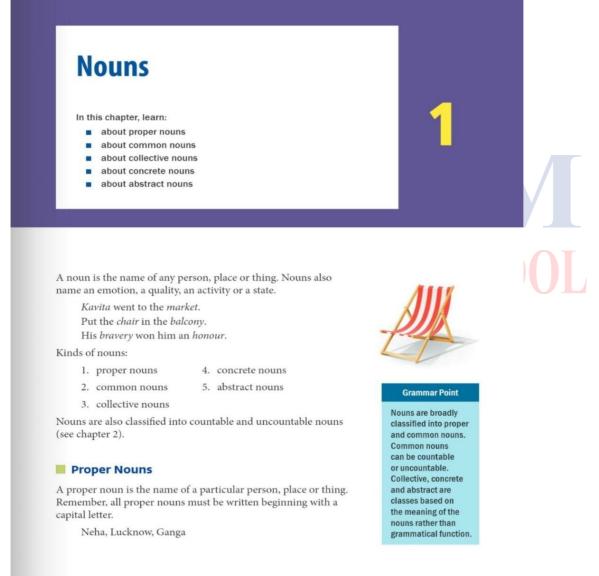


CLASS – VII

English

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On the basis of content covered previously in videos of **Chapter 'Noun'** uploaded on **elearning platform** of **Optimum International School** and after going through the chapter thoroughly of your textbook given below attempt all the exercises (A,B,C,D and E) in your notebook neatly.



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NOUNS

Common Nouns

A common noun is the name given to every person or thing of the same kind. For example, the word *man* can be used for any man. It is a name common to all men.

Neha is a *girl*. Mr Gupta is a *painter*. The *books* are on the *table*.

EXERCISE >

Underline the nouns and write whether they are proper nouns or common nouns.

- 1. Sheela took the dog for a walk.
- 2. The crowd gathered to watch the match.
- 3. There are twenty apples in the basket.
- 4. The Ganga is considered to be a holy river by Hindus.
- 5. Karan loves to eat cake.
- 6. These pearls have a beautiful lustre.
- 7. I met the owner of America's popular brand Coach.
- 8. She is planning a big party in December.
- 9. Riya bought those shoes for me from Paris.
- 10. We will vote Zoya as the president of our school's literary club.

Collective Nouns

To speak of a collection or a number of persons or things as a whole or as one group, we use a collective noun.

a *bundle* of sticks

a herd of cows

Our team won the match.

The crew looks after passengers during a flight.

The words *bundle*, *herd*, *team* and *crew* are examples of collective nouns, and refer to a collection of people, animals or things.





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	Mato	ch the collective nouns i	n column A with the objects t	hey refer to in column B.
-		Column A	Column B	
	1.	album	cards	
1	2.	bunch	sheep, birds	6000
	3.	crew	grapes, keys	At the state of the
	4.	flock	photographs	
	5.	pack	cattle	
	6.	pride	sailors	
	7.	herd	pearls	
	8.	shoal	bees	
	9.	grove	fish	
	10.	set	drawers	
	11.	string	trees	
	12.	chest	rooms	
	13.	swarm	tools	
	14.	library	lions	
	15.	suite	books	

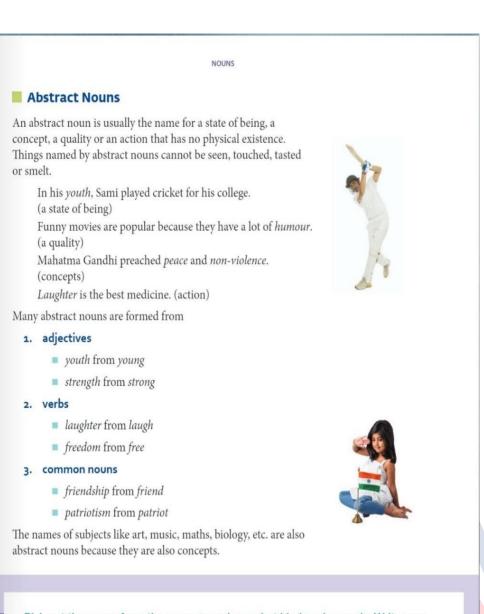
Concrete Nouns

A noun referring to things that can be perceived or experienced through any of our five senses – which means that it can be seen, touched or felt, tasted, smelt or heard – is called a concrete noun.

Raman ate an *apple*. The *dog* swam in the *water*. Put some *sugar* in the *tea*.

In the sentences above, *Raman, apple, dog, water, sugar* and *tea* are all concrete nouns. Thus, concrete nouns can be common, proper or collective nouns.





EXERCISE **O**

Pick out the nouns from the passage and say what kind each noun is. Write your answers in the box below.

Akbar was a famous king. He was known for his intelligence and honesty. He was also very sincere. His favourite courtier was Birbal, who was well known in the court for his wit and humour. Troupes of artists visited Akbar's court in Agra, and there was a lot of merriment and laughter.



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Fill in the	blanks with the	correct abstract	noun from the o	nes given in th	e box		
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8. Curtai	ins give us	from th	ne outside world.	ť)		
9. A judg	ge has to ensure			2	<i>w</i>		
10. He wa	as able to win the tu	ig of war because	he had	·			
Make ab	stract nouns from	the following v	vords				
			 6. strong 7. appoint 				
			9. noble				
			10. slave				
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