

# Homework/Extension

## Step 1: Capital Letters

### National Curriculum Objectives:

English Year 1: (1G5.1) [Using a capital letter for names of people, places, the days of the week, and the personal pronoun 'I'](#)

English Year 1: (1G5.1) [Capital letters for names and for the personal pronoun I](#)

Learning how to use both familiar and new punctuation correctly (see English appendix 2) including:

- (2G5.1) [capital letters](#)

### Differentiation:

Questions 1, 4 and 7 (Varied Fluency)

**Developing** Identify and correct one word from each sentence which should have a capital letter. Recognising capital letters at the start of a sentence or proper nouns.

**Expected** Identify and correct two words from each sentence which should have a capital letter. Recognising capital letters at the start of sentences, proper nouns or the personal pronoun 'I'.

**Greater Depth** Identify and correct three words from each sentence which should have a capital letter. Recognising capital letters at the start of sentences, proper nouns or the personal pronoun 'I' within complex sentences.

Questions 2, 5 and 8 (Varied Fluency)

**Developing** Choose the correct word to complete the sentences using knowledge of capital letters at the start of sentences or for proper nouns. One word to identify per sentence.

**Expected** Choose the correct word to complete the sentences using knowledge of capital letters at the start of sentences or for proper nouns. Two words to identify per sentence.

**Greater Depth** Choose the correct word to complete the sentences using knowledge of capital letters at the start of sentences or for proper nouns in complex sentences. Three words to identify per sentence.

Questions 3, 6 and 9 (Application and Reasoning)

**Developing** Explain whether words needing capital letters have been correctly identified using knowledge of capital letters at the start of sentences or for proper nouns. One mistake to identify.

**Expected** Explain whether words needing capital letters have been correctly identified using knowledge of capital letters at the start of sentences or for proper nouns. Two mistakes to identify.

**Greater Depth** Explain whether words needing capital letters have been correctly identified using knowledge of capital letters at the start of sentences or for proper nouns in complex sentences. Three mistakes to identify.

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1. Write and correct one word from each sentence below which should have a capital letter.

a

in school we  
learn to read.

b

I have a friend  
called amy.



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2. Choose the correct word to complete each sentence below.

a  parrot says hello to me.

my

My

b I want a pet fish called .

Fred

fred



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3. Dylan was asked to underline all of the words that need a capital letter in the sentence below.



the old man was called  
stan.

Has he completed it correctly? Explain your answer.



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4. Write and correct two words from each sentence below which should have a capital letter.

a

the big, black  
dog called rex,  
jumped over the  
fence.

b

i like to go on  
holiday to france  
with my friend,  
Jo.



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5. Choose the correct words to complete each sentence below.

a

Tom wanted to play outside with his dog,  
called , but his  said no.

Bob

mum

bob

Mum

b

can be a hot country but sometimes  
it rains when  visit.

Spain

i

spain

I



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6. Trudy was asked to underline all of the words that are missing a capital letter in the sentence below.



on Monday, simon and  
his dog, jake played  
with a ball on the field. It  
was a busy day.

Has she completed it correctly? Explain your answer.



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7. Write and correct three words from each sentence below which should have a capital letter.

a

because he was going on holiday to france, tim felt excited.

b

although sam had a dog called tom, he wanted a cat to call Sally.



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8. Choose the correct words to complete each sentence below.

a

had to go and see  Jenkins, she did not go to the shops.

As

sue

mr

as

Sue

Mr

b

Sometimes  wish that , my brother, would be more kind towards .

i

simon

Me

I

Simon

me

c

flowers grow well in  because they like  sunshine.

the

summer

The

The

Summer

the



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9. Fran was asked to underline all of the words that are missing a capital letter in the sentences below.



my best friend is called Fiona. she lives on appleby street in London.

Has she completed it correctly? Explain your answer.



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### Developing

1. a – In; b – Amy
2. a – My; b – Fred
3. No. He has correctly underlined 'the' as it is at the start of the sentence, but he has missed 'stan' which should be underlined as it is a proper noun.

### Expected

4. a – The, Rex; b – I, France
5. a – Bob, mum; b – Spain, I
6. No. She has correctly underlined 'on' as it is at the start of the sentence but she has missed 'simon' and 'jake' which should both be underlined as they are proper nouns.

### Greater Depth

7. a – Because, France, Tim; b – Although, Sam, Tom
8. a – As, Sue, Mr; b – I, Simon, me; c – The, summer, the
9. No. She has correctly underlined 'my' and 'she' as they are at the start of a sentence. She has also correctly underlined 'appleby' as it is a proper noun, but she should have also underlined 'street' as this forms part of the proper noun. Also, London does not need to be underlined as it already has a capital letter.