



# Common and Proper Nouns

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

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Grade: Grade 2

## Part A: Multiple Choice

Circle the best answer for each question.

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- B) chair, spoon, window
- C) Tuesday, Sunday, Friday
- D) Ohio, Texas, Maine

2. Which sentence has a capitalization mistake?

- A) We visited Aunt Rosa last week.
- B) The family went to disney World.
- C) My brother reads every night.
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3. The word "mountain" is a common noun. Which of these is a proper noun?

- A) the tall mountain
- B) Mountains
- C) Mount Rushmore
- D) a rocky mountain

4. Which pair shows a common noun and its matching proper noun?

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- B) planet — Mars
- C) cold — warm
- D) tall — taller

## Part B: Fill in the Blank

Write the correct answer on each line.

1. "Disney World" is a proper noun, but "park" alone is a \_\_\_\_\_ noun.
2. The proper noun for the common noun "planet" could be \_\_\_\_\_.
3. When writing the name of a holiday, the first letter must be \_\_\_\_\_.
4. The word "Nile" is a proper noun that names a specific \_\_\_\_\_.
5. Proper nouns for months include June, August, and \_\_\_\_\_.

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