

# 15. Common Nouns



- A. Look at the picture. Complete the list below by naming another seven things in the picture.**

ball                      cloud                      umbrella                      .....

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The above words are common nouns.

- B. Add two of your own common nouns to complete each list.**

cow	mango	plate	hat	bed
dog	peach	jug	jersey	couch
pig	banana	spoon	vest	cupboard
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- C. Complete each sentence with suitable common nouns.**

- We saw ..... and ..... on the Mpande's farm.
- He likes ..... and she likes .....
- He put the ..... and ..... in a .....
- I prefer ..... to .....
- My ..... is on the .....
- I bought a ..... and he bought a .....

**D. Sort the following common nouns into groups under the headings.**

shampoo kettle handbasin fridge bed stove pillow bath  
toothpaste clothes sheet cutlery crockery shower blanket

Kitchen	Bathroom	Bedroom
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**E. Name five common nouns associated with each heading.**

The farm	The sea	The city
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**F. Write down nine common nouns of what you see around you.**

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**I spy with my little**



In a group, one person starts by selecting something they can see (e.g. desk) and says 'I spy with my little eye something beginning with d'. The others in the group then have to guess the common noun (desk). The person who guesses correctly then has a turn to select a common noun.