

**Year 2**  
**Nouns: Session 2**

**Cloze Game**

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Change the nouns so that the text makes sense.

As the banana chugged through the beans, she stared out of the cucumber. Tiny strawberries lay on the tomatoes and, in the melon, lemons eat the meadow. A potato ran beside the lettuce, trailing its way to the radish. As she looked out of the cucumber, she noticed the dark pineapple drifting in the sky.

**Remember to check through your work to make sure it is clear.**

**‘Dead common’ or ‘Nice and proper?’**

Sort these words into two groups:

dog	Richard	cow
Leeds	cat	chair
December	frost	egg
Wednesday	donut	dust
Wilmslow	sand	Thames
flea	Asda	Sainsburys

**What are your groups? Explain your reasoning.**

Think about : What sorts of words in sentences have capital letters and why.

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**Possible Answers:**

As the **train** chugged through the **valleys**, she stared out of the **window**. Tiny **houses** lay on the **hillsides** and, in the **distance**, **sheep** eat the meadow. A **river** ran beside the **train**, trailing its way to the **sea**. As she looked out of the **cucumber**, she noticed the dark **cloud** drifting in the sky.

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Common	Proper Nouns
Dog	Richard
cow	Leeds
cat	December
chair	Wednesday
frost	Wilmslow
egg	Thames
donut	Asda
dust	Sainsburys
sand	
flea	

**Answers Vary:**

**Proper nouns are always a capital letter because a particular person, place, or thing.**