

Uses of Capital Letters:

1. At the beginning of a sentence

Examples:

- ✓ **The** box is red.
- ✓ **Mom** drinks tea in the morning.

2. The pronoun "I"

- ✓ **I** read in class 2.
- ✓ Mom and **I** went to the park.

3. Months and Days of the year

- ✓ The first month of the year is **January**.
- ✓ Today is **Thursday**.

4. Names of people

- ✓ My name is **Israt Jahan**.
- ✓ **Jany** is my best friend.

5. Name of the places and countries

- ✓ I live in **Dhaka, Bangladesh**.
- ✓ He lives in **Nepal**.
- ✓ Yesterday I went to **National Zoo**.

6. Titles /Name of poem, story etc.

- ✓ I like the poem **Off to School We Go**
[name of a poem]
- ✓ **The Wise King** is nice story. [name
of a story]

Exercise

1. Underline the words that start with capital letter in the poem.

At the Seaside**Robert Louis Stevenson**

When I was down beside the sea
A wooden spade they gave to me
To dig the sandy shore.
My holes were empty like a cup,
In every hole the sea came up,
Till it could come no more.

2. Rewrite the following sentences using capital letters wherever necessary.

- a. rohan is a smart boy.
- b. she is playing in the garden.
- c. i live at mirpur.
- d. the name of my country is bangladesh.
- e. i will visit india in december.
- f. she will come on monday.
- g. a smile is nice poem.
- h. he lives at dhaka.
- i. we are very happy.
- j. meena has a pet bird named mithu.

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