

Proper Noun and Common Noun

Proper Nouns

Some nouns belong to a group called proper nouns. A proper noun is the name of a **particular person, place or thing**.

'Particular' meaning something which is unique (only one of its kind).

Example of proper nouns:

- The names of people are proper nouns because they are unique and individual names of people.
- The names of countries and cities because they own a unique name for their nation or land.

Proper nouns always begin with capital letters.

Example: God, Aнна, Egypt, Earth, Martin Luther King, British Museum.

Q. Underline the proper nouns in the following sentences and write them in the spaces provided.

- a. Jessica went to the museum on Monday. _____
- b. The Earth rotates around the Sun. _____
- c. They visited both Brazil and Peru. _____
- d. Tony and the Americans went out to eat. _____
- e. Christmas falls during December. _____
- f. Theodore Roosevelt was a Russian. _____
- g. I went to see the Eiffel Tower in Paris. _____
- h. Japan is located near the Pacific Ocean. _____
- i. The French meal was prepared by Anna. _____

Plurals: Common Nouns

Some nouns can be changed into a plural by adding an 'es' at the end of the word.

Example: mango --- mangoes

Q. Write the plurals of the following nouns in the spaces provided.

singular

plural

a. potato

b. echo

c. hero

d. buffalo

singular

plural

e. bench

f. class

g. fox

h. splash
