Capitals & Full Stops



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Capital Letters



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When do you think we need to use capital letters??



Capital Letters

1. To begin a sentence:

We went to the pub last night.

2. The first letter of a person's name:

Carol is a tutor.

Chris is a warehouse worker.

3. When [I] is used as a word:

On the way to work I noticed that a window had been broken.

4. The first letter of names of: countries, towns, streets and landmarks:

Examples are: England, Spain, Bradford, Manchester, Parliament Street, Pendle Hill, The Thames Estuary.

5. The first letter of days and months:

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, February, March, July.

6. The first letter of special events and holidays, often with a religious context:

Easter, Whit, Christmas, Eid.

7. The first letter of titles of: books, films, newspapers and TV programmes.

The names of ships always take a capital letter.

The Faraway TreeThe Guardian, War and Peace, Coronation Street, Panorama, H.M.S Ark Royal.

Capital Letters

Capital letters are used for:	Examples	
Starting a sentence	The old man ran for the bus.	
Names of people	Pam, Mr. Smith, Dr. Singh	
Names of places	London, France, High Street	
Titles	Coronation Street, The Daily Mirror	
Abbreviations and postcodes	ITV, AA, NVQ, SP2 7DW	
Names of days and months	Monday, March	
Religions	Islam, Buddhism, Christianity	
'I' when it means me	Pam and I are best friends.	

Capitalization Rules

Use a capital letter for

- 1. the first word of every sentence
- 2. the word I
- 3. the names of people
- the names of streets, cities, states, and countries
- 5. the names of places
- the names of days, months, and holidays
- a person's initials
- the greeting and the closing of a letter

Now Do: Capitals Worksheets!



Next:

Full stops!



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PUNCTUATION: Full Stops And Sentences

Read the passage below:

Have you got a mobile phone? I think it's time I bought one. When they first came out, I thought they were a luxury. I've changed my mind now the kids are older. They can reach me in an emergency wherever I am. I can stop worrying about them so much when they're out. Perhaps I need to get them both one each, as well!

Point out the full stops. The full stops are used to show where the sentences end. How many sentences are there? There are _____ sentences in the passage.



True or False ?		True	False
1	Sentences can be short and simple.	✓	
2	Sentences always begin with a capital letter.	✓	
3	Sentences are always the same length.		✓
4	Sentences sometimes end with a question mark.	✓	
5	Sentences sometimes end with an exclamation mark.	✓	
6	Sentences sometimes end with a comma.		✓

Let's slow down for a second here.

We betterjust stop right now.



