



Common and Proper Nouns

Name: _____

Date: _____

Grade: Grade 2

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park

Central Park

month

January

Common Noun

Proper Noun

Part B: Fill in the Blank

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2. The name "January" is a proper noun because it names one special _____.
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4. Names of people, pets, and places are _____ nouns.
5. The words "boy" and "girl" are _____ nouns.

Part C: True or False?

Read each statement. Circle True or False.

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