

Cornell Motes

Capitalization Rules for Special Names

Today's Standard

2.L.2a - Capitalize holidays, product names, and geographic names.

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| What are proper nouns? | Proper nouns are specific names of people, places, or things. |
| Why do we capitalize holidays? | Holidays are special days that are capitalized to show their importance. |
| Examples of product names | Product names like 'Coca-Cola' or 'Lego' are capitalized as they are brand names. |
| Geographic names to capitalize | Geographic names like 'Mount Everest' or 'Nile River' are capitalized because they are specific places. |

Summary

Proper nouns, including holidays, product names, and geographic names, are always capitalized to highlight their importance and specificity.