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☀️ What is a Noun? ☀️

A noun is a word that names a person, a place, or a thing.

👉 If you can see it, touch it, visit it, or name it – it's probably a noun!

🧑 ♀ 1. Common Nouns

Common nouns are general names for people, places, or things. They do not start with a capital letter (unless at the start of a sentence).

Examples: The **girl** played with her **dog** at the **park**.

🏙️ 2. Proper Nouns

Proper nouns are the special names of people, places, or things. They always start with a capital letter.

Examples: **Liam** went to **Melbourne** on **Sunday**.

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3. Plural Nouns

Plural nouns are nouns that mean more than one. We usually add -s, -es, or change the word to make it plural.

Example: The **dogs** barked at the **buses** full of **children**.

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Activity 1: Noun Detective – What's Missing?



Read the sentences and add a noun where the blank is:

1. I packed my _____ for school.
2. The _____ barked loudly.
3. We went to the _____ on the weekend.
4. Mum baked a yummy _____.
5. The _____ jumped over the fence.

Challenge: Use at least one proper noun!

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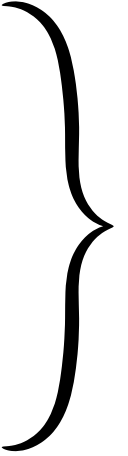
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Activity 2: Noun Safari

Circle all the nouns you can find in the sentence below.

Sentence:

The playful puppy ran across the grass to chase a red ball
near the tree.



 How many nouns did you find? _____



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Activity 3: Name Game - Proper or Common?

1. Colour the common nouns in blue and the proper nouns in red.

- apple
- Sydney
- cat
- Emma
- school
- Mrs Brown
- river
- Monday

2. Circle your favourite proper noun!

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Activity 4: Add the Ending!

  Write the plural of each word by adding -s, -es, or -ies:

1. apple → _____

2. fox → _____

3. lady → _____

4. chair → _____

5. bus → _____

 Hint: Think about the ending sounds!

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Activity 5: Silly Sentence Builder



Use a plural noun in each silly sentence:

- I saw five _____ jumping on the bed.
- The _____ were flying through the sky!
- Mum baked two dozen _____ for the party.
- We brought our _____ to the zoo.
- The _____ danced in the rain.

Name: _____

Date: _____

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Activity 6: Something Fun!

Colour the picture below



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Activity 1- Noun Detective – What’s Missing? (Sample Answers)

1. I packed my **bag** for school.
2. The **dog** barked loudly.
3. We went to the **zoo** on the weekend.
4. Mum baked a yummy **cake**.
5. The **kangaroo** jumped over the fence.



Challenge Answer (with at least one proper noun)

Let's swap one or two to include proper nouns:

1. I packed my **lunchbox** for school.
2. The **Labrador** barked loudly.
3. We went to **Taronga Zoo** on the weekend.  (Proper noun)
4. Mum baked a yummy **chocolate cake**.
5. The **dog** jumped over the fence.

Activity 2: – Noun Safari!

The playful puppy ran across the grass to chase a red ball near the tree.



How many nouns did you find? 4

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Activity 3: - Name Game - Proper or Common? Answers

 Colour the common nouns in blue and the proper nouns in red.

- apple, cat, school, river
- Sydney, Emma, Mrs Brown, Monday

Activity 4:- Add the Ending! - Answers

1. apple → apples  *(add -s)
2. fox → foxes  *(add -es)
3. lady → ladies  *(change -y to -ies)
4. chair → chairs  *(add -s)
5. bus → buses  *(add -es)

Activity 5: - Silly Sentence Builder - Sample Answers

1. I saw five monkeys jumping on the bed.
2. The balloons were flying through the sky!
3. Mum baked two dozen cupcakes for the party.
4. We brought our cameras to the zoo.
5. The penguins danced in the rain.

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