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# Abstract Nouns

Abstract nouns name ideas and feelings you can't touch: love, courage.

**A. Sort the nouns.** Can you see or touch it?

love rock fear pillow honesty river luck drum

| Concrete | Abstract |
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**B. Circle the abstract noun.**

1. Ava felt joy when she won.
2. The dog has a lot of energy.
3. Tell me the truth.
4. Our team has great spirit.
5. I like the peace in the woods.
6. His bravery saved the day.

**C. Make an abstract noun.** Add -ness, -ship or -hood.

1. kind → _____
2. child → _____
3. friend → _____
4. sad → _____
5. neighbor → _____

**D. A quality you admire.**

I think _____ is important because

# Answer Key

**A. Sort the nouns.**

Concrete: rock, pillow, river, drum
Abstract: love, fear, honesty, luck

**B. Circle the abstract noun.**

1. **joy**
2. **energy**
3. **truth**
4. **spirit**
5. **peace**
6. **bravery**

**C. Make an abstract noun.**

1. **kindness**
2. **childhood**
3. **friendship**
4. **sadness**
5. **neighborhood**

**D. A quality you admire.**

Answers will vary. Check for an abstract noun such as kindness, honesty or courage.