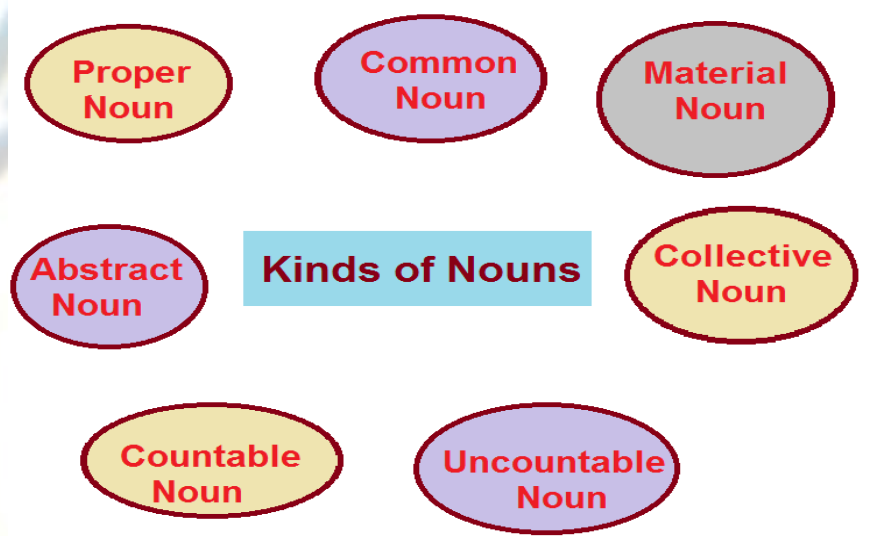




GRADE - 7 ENGLISH (GRAMMAR GEAR)

CHAPTER 1.NOUNS

Noun: Words that refer to a person, an animal, a place, a thing, an idea, a feeling or a state are called nouns.



A. WRITE THESE NOUNS AGAINST THE CORRECT CATEGORY.

1. **Common nouns** – Aircraft, Building, Rose, Bottle, Painter, Student
2. **Proper Nouns** – English, Monday, Mumbai, Godavari, Mahesh.
3. **Abstract Nouns** – Wealth, Bravery, Voice, Kindness, Truth.
4. **Collective Nouns** – Audience, Family, Bunch, Flock, Bouquet.

B. WRITE C FOR COUNTABLE AND UC FOR UNCOUNTABLE NOUNS.

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| 1. Requests- C | 2. Electricity- UC | 3. Music- UC |
| 4. Advice-UC | 5. Exercises- C | 6. Sand- UC |
| 7. Traffic- UC | 8. Heat- UC | 9. Time- UC |
| 10. Program- C | 11. Childhood- UC | 12. Answer- C |

C. REWRITE THESE SENTENCES USING THE PLURAL FORM OF THE NOUNS IN EACH SENTENCE. YOU MAY NEED TO MAKE CHANGES TO THE VERB TOO.

1. The engineer drove the car out of the garage for testing.
The **engineers** drove the **cars** out of the **garages** for testing.
2. A battery in the series has not been connected properly.
Batteries in the series **have** not been connected properly.
3. A student brought a loaf of bread for the class party.
The **students** brought **loaves** of bread for the class **parties**.

4. The train halts at this station for a short time only.
The **trains** halt at **these stations** for a short time only.
5. The library in the university is very well stocked.
The **libraries** in the **universities** are very well stocked.
6. The person was amazed by the trick of the magician.
The **people** were amazed by the **tricks** of the **magicians**.
7. A choir sang along with the teacher at the piano.
The **choirs** sang along with the **teachers** at the **pianos**.
8. The Indian team is very good at one-day match.
The Indian **teams** are very good at one-day **matches**.
9. The employee was introduced to the senior in the group company.
The **employees** were introduced to the **seniors** in the group **companies**.
10. A mosquito buzzed in my ear as we sat watching the video.
The **mosquitoes** buzzed in my **ears** as we sat watching the **videos**.

D. REWRITE THESE SENTENCES USING THE POSSESSIVE FORM OF NOUNS.

1. She is the mother of Gauri.
Ans. She is Gauri's mother.
2. This is the story of Nelson Mandela.
Ans. This is Nelson Mandela's story.
3. What are the names of the singers?
Ans. What are the singers' names?
4. The crops of the farmers were destroyed in the floods.
Ans. The farmers' crops destroyed in the floods.
5. Uncle Mukesh is designing the room of the kids.
Ans. Uncle Mukesh is designing the kids' room.
6. Please do not disturb the nests of the birds in the tree.
Ans. Please do not disturb the birds' nests in the tree.
7. Let me see the results of this year.
Ans. Let me see this year's results.
8. I am quoting this from the novel of Dickens'.
Ans. I am quoting this from the Dickens' novel.
9. The horns of the deer are called antlers.
Ans. The deer's horns are called antlers.
10. She is replying to the email of her sister.
Ans. She is replying to her sister's email.
11. We are going to attend the performance of the sister of my friends.
Ans. We are going to attend my friend's sister's performance.

12. Could you guide me to the house of the brother of Mr.Nathan?

Ans. **Could you guide me to Mr.Nathan's brother's house.**

E. REWRITE THESE SENTENCES BY CHANGING THE GENDER OF THE NOUNS DENOTING PEOPLE AND ANIMALS.

1. My grandfather took my baby **sister** to the mall in a perambulator.

Ans. My grandmother took my baby **brother** to the mall in a perambulator.

2. The **bride** on the **horse** is my **sister –in-law**.

Ans. The **groom** on the **mare** is my **brother-in-law**.

3. The **king** asked his **men** to decorate the court.

Ans. The **queen** asked her **women** to decorate the court.

4. My **nephew** had fun chasing the big red **hen** on our farm.

Ans. My **niece** had fun chasing the big red **rooster** on our farm.

5. I once mistook the **mare** for a **horse**.

Ans. I once mistook the **stallion** for a **male**.

6. The **hostess** took good care of **her** guests.

Ans. The **host** took good care of **his** guests.

7. We saw a **tiger** feeding on a **deer** carcass during the morning safari.

Ans. We saw a **tigress** feeding on a **doe** carcass during the morning safari.

8. The old **widow** sat watching the **peacocks** in the garden.

Ans. The old **widower** sat watching the **peahens** in the garden.

9. The **actress** played the role of a **waitress** in the movie.

Ans. The **actor** played the role of a **waiter** in the movie.

10. Mehek's **stepmother** is a generous **woman**.

Ans. Mehek's **stepfather** is a generous **man**.

F. WRITE FROM THE BOX THE NEUTRAL FORM OF THESE NOUNS IN PRACTICE THESE DAYS.

1. Policeman- Police officer
2. Deliveryman- Courier
3. Chairman- Chairperson
4. Headmaster- Principal
5. Businessman- Business person
6. Housewife- Homemaker
7. Craftsman- Artisan
8. Mankind- Humanity
9. Mother tongue- Native language
- 10 Master- Expert