

Lesson 27

Nouns

- A **noun** is a word that names a person, place, thing, or quality.
EXAMPLE: Nancy Fisher is my friend.

- **Circle the nouns in each sentence.**

1. Mariko Tanaka has worked here for years and is now a supervisor.
2. The triangular piece of land at the mouth of a river is called a delta.
3. Yousuf Karsh, a Canadian photographer, has photographed many celebrities.
4. Albert Einstein, the greatest scientist of our century, was born in Germany.
5. The greatest library of the ancient world was in Alexandria, Egypt.
6. Donovan Bailey, of Oakville, Ontario, is among the greatest athletes in the world.
7. Bryan Adams is the most successful Canadian rock star ever.
8. Marconi invented the wireless telegraph.
9. Do you watch the parades and football games on television on New Year's Day?
10. Terry Fox, a runner who lost a leg to cancer, ran 5342 kilometres across Canada.
11. The *Halifax Gazette* was the first newspaper in Canada.
12. The first wireless message was sent across the English Channel in the nineteenth century.
13. Chicoutimi is a city on the Saguenay River.
14. His seat is by the window.
15. Kuang likes his new car.
16. They have promised their children a trip to Canada's Wonderland.
17. Superb is a town in the province of Saskatchewan.
18. France grows more food than any other country in Western Europe.
19. Tania was excited about her new job.
20. Hailstones are frozen raindrops, but snowflakes are not.
21. The days are usually warm in the summer.
22. Many rivers were named by explorers.
23. Geoff built a carport to store his boat.
24. California is home to many movie stars.
25. William Caxton printed the first book in England.
26. Chris bought tomatoes, lettuce, and cherries at the market.
27. That building has offices, stores, and apartments.
28. Leticia drove to Pushthrough, Newfoundland, to see her friend.
29. The airport was closed for five hours due to a snowstorm.
30. My pen is almost out of ink.