

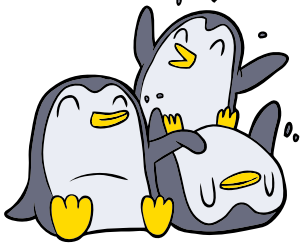
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Noun

Common noun: A common noun names any person, place, animal or thing.

Proper noun: A proper noun is the name of specific person, place, animal or thing. It begins with capital letter.

Circle all the common nouns and underline proper nouns you find in the passage below.



Four Happy Penguins



Molly stops at a gas station to fill up.

A man who works there sees four penguins in the back seat and asks, "Why do you have four penguins in your car?"

Molly says, "I stopped at a red light and they climbed in! What should I do with them?"

The man thinks for a second and says, "Maybe you should take them to the zoo." "That's a good idea. I'll do that," says Molly.

A few days later Molly returns to the gas station. The man sees the same four penguins in the car. But now they're wearing sunglasses! "What's going on?" asks the man. "I thought you were taking those penguins to the zoo."

"I did take them to the zoo!" answered Molly. "We had such a great time, that today I thought I'd take them to the beach!"