

LIFE/work balance

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#LIFEworkbalance

We have started a #LIFEworkbalance campaign and we need your help to complete our LIFE/work balance survey.

We hope to publish the results soon, so please give 15 minutes of your time to help us get a true picture of school life.

Want to be a part of this campaign? Take the [survey](#) on our website and share it with your colleagues!

Year 1 – Spring Block 3 – Capital Letters 2 – Capital Letters to Start Sentences 2

About This Resource:

This PowerPoint has been designed to support your teaching of this small step. It includes a starter activity and an example of each question from the Varied Fluency and Application and Reasoning resources also provided in this pack. You can choose to work through all examples provided or a selection of them depending on the needs of your class.

National Curriculum Objectives:

English Year 1: (1G5.1) [Introduction to capital letters to demarcate sentences](#)

English Year 1: (1G5.1) [Beginning to punctuate sentences using a capital letter](#)

English Year 1: (1G5.2) [Beginning to punctuate sentences using a full stop](#)

English Year 1: (1G5.2) [Introduction to full stops to demarcate sentences](#)

[More resources](#) from our Grammar, Punctuation and Spelling scheme of work.

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Notes and Guidance

- The steps from Autumn Block 2 covered identifying and punctuating sentences. This is a consolidation step which revisits the use of capital letters to start sentences.
- Children should be given sentences and practise writing them out with capital letters and full stops in the correct places, in addition to working on writing their own sentences which include the correct use of a capital letter. Children should also identify where capital letters and full stops are missing or incorrect.

Focused Questions

- Are the capital letter(s) and full stop(s) in the correct place(s)?
- Rewrite this sentence, adding a capital letter and a full stop in the correct place.
- Can you write a sentence using the words from the wordbank?

Step 1: Capital Letters to Start Sentences 2

Introduction

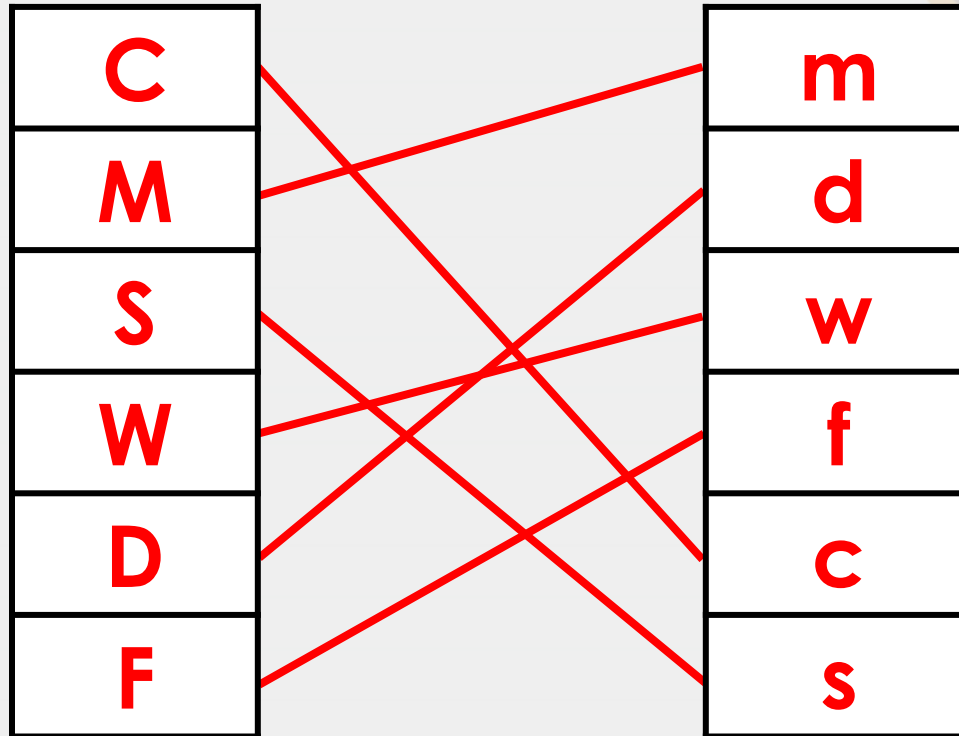
Match the capital letters to the lower case letters.

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Introduction

Match the capital letters to the lower case letters.



Varied Fluency 1

Circle the words which need a capital letter.

the cat chased after the mouse.

**my foot was too big for the sock so I threw
it away.**

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the cat chased after the mouse.

my foot was too big for the sock so I threw it away.

Varied Fluency 2

Correct the sentences below.

mum made a cake.

throw it over here and I will catch it.

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Mum made a cake.

Throw it over here and I will catch it.

Varied Fluency 3

Choose the best word to start each sentence.

soon

his

we

_____ it was time to go.

_____ won the match and I felt happy.

Remember to add the capital letter.

Varied Fluency 3

Choose the best word to start each sentence.

soon

his

we

Soon it was time to go.

We won the match and I felt happy.

Remember to add the capital letter.

Varied Fluency 4

Tick the correct sentence.

They like to play in the garden but I like to play in the park.

they like to play in the garden but I like to play in the park.

They Like To Play In The Garden But I Like To Play In The Park.

Varied Fluency 4

Tick the correct sentence.

They like to play in the garden but I like to play in the park. ✓

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They Like To Play In The Garden But I Like To Play In The Park.

Reasoning 1

Kara has written a sentence.

MY sister is one today.



The capital letters have been used correctly.

Do you agree? Explain why?

Reasoning 1

Kara has written a sentence.

MY sister is one today.



The capital letters have been used correctly.

Do you agree? Explain why?

No because...

Reasoning 1

Kara has written a sentence.

MY sister is one today.



The capital letters have been used correctly.

Do you agree? Explain why?

No because 'my' is the first word in the sentence. It needs a capital letter but only for the first letter 'm'. The 'y' does not need to be a capital.

Application 1

Order the words to make a sentence.

followed	the	ran	dog	outside	I	and	him
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Remember to use the correct punctuation.

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Remember to use the correct punctuation.

The dog ran outside and I followed him.

Application 2

Write a sentence about the picture using the word bank to help you.



batter

mixes

she

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Write a sentence about the picture using the word bank to help you.



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mixes

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She mixes the batter.

Various answers, for example: She mixes the batter.; She mixes the tasty batter.; She mixes the batter for the pancakes.