

Name Word Hunt

Students identify plural nouns and match common nouns to proper nouns.

1.11.D.iii "singular, plural, common, and proper nouns;"

NAME _____

DATE _____

Teacher: this page is run aloud. The script and answers are on the guide page.

1 CIRCLE MORE _____

a	cats	cat	cap
b	hen	hens	pen
c	bus	bug	buses

2 MATCH NAMES _____

girl	•	•	June
city	•	•	Mia
month	•	•	Dallas

HOW TO RUN THIS PAGE

Read each row and choice aloud, then have students circle the word that names more than one. Next, read the two columns aloud and have students connect each common noun to its special name, or proper noun.

Students never read directions on this sheet. Read each part's script aloud, then each prompt, giving think time before students mark.

PART 1 • CIRCLE MORE

SAY “Look at the words in each row. I will read the words, then ask you to circle the word that names more than one.”

ROW	SAY	STUDENTS CIRCLE
a	Listen: cats, cat, cap. Which word names more than one? Circle it.	cats
b	Listen: hen, hens, pen. Which word names more than one? Circle it.	hens
c	Listen: bus, bug, buses. Which word names more than one? Circle it.	buses

PART 2 • MATCH NAMES

SAY “A common noun names any person, place, or thing. A proper noun is a special name that begins with a capital letter. Can you draw a line from each word on the left to the name that fits it?”

- **girl** matches **Mia**
- **city** matches **Dallas**
- **month** matches **June**

WHAT TO ACCEPT

Circle cats, hens, and buses. Match girl to Mia, city to Dallas, and month to June.