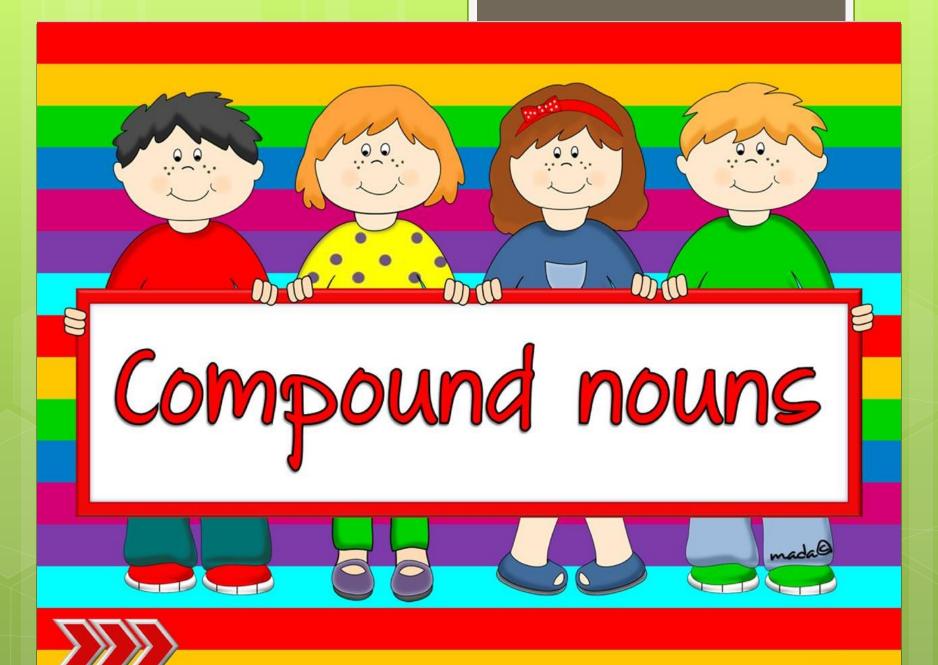


Video Lesson 1

Grade 7 English

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Compound Nouns

What is a compound noun?

2 or more words used together as a single noun

Parts can be written as:

- One word
- Separate words
- Hyphenated words

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Compound Nouns

A compound noun is a single noun made up of two or more words







sea

food = seafood

with spaces

ice cream

swimming pool

bus stop

living room

without spaces

classmate

greenhouse

grasshopper

lifespan

with hyphens

mother-in-law

dry-cleaning

self-confidence

merry-go-round

Examples

One word:

- oFilmmaker oFootsteps Videocassette
 - Grasshopper

Separate words:

- Compact disc
- Police officer
- **o**Barak Obama
- oHill Middle School
- OHarry Potter and the Sorcerer's Stone

Hyphenated words:

- oSelf-esteem
- Great-grandmother
- Fund-raiser
- Sister-in-law

MAKE A

- oNoun + Noun
 Bed room , water tank
- Adjective + NounBlack board , Hot water
- o Verb + Noun
 Swimming pool ,washing machine
- oPreposition + Noun
 Up coming, indoor

- oNoun + Verb rainfall, haircut
- Noun + prepositionlove in
- oAdjective + Verbdry cleaning, public speaking
- oPreposition + Verb input ,out put

Compound Words

Match a word in the first column with a word in the second column to make a compound word.

grand plane

air case

hand ball

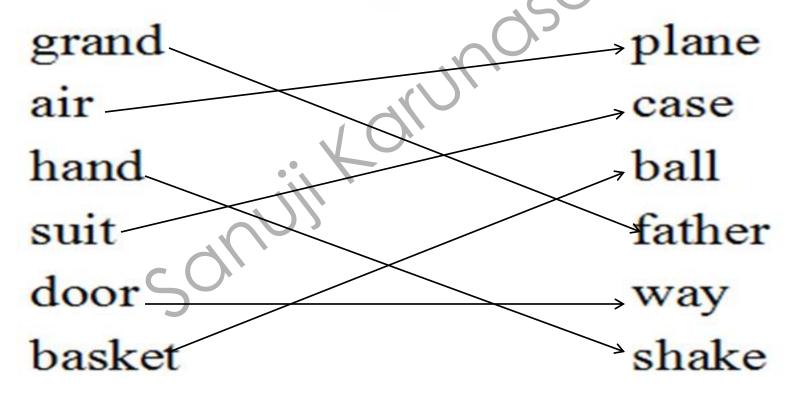
suit father

door

basket shake

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Activity 1

Match a word in A with a word in B to make a new compound noun. Then fill in the blanks in the sentences below the table with a compound noun formed in Activity 8 (A).

(A)

A	В
a. railway	() park
b. traffic	() way
c. book	() station
d. bus	() port
e. rush	() stop
f. air	() shop
g. children's	() light
h. high	() hour

Activity 2

(B)

- Stop the bicycle! The ______ is red!
- 2. We waited at the ______for an hour before the bus arrived.
- 3. 7.00 a.m. to 8.00 a.m. is a _____ and the road is full of traffic.
- 4. The _____ was very big. There were trains arriving and departing all the time.
- 5. "No, I didn't borrow this book from the library. I bought it at a

Activity 9

Put the two smaller words together to make a compound word.

- 1. sun + shine
- 2. camp + fire =
- 3. back + pack =
- 4. address+ book =
- 5. sun + flower =
- 6. check + in = 7. ready + made = 7.
- 8. table + tennis =

- 9. butter + fly =
- 10. some + thing =
- 11. pepper + mint =
- 12. foot + prints =
- 13. water + melon =
- 14. dinner + table =
- 15. well + known =

