

Class - II

Subject - English Language

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Lesson - 2, Naming Words : Gender

In English Language notebook

Ex A Human Being

Masculine gender		Feminine gender	
1.	boy		girl
2.	man		woman
3.	nephew		niece
4.	hero		heroine
5.	prince		princess
6.	son		daughter
7.	father		mother
8.	husband		wife
9.	king		queen
10.	uncle		aunt
11.	his		her
12.	grandfather		grandmother

Ex B Animals

Masculine gender		Feminine gender	
1.	lion		lioness
2.	tiger		tigress
3.	peacock		peahen
4.	stallion		mare
5.	gander		goose
6.	fox		vixen

7	bull	cow
8	deer	doe
9	cock	hen
10	billy goat	nanny goat.

Ex C Rewrite the sentences after changing masculine to feminine gender

1. May I come in sir?

Ans. May I come in madam?

2. My nephew was riding a horse.

Ans. My niece was riding a mare.

3. The lion killed a fox and a deer.

Ans. The lioness killed a vixen and a doe.

4. The king was talking to his prince.

Ans. The queen was talking to his princess.

5. My grandfather has a bull.

Ans. My grandmother has a cow.



Practice

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A. Match the words in the two columns.



male

1. father
2. buck
3. brother
4. nephew
5. son
6. bull

female

- 4 a. niece
- 3 b. sister
1. c. mother
- 6 d. cow
- 2 e. doe
- 5 f. daughter



B. Fill in the blanks with the opposite gender of the naming words in green.

1. A tigress lives in that forest.
2. I watched a peacock dance.
3. Mother plays the guitar.
4. This sow loves hay and apples.
5. The king lives in a palace.
6. My son is a forest officer.
7. My aunt works in a bank.
8. Amir's brother is a police officer.

tiger

peahen

father

boar

queen

daughter

uncle

sister

Look and read.

Pg - 4



The **doctors** are talking to each other.

I was playing with my **cousins**.

The words in **blue** are of the common gender. They do not tell us if the person we are talking about is male or female.

Here are some more examples.

baby	guest	child	friend	monitor	visitor	parent
relative	cook	principal	teacher	student	neighbour	coach



Practice

C. Look at the words in green. Are they of the masculine (M), feminine (F) or common (C) gender?

- Rama took her baby to the park. C
- Our niece is climbing a tree. F
- That boy is wearing a blue cap. M
- Anita is a kind girl. F
- My teacher gave me full marks. C
- Grandfather loves to read comics. M
- The farmer has a mare. C
- My friend gave me a teddy bear. C



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