

Nouns and Pronouns

Part A

Nouns are naming words like table, chair, girl. Proper nouns are nouns that are the names of people, places, days and months. Pronouns like me, she, her can replace nouns. Circle all the nouns (including proper nouns) and underline the pronouns. Two have been done for you.

The twins turned down the crown because they wanted to found their own city. The twins left their hometown in search of a place to build their perfect city. They eventually came to the place where Rome is located today. They both liked the general area, except they both wanted to build the city on a different hill. Romulus wanted the city to be on top of Palatine Hill while Remus preferred Aventine Hill.

Think of some nouns and write them in the table. Then in the next column, write the pronoun that would go with the noun. One has been done for you.

Noun	Pronoun
boy	he

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Part B

Nouns are naming words like table, chair, girl. Proper nouns are nouns that are the names of people, places, days and months. Pronouns like me, she, her can replace nouns. Too many nouns in a sentence can sound strange. Write out the text, replacing some of the nouns in these sentences with pronouns or other nouns.

Romulus and Remus agreed to wait for a sign before deciding which hill to build Romulus' and Remus' city on. Remus said Remus saw six vultures whereas Romulus said Romulus saw twelve vultures. Romulus and Remus both claimed Romulus and Remus had won. Romulus ignored Romulus' brother and started to build a wall on the hill Romulus preferred. Remus was jealous and began to make fun of Remus' brother. Romulus and Remus ended up getting into a fight.

Challenge Task

Write out the passage, replacing some of the pronouns with nouns:

He was furious that he had disagreed with him. After everything they had been through, they should be united, not fighting over where it should be. He grabbed his arm, swung back and punched him.

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Noun	Pronoun
boy	he
girl	she
man	he
chair	it

Part B

Romulus and Remus agreed to wait for a sign before deciding which hill to build **their** city on. Remus said **he** saw six vultures whereas Romulus said **he** saw twelve vultures. Romulus and Remus both claimed **they** had won. Romulus ignored **his** brother and started to build a wall on the hill he preferred. Remus was jealous and began to make fun of **his** brother. **They** ended up getting into a fight.

Challenge Task

Romulus was furious that Remus had disagreed with him. After everything they had been through, the brothers should be united, not fighting over where the city should be. Romulus grabbed Remus' arm, swung back and punched him.