

ENGLISH GRAMMAR

Assignments

CED - 151

International College of Bible Theology

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NOUNS

Date _____

Concrete or Abstract?

Directions:

Each set contains a concrete noun and an abstract noun. In the space provided, write C if the noun is concrete and A if the noun is abstract.

A.

1. _____ drum

2. _____ love

B.

1. _____ happiness

2. _____ plant

C.

1. _____ fun

2. _____ bread

D.

1. _____ time

2. _____ basket

E.

1. _____ sand

2. _____ joy

F.

1. _____ tongue

2. _____ freedom

G.

1. _____ hope

2. _____ fan

H.

1. _____ bear

2. _____ fear

I.

1. _____ Courage

2. _____ cream

J.

1. _____ applesauce

2. _____ kindness

K.

1. _____ air

2. _____ faith

L.

1. _____ friendship

2. _____ raft

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Common and Proper

Directions: Write a proper noun for each common noun.

A.

1. common noun: state

2. proper noun: _____

B.

1. common noun: country

2. proper noun: _____

C.

1. common noun: lake

2. proper noun: _____

D.

1. common noun: mountain

2. proper noun: _____

E.

1. common noun: day

2. proper noun: _____

F.

1. common noun: month

2. proper noun: _____

G.

1. common noun: town

2. proper noun: _____

H.

1. common noun: Street

2. proper noun: _____

I.

1. common noun: holiday

2. proper noun: _____

J.

1. common noun: river

2. proper noun: _____

K.

1. common noun: school

2. proper noun: _____

L.

1. common noun: hospital

2. proper noun: _____

M.

1. common noun: store

2. proper noun: _____

N.

1. common noun: church

2. proper noun: _____

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Determiners

Classification of Determiners:

1. Articles: a, an, the
2. Demonstratives: this, that, those, these
3. Numbers: Example: fifty people
4. Possessive pronouns: my, his, her, your, its, our, their, whose
5. Possessive nouns: Example: Joyce's car
6. Indefinites: some, few, many, several, no, any

Directions: A determiner appears in boldfaced print. Find the noun that it determines. Write both the determiner and the noun on the line.

Example: Is your toe broken? **your** toe

1. Kim's tricycle is red. _____
2. Her aunt arrived today. _____
3. Where is the fan? _____
4. Five puppies were born. _____
5. Many tourists come here. _____
6. He bought an umbrella. _____
7. Please hand me that knife. _____
8. This day has been fun. _____
9. Grandpa's back hurts. _____
10. I took my temperature. _____
11. Several hikers rested. _____
12. We ate three pies. _____
13. Is your watch new? _____
14. These stones are smooth. _____

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Directions: Write each determiner and noun together. Separate each one with a comma.

Example: The cat, its paw

1. The tree is beside a stream. _____
2. This machine gives no change. _____
3. Does your grandmother live on an island? _____
4. Some people hunt in those woods. _____
5. Their friend lives five houses away. _____
6. Several ducklings waddled after their mother. _____
7. Susan's hair is below her waist. _____
8. Whose cap was left on the porch? _____
9. Marilyn's son washes his car in an hour. _____
10. Few cheerleaders stayed for a meeting. _____
11. Place these bananas in Ted's sack. _____
12. That baby has her first tooth. _____
13. Many campers prefer a shady spot. _____
14. Is Laura's gerbil in its cage? _____
15. A cobbler repaired four shoes. _____

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Plurals

Directions: Write the plural form in the space provided.

Remember: A. You may use the rules found on pages 64-66.

B. You may use a dictionary.

1. bill - _____

2. yo-yo - _____

3. mouse - _____

4. horse - _____

5. key- _____

6. ruby- _____

7. paw- _____

8. tooth- _____

9. wife- _____

10. child- _____

11. blueberry- _____

12. wish- _____

13. man- _____

14. pinch - _____

15. class- _____

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1. day- _____

2. fly- _____

3. reef - _____

4. fez - _____

5. foot - _____

6. monkey- _____

7. sheep - _____

8. dish - _____

9. sister-in law - _____

10. scratch - _____

11. tree - _____

12. half - _____

13. mix - _____

14. cartoon - _____

15. tomato - _____

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Noun Review

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A. Definition:

Directions: Fill in the blanks.

A noun names a _____, _____, _____, or _____
_____.

B. Concrete and Abstract Nouns:

Directions: Write C if the noun is concrete; write A if the noun is abstract.

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|------------------|--------------------|----------------|
| 1. _____ Parrot | 5. _____ Gravy | 9. _____ Air |
| 2. _____ Honesty | 6. _____ Salt | 10. _____ Tile |
| 3. _____ Truth | 7. _____ Love | 11. _____ Joy |
| 4. _____ Tar | 8. _____ Happiness | 12. _____ Log |

C. Common and Proper Nouns:

Directions: Write C if the noun is common; write P if the noun is proper.

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|----------------------|------------------------|----------------|
| 1. _____ Brian | 5. _____ Ocean | 9. _____ Soap |
| 2. _____ Computer | 6. _____ Motel | 10. _____ Utah |
| 3. _____ Atlanta | 7. _____ Mexico | 11. _____ Cow |
| 4. _____ Skunk Creek | 8. _____ Bartlett Lake | 12. _____ Bird |

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D. Noun Determiners:

Directions: Fill in the blank.

1. The three articles that are noun determiners are _____, _____, and _____.

2. The four demonstrative determiners are _____, _____, _____,

and _____.

3. Write an example of a number used as a determiner.

4. The possessive pronouns that can serve as determiners are _____

5. Write an example of a possessive noun used as a determiner.

6. Write three examples of indefinites that can serve as determiners:

E. Noun Identification:

Directions: Write down any nouns in each sentence.

1. His company is in an air park. _____

2. Gary's sister has two puppies. _____

3. Several trees line that street. _____

4. Does their niece go to a university? _____

5. Your hot dog is burned in the middle. _____

6. These pants were three dollars at a yard sale. _____

7. Many fashions were shown during the show in Dallas. _____