

Girls' High School & College, Prayagraj.

Worksheet No.-4

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Class 4 A-F

Subject-English Language

Topic: Chapter-Noun

Instruction-Parents please ensure that the child reads and understands the chapter and then attempts the exercises given below.

A Noun is the name of a person, animal, place or thing. It is a naming word.

KINDS OF NOUNS:

1. Proper Noun : Proper nouns are names of particular people or places. They always begin with a capital letter.

e.g. Shivani went to Agra to see the Taj Mahal.

*A Proper Noun begins with a capital letter.

e.g. Geeta, Sameer, Ashok.

*If a Proper Noun consists of two or more than two names, each word takes capital letter.

eg. Jama Masjid, Red Fort, Ashok Gupta.

*We never use 'the' before names of people.

eg. The Sachin lives in Mumbai.(Incorrect)

eg. Sachin lives in Mumbai.(correct)

2. Common Noun: A Noun that gives a common name to people, places, animals or things of the same kind is called a Common Noun.

e.g. dancer, painter, chef, police, doctor, officer,

astronaut are common names for people.

e.g. shop , park, school, restaurant, market ,beach,

railway station are common names for places.

e.g. lion, tiger, monkey, cows, peacock are common names for animals.

e.g. books, pen, train, computer, basket, egg are common names for things.

3. Collective Noun: A Collective Noun is the name given to a group of people, animals ,place or things.

e.g. a bunch of grapes, a pack of wolves.

4. Material Noun: A Material Noun is the name given to the matter or substance of which things are made.

eg. Ornaments are made of gold.

*Material Nouns are not generally used in the plural number.

*The Articles a or an, is not used before a Material Noun.

5. Abstract Noun: An Abstract Noun is the name of a quality, state, feeling or idea that we cannot see, hear, taste or touch, but which we can only think of.

Some Abstract Nouns are childhood, modesty, love, courage, rudeness, beauty, health, pride, innocence, joy, pain, freedom, coward, anger, fear.

EXERCISE 1

Underline the Common Nouns and encircle the Proper Nouns in these sentences:

1. Sunday is the first day of the week.

2. Maneesh is sitting on the bench.

3. Nile is the longest river in the world.

4. Rahul is my brother. He is a doctor.

5. December is the last month of the year.

EXERCISE 2

Write Common Nouns for these groups of Proper Nouns.

e.g. Ron, Som, Karan, Mahesh, Amit-boys

1. Bhopal, Kanpur, Jhansi, Lucknow.

2. India, Nepal, Russia, Sri Lanka.

3. Nehru, Gandhi, Sonia, Indira.

4. January, December, July, August.

5. Monday, Tuesday, Friday, Sunday

EXERCISE 3

Complete the following:

1. A _____ of grapes.

2. A _____ of bees.

3. A _____ of robbers.

4. A _____ of singers.

5. A _____ of chicks.

EXERCISE 4

Complete the sentences given below by choosing the right word from the brackets.

1. Tyres are made of _____ (rubber / leather / plastic)

2. Bricks are made of _____ (clay / rubber / glass)

3. Books are made of _____ (paper / cloth / nylon)

4. Sweets are made of _____ (salt / sugar / pumpkin)

5. Blankets are made of _____ (cotton / wool / leather)

EXERCISE 5

Circle the Abstract Noun in these sentences.

1. She was in great despair when she lost her wallet.
2. The soldiers displayed their bravery on the battlefield.
3. Laughter is the best medicine.
4. There was great happiness in the crowd when the team won the match.
5. He spoke with great enthusiasm.

EXERCISE 6

Pick out the Nouns in the following sentences and write its kind.

1. This table is made of wood.
2. An elephant is known for its strength.
3. Thomas Alva Edison was born in America.
4. The snake disappeared in the darkness.
5. Copper is used for making coins.

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