

Year 2
Nouns: Session 1

Noun Hunters

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Challenge: can you exchange the nouns for something else?

Alphabet Races

Create a simple grid like the one below. Set a timer to 5-10 minutes. And create as many nouns as possible.

Challenge: Can you beat your score or can you change the category.

Alphabet	Girl's names	Boy's name	Fruit and Veg
A	Alice	Ali	Avocado
B	Beyonce	Bill	Banana
C	Carly	Clive	Cucumber
D	Danni	Duane	Dates
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Vary answers.

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