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## Common and Proper Nouns

Nouns can tell us **who**, **what**, and **where** in a sentence.

Some nouns are **common nouns**. They name general people, places, and things.



I saw a boy walking his dog yesterday at the park.



That was my friend, Tyler. He and Ozzy go for walks every Friday at Pleasant Park.

**Proper nouns** name specific people, places, and things and start with a capital letter.

Cut out common and proper nouns from a newspaper or magazine and glue them into the proper column in the table below. Then write some of your own.

<u>Common Nouns</u>	<u>Proper Nouns</u>