>Appu Ghar</u>
peacock	<u>Ranjit</u>	<u>Red Fort</u>

C Underline the proper nouns in the following sentences.

1. My uncle works in Indian Bank.
2. Dr. Gupta is our neighbour.
3. Rajesh is my best friend.
4. Mr. Rao is our class teacher.
5. Bully is my pet dog.

D Fill in the blanks with proper nouns. *H.W.*

1. My name is _____.
2. My father's name is _____.
3. I study in _____ School.
4. I live in _____.
5. My favourite subject is _____.
6. My teacher's name is _____.
7. My pet's name is _____.
8. My favourite game is _____.