

Compound Nouns

1. Underline the common nouns in the sentences below.

A. At the pool, I put on my costume and put my clothes in a locker.

B. When we got to the cinema, we joined the queue to buy tickets to see the film.

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4. Write a sentence using the word below as a proper noun. Write another sentence using the word as a common noun.

street

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2. Tick the correct noun type.

Noun	Common	Proper
A. park		
B. Saturday		
C. zoo		
D. London		

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5. Is the underlined noun in the sentence below a common noun or a proper noun?

Bath is a lovely place to visit in the summer.

Explain how you know.

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3. Circle any words that should have capital letters in the sentences below.

A. jessica got a new puppy on thursday and she called him max.

B. i am going to a party on sunday and it is in leeds.

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6. Dakota says,



The capital letters in the sentence below are correct.

We will meet our new teacher on Monday and he is called Mr Baker.

Do you agree with Dakota? Explain your answer.

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1. A. pool, costume, clothes, locker; B. cinema, queue, tickets, film
2. A. common; B. proper; C. common; D. proper
3. A. Jessica, Thursday, Max; B. I, Sunday, Leeds
4. Various answers, for example: We live on Rawson Street. I saw a lot of litter when I walked down the street.
5. In this sentence, 'Bath' is a proper noun. You can tell from the sentence that is the name of a specific place.
6. I agree with Dakota. 'We' has a capital letter because it is at the beginning of the sentence. The words 'Monday' and 'Mr Baker' are both proper nouns so must begin with a capital letter.