



LITERACY WORKSHEET

Common Nouns & Proper Nouns

Directions: Sort the words in the box below into **common** or **proper nouns** by writing or cutting and pasting them in the correct heading in the table

Hint:

A **common noun** is a person, animal, place or thing. The words mouse, cup or fish are all common nouns.

Proper nouns are names given to specific people or places. They always begin with a capital letter. The words Canada, Elizabeth or Montreal are all proper nouns.

Common Nouns	Proper Nouns

bottle

phone

Nemaska

glasses

Beth

Emily

snow

camp

Mistissini

Whapmagoostui

Ottawa

goose

Toronto

Ronald

Gary

chair

book

mountain

Chisasibi

snowshoes

computer

Peter

Bessie

gun

