

Year 6 English: Mastering Nouns and Verbs with Max and Pip

Learning objective: To identify and classify different types of nouns and understand the function of verbs within a sentence.

Read the front of each flashcard to test your knowledge. Flip to see if your answer matches the definition provided.

What is a Common Noun?

A general name for a person, place, or thing, such as 'monkey' or 'caterpillar'.

What is a Proper Noun?

A specific name for a unique person, place, or organisation, which always starts with a capital letter, like 'Max' or 'London'.

What is an Abstract Noun?

A noun that refers to an idea, quality, or state rather than a concrete object, such as 'happiness' or 'bravery'.

What is a Collective Noun?

A noun used to describe a group of people, animals, or things, such as a 'swarm' of bees or a 'team' of explorers.

What is a Dynamic Verb?

A verb that describes an action, process, or change, such as 'run', 'jump', or 'calculate'.

What is a Stative Verb?

A verb that describes a state of being, thoughts, or emotions rather than physical action, such as 'know', 'believe', or 'love'.

What is a Modal Verb?

A type of auxiliary verb that expresses necessity or possibility, such as 'might', 'must', 'could', or 'should'.

Identify the noun and verb in this sentence: Max solved the puzzle.

Noun: Max (Proper) and puzzle (Common); Verb: solved (Dynamic).

Identify the abstract noun in this sentence: Pip felt great excitement when reading.

The abstract noun is 'excitement'.

Identify the stative verb in this sentence: I understand the maths problem perfectly.

The stative verb is 'understand'.

Is 'book' a common or proper noun?

It is a common noun because it refers to a general object.

Which word in this sentence is a modal verb: We could visit the library today?

The modal verb is 'could'.