



# SARALA BIRLA PUBLIC SCHOOL

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Sub: English



## ASSIGNMENT-1

### CHAPTER 1 – Common Nouns, Proper Nouns and Regular Plurals

- **What are Nouns?**

Nouns are naming words. They name persons, places, animals or things.

#### Types of Nouns:

\*Proper Noun

\*Common Noun

\*Collective Noun

\*Abstract Noun

In the present chapter we will understand about Common Nouns and Proper Nouns.

**Common Noun:** We use common nouns to refer to places, persons, animals or things in general. Common nouns always begin with small letter. E.g.

Place – park, market, road.

People – uncle, brother, friend.

Animal – dog, tiger, pigeon.

Thing – chair, car, bottle.

**Proper Noun:** We use Proper noun to refer to particular names of persons, places, animals or things. Proper Nouns always begin with capital letter. E.g.

Place – **Ranchi** is a big city.

Person – My friend's name is **Jayanti**.

Animal - My puppy's name is **Pluto**.

Proper Nouns include the names of famous buildings, oceans, countries, continents, rivers, mountains, planets, islands etc.

E.g. –

- The **Taj Mahal** is made of white marble.
- My father's shop is on **M. G. Road**.
- **Mount Everest** is the highest peak of the world.

- My friend lives in **Maharashtra**.
- **Venus** is the hottest planet.

**Note: On the basis of your understanding, solve the following exercises in your English assignment notebook (4 lined, 44pages).**

### Exercise –A

**Q.** Underline the **proper nouns** and circle the **common nouns** in these sentences.

1. He speaks Tamil at home.
2. The Indian Ocean is very big.
3. Sarla is a dancer.
4. Miss Pushpa is my class teacher.
5. Australia is a large island.
6. The River Nile flows through Egypt.
7. The mango is the national fruit of India.
8. Jupiter is a planet.

### Exercise –B

**Q.** Underline the **proper nouns**. Write the correct **common nouns** for these proper nouns. The first question has been done for you

	<b>Common Nouns</b>
1. <u>Rita</u> is tall and thin.	_____girl_____
2. Navin wants to go to Europe.	_____
3. We can swim in the Ganges.	_____
4. Delhi is very crowded.	_____
5. Manoj needs a haircut.	_____
6. The Taj Mahal is beautiful.	_____

**Note : To be done in English assignment copy. (44 pages)**