

## Capitalization: Common Nouns and Proper Nouns

### Video Notes

**Part A.** Fill in the table.

Type	What is it?	DO or DO NOT capitalize? Why?	Examples (3)
Common Noun			
Proper Noun			

**Part B. Examples.** Write examples of common and proper nouns.

Common Noun	Proper Noun
president	President George Washington

**Part C. Common Mistakes to Avoid.** Write the rules and examples.

Rules	Example Sentence(s)
#1	
#2	
#3	
#4	
#5	
#6	
#7	

**Part D. Questions.** Choose the correct answer.

1. Go east/East to South Carolina. Later, you'll reach the northern/Northern routes.
2. Are you taking calculus/Calculus this year? Is it calculus/Calculus I or II?
3. Hi, gramma/Gramma how are you feeling? Our minister/Minister said that you're tired.
4. That happened in winter/Winter during the great depression/Great Depression in the USA.
5. My colleague got a master's/Master's degree in economics/Economics at UCLA.
6. My European history professor/History Professor acts like he's from the planet mars/Mars.
7. At the department/Department of motor vehicles/Motor Vehicles take your written exam.
8. How high are the Himalayan mountains/Himalayan mountains/Himalayan Mountains?
9. She is the vice president/Vice President of a large international credit union/Credit Union.
10. Do you have your social security/Social Security number or your passport/Passport?