

## Year 2 English activities Week 8 beginning 1.6.2020

As well as these you can also do the Week 8 daily activities in Purple Mash

These are the suggested activities for each day of the week. If your child prefers to complete the activities on different days, that is also completely fine.

<u>Monday 1<sup>st</sup> June</u>	<u>Challenge activities</u>				
<p><b>Reading:</b> Read a book for 15 minutes to somebody in your home. Retell the story in your own words. Make sure you remember the main points from the story.</p> <p>Continue listening to our class audio book: Kid Normal by Greg James and Chris Smith. Or choose another audible book from audible stories. <a href="https://stories.audible.com/start-listen">https://stories.audible.com/start-listen</a></p>	<p>Draw the following table into your workbook, complete the table about the book you are reading.</p> <table border="1"> <tr> <td>Name of book</td><td>Characters in book</td></tr> <tr> <td>Surprises in the story</td><td>New words from the book</td></tr> </table> <p><b>Read:</b> Chapter two 'The Great Escape'. Can you answer the discussion questions? <a href="https://www.roythezebra.com/guided-reading-story.html">https://www.roythezebra.com/guided-reading-story.html</a></p>	Name of book	Characters in book	Surprises in the story	New words from the book
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<u>Tuesday 2<sup>nd</sup> June</u>	<u>Challenge activities</u>
<p><b>Spelling:</b> <u>Homophones</u> <b>new / knew</b></p> <p>Copy the sentences into your workbook and write the correct homophone in the missing space.</p> <p>I _____ all the right answers. I bought a brand _____ t - shirt.</p> <p>Can you write 3 more sentences of your own?</p>	<p>Click on the link: <a href="https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zqhpk2p/articles/zc84cwx">https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zqhpk2p/articles/zc84cwx</a></p> <p>Watch the clip on homophones and complete the quiz and activities on homophones.</p> <p>On purple mash, type 'new and knew' into the search box. Complete the homophone activity. Remember to save your work on purple mash for your teacher to see.</p>

**Wednesday 3<sup>rd</sup> June**

**Grammar:**

**Nouns**

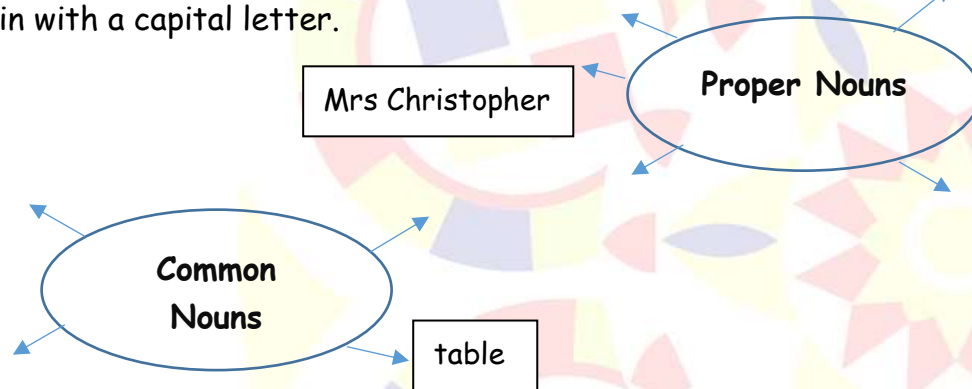
**The two types of nouns**

**Common nouns**

These are the names of things (objects).

**Proper nouns**

These are the names of a particular person, place or thing. They always begin with a capital letter.



Draw the mind maps in your books and write some common nouns and proper nouns. Can you write 5 sentences to include the nouns?

**Challenge activities**

Click on the link:

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zrqqtfr/articles/zpd8ng8>

Watch the clip about nouns and complete the quiz and activity on nouns.

A **compound noun** contains two or more words that join together to make a single noun, like **key**board or **police**man.

Log into purple mash. Search for 'compound nouns' and play the matching game.

Remember to save your work for your teacher to see.

# Thursday and Friday Writing Task

4<sup>th</sup> - 5<sup>th</sup> June

Task	How to do it	Optional further ideas
<p><b><u>Write a letter</u></b></p> <p>Write a letter to your teacher with suggestions about what you'd like to do when we return to school.</p> <p><b><u>Include the following features:</u></b>            Your address at the top            Date (at the top)            Dear ....            First person (I, me, my)            Introduction (I am writing to you because...)            Ask a question            Conclusion (what you would like to happen next)            Yours Faithfully / Yours Sincerely            Signed with name</p>	<p>Watch this clip, a story called 'The Letter' by N.D. Byma  <a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=6HAoeuwDt6M">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=6HAoeuwDt6M</a></p> <p>Write a letter to your teacher with suggestions about what you'd like to do when we return to school.</p> <p><b><u>Think about:</u></b>            What you'd like to learn            Trips you'd like to go on            Games you'd like to play            How we should organise the classrooms            Include a question for your teacher            Include any other suggestions</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b><u>Tips</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Organise your letter into three main points. Remember to explain 'why' you want to do these things when you return to school.</li> <li>• Extend your sentences with conjunctions (and, but, because).</li> <li>• Remember to include adjectives to make your writing more detailed.</li> </ul>	<p>Publish your letter on J2E5 and save your letter for your teacher to read.</p> <p>Once you've published your letter, you could put it into an envelope and send it to your teacher at Sparkenhoe School. Don't forget to use a stamp!</p> <p>School Address:</p> <p>Sparkenhoe Primary School,            Saxby Street,            Leicester,            LE2 0TD</p>