

Literacy with Dylan- Sentences



New Directions: Personal and Social Development, Maximising Independence





One of the boxes is full of **nouns**Other is full of **verbs**.

Please label the boxes on the lines below. One will be labelled **nouns** (person place or thing) and the other will be labelled **verbs** (which is an action word).

ocean, street, pebble, planet, football

run, jump, think, wander, pray, eat.



Please label these boxes either

common noun (any name or a noun with a name, always capitalized) or **proper noun** (anything without a name).

Buckingham Palace, Carty's Construction, Centra, Elvis Presley, Sean Connery mouse, human, sky, hamburger, tractor, sunshine, rock, mountain

Simple Sentences

The simplest of sentences have one noun and one verb. The most basic of sentences have a **noun**, which is the *subject* of the sentence, and **verb**.

Examples of simple sentences include the following:

Joe waited.

"Joe" = (noun) subject, "waited" = verb

Trains go.

"Trains" = (noun) subject, "go" = verb



I looked.

"I" = (noun) subject, "looked" = verb

There are many sentences you can complete with just a **noun** a **verb.** Try now to complete the sentences below.

The first two are missing a **verb**, the second two are missing a **noun**. Fill in the missing blank. Pause the video, while you complete the sentences.

Cars	
Airplanes	
sing.	
boom.	
The pronoun is a word that <i>stands in</i> for a noun . Words like <i>he</i> , <i>she</i> , <i>they</i> , <i>his</i> , <i>hers</i> , and <i>it</i> , all stand in place of a noun.	
Lets try a couple examples of pronouns in simple sentences.	
She runs.	
He sleeps.	
They travel.	



It stopped.

If you look at the **pronouns** in bold, you can see how they stand in for other nouns. See if you can re-write the simple sentences using a **pronoun** instead of the **noun** given. Make sure you write in your *full-stop*. For example:

Terry fishes.	He fishes.
Pause the video now and con	nplete the last exercise.
Cindy drives.	
The Bus is broken-down.	
Marthy and Meg leave.	