

Common Nouns and Proper Nouns

Common nouns identify people, places or things.

Proper nouns identify **specific** people, places or things. They begin with a capital letter.

1. Write a proper noun to match each common noun. Be sure to use a capital!

Common Noun	Proper Noun
month	<u>April</u>
soft drink	_____
video game	_____
school	_____
weekday	_____
friend	_____
cartoon	_____
girl	_____
pet	_____
store	_____
movie	_____

2. The proper nouns in the following sentences are missing capital letters. Circle the words that should have capitals.

- a. My friend and I walked to pizza hut.
- b. My cousin called her new puppy bingo.
- c. In class, mrs taylor is teaching us about france.
- d. The new boy in the class is named john.