

Unit 6 CAPITALIZATION, PUNCTUATION, AND SPELLING

Lesson 43: Capitalizing Proper Nouns (pp. 196–199)

Remember



A **proper noun** names a specific person, place, or thing. Each important word in a proper noun begins with a capital letter.

Rewrite each sentence. Capitalize each proper noun correctly.

- **1.** Is election day always on a tuesday?
 - Is Election Day always on a Tuesday?
- **2.** In canada, thanksgiving is celebrated on the second monday of october.
 - In Canada, Thanksgiving is celebrated on the second Monday of October.
- **3.** Have you read this biography of jim thorpe?
 - Have you read this biography of Jim Thorpe?
- **4.** My mother and ms. wayne went to high school together.
 - My mother and Ms. Wayne went to high school together.
- **5.** In 1952, president harry truman visited our town.
 - In 1952, President Harry Truman visited our town.
- **6.** My friend andrew named his dog ginger.
 - My friend Andrew named his dog Ginger.
- 7. Is there a gas station on washington avenue?
 - Is there a gas station on Washington Avenue?
- **8.** We sent a thank-you note to aunt emma.
 - We sent a thank-you note to Aunt Emma.
- **9.** I sat next to mr. lee at the game.
 - I sat next to Mr. Lee at the game.
- **10.** Do you live far from new york city?
 - Do you live far from New York City?