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We value your feedback and recommendations.



What This Module is About

Hello, learner!

It's time to learn new insights with the help of this module. This module is especially made for you.

This material is self- instructional. The activities are designed for you to work independently at the convenience of your homes.

With this module you will learn about concrete and abstract nouns.

Have an enjoyable learning experience!



What I Need to Know

You have learned that nouns are names of persons, places, things, animals, and ideas. Now, it is time for you to learn more about nouns.

After finishing this module, you are expected to:

- 1. identify concrete and abstract nouns; and
- 2. use concrete and abstract nouns in sentences.

How to Learn from this Module

For you to achieve the objectives cited above, you are to do the following:

- Take your time reading the lessons carefully.
- Follow the directions and/or instructions in the activities and exercises diligently.
- Answer all the given tests and exercises.

Icons of this Module

| | What I Need to Know | This part contains learning objectives that are set for you to learn as you go along the module. |
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| | What I Know | This is an assessment as to your level of knowledge to the subject matter at hand, meant specifically to gauge prior related knowledge. |
| | What's In | This part connects previous lessons with that of what you are going to learn. |
| | What's New | An introduction of the new lesson through various activities, before it will be presented to you. |
| | What is It | These are discussions of the activities as a way to deepen your discovery and understanding of the concept. |
| | What's More | These are follow-up activities that are intended for you to practice further in order to master the competencies. |
| | What I Have Learned | Activities designed to process what you have learned from the lesson |
| | What I Can Do | These are tasks designed to showcase your skills and knowledge gained, and applied into real-life concerns and situations. |
| | Post Assessment | This assessment evaluates your level of mastery in achieving the learning objectives. |
| 00 | More Activities | These are additional activities designed to increase the level of your skills and knowledge. |



What I Know

Direction: Read and regroup the words in the box to complete the table below.

| love | guitar | cake | obedience |
|------|--------|-------|-----------|
| book | pencil | faith | anger |

| Things you can see and touch | Things you cannot see and touch |
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Lesson

Concrete and Abstract Nouns

In this lesson, you will learn more about nouns. You will know how to classify nouns that you can see and/or touch and nouns which you cannot. The given exercises and activities are carefully chosen to motivate your interest in learning about concrete and abstract nouns.



What's In

Direction: Read the sentences below and underline the nouns.

- 1. She was awarded for her honesty.
- 2. The dog likes to run.
- 3. His mother rewarded him for his obedience.
- 4. Elly is dancing.
- 5. Margie likes to sing.

Now, classify the underlined words according to the table below.

| Can be seen and touched | Cannot be seen and touched | |
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Read the words below.

| peace | cake |
|-------|-------|
| dog | beach |
| fear | anger |

What are these words?
Which words can be seen, heard, smelled and tasted?
Which words can be felt?



What is It

The words above are nouns. The words dog, beach, and cake are nouns that you can see, hear, smell, touch and taste. We call these nouns, **Concrete Nouns**. Other examples of concrete nouns are: stone, water, seashore, tomato, pillows.

On the other hand, the nouns peace, fear, and anger are examples of **Abstract Nouns**. Abstract nouns refer to traits, virtues and/or feelings. They cannot be seen, heard, smelled, or tasted. Other examples of abstract nouns are: joy, happiness, obedience.



Activity 1: Write $\underline{\mathbf{C}}$ on the space provided if the word is a concrete noun and $\underline{\mathbf{A}}$ if it is an abstract noun.

_____1. trust _____2. pizza _____3. mirror _____4. loyalty 5. bread

Activity 2 <u>Underline</u> the concrete nouns and <u>encircle</u> the abstract nouns in the sentences.

- 1. James is filled with so much joy.
- 2. My great grandmother has great beauty.
- 3. Karla had a happy day.
- 4. Eliezer won a medal because of his bravery.
- 5. Dalie's humility makes her more attractive.



| What is a concrete noun? Give an example. |
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| What is an abstract noun? Give an example. |

Now, look around you. List down five (5) concrete and five (5) abstract nouns.

| CONCRETE NOUNS | ABSTRACT NOUNS | | |
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For this activity you need to get your coloring materials. The words below are words usually seen and felt at home. Color the concrete nouns **blue** and the abstract nouns **red**.

CONCRETE AND ABSTRACT NOUNS

| curtain | glass | care |
|---------|------------|-------|
| love | television | soap |
| chair | peace | table |
| joy | bed | faith |
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Post Assessment

Direction: Decide whether each of the following nouns is concrete or abstract. Identify each one by writing \underline{CN} for concrete nouns and \underline{AN} for abstract noun.

| 1. kindness |
|--------------|
| 2. door |
| 3. sadness |
| 4. rain |
| 5. greed |
| 6. hair |
| 7. honesty |
| 8. gratitude |
| 9. blanket |
| 10. spoon |



Additional Activities

| Direction: Identify whether the Write your answer on the space | | |
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| 1. Education | | |
| 2. Window | | |
| 3. Piano | | |
| 4. Intelligence | | |
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