

## Proper Nouns vs. Common Nouns

**\*Proper Nouns** are special names. They always start with a Capital Letter!

|                | Common Noun    | Proper Noun            |
|----------------|----------------|------------------------|
| Name           | boy, girl, dog | Owen, Zona             |
| Day & Month    | day, month     | Monday, August         |
| City & Country | city, country  | Taipei, Taiwan         |
| Holiday        | holiday        | Christmas, Halloween   |
| Place & Street | park, street   | Hyde Park, Main Street |
| Mountain       | mountain       | Mount Jade, Mount Fuji |

**Part A: Read the sentence and circle the proper noun.**

1. They want to travel to France next summer.
2. We live in a tall building on Queen Street.
3. My favorite holiday is Chinese New Year.
4. Is Dr. Lee your new neighbor?
5. Can you see Yushan National Park from here?



**Part B: Circle the common noun.**

| 1.           | 2.                | 3.              | 4.                 |
|--------------|-------------------|-----------------|--------------------|
| [ A ] Tokyo  | [ A ] street      | [ A ] Canada    | [ A ] holiday      |
| [ B ] Paris  | [ B ] King Street | [ B ] school    | [ B ] Thanksgiving |
| [ C ] London | [ C ] Park Road   | [ C ] Australia | [ C ] Easter       |
| [ D ] city   | [ D ] Broadway    | [ D ] Germany   | [ D ] Christmas    |