

Exercise A

Complete the following by using the given collective nouns.

fleet crowd flock team flight choir cluster troop pack bunch

1. A troop of monkeys
2. A choir of singers
3. A cluster of stars
4. A pack of wolves
5. A bunch of keys
6. A fleet of ships
7. A flight of steps
8. A team of players
9. A crowd of people
10. A flock of sheep

Exercise B

Complete the following by writing the common noun for each.

geese puppies bird mountains sailors books sticks fish drawers tree

1. a pile of books
2. a chest of drawers
3. a range of mountains
4. a crew of sailors
5. a litter of puppies
6. a school of fish
7. a flock of birds
8. a gaggle of geese
9. a grove of trees
10. a bundle of sticks

Exercise C

Fill in the blanks with the correct abstract noun.

Rudeness loyalty beauty innocence bravery honesty pride modesty

1. A beautiful woman is known for her beauty.
2. A proud person has pride.
3. A brave soldier has bravery.
4. An honest person is proud of his honesty.
5. An innocent child has innocence.
6. A modest women has modesty
7. A loyal person is sought for his loyalty.
8. A rude person makes himself unpopular because of his rudeness.

Exercise D

If I possess the following abstract qualities, then who am I?

Abstract Noun	Adjective + noun
1. Majesty	a majestic person
2. Poverty	a poor person
3. Jealousy	a jealous person
4. Courtesy	a courteous person
5. Popularity	a popular person
6. Cruelty	a cruel person
7. Pride	a proud person
8. Happiness	a happy person
9. Kindness	a kind person
10. Boldness	a bold person