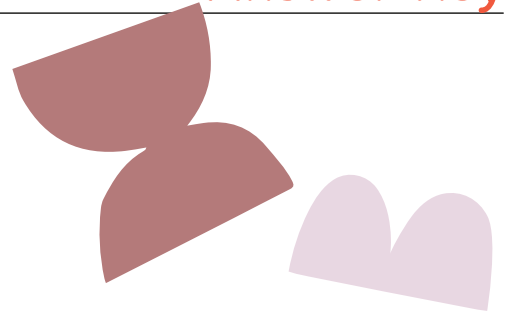


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Answer Key

IDENTIFYING ABSTRACT NOUNS



You are likely familiar with **concrete nouns**, which are persons, places, or things that you can see, feel, hear, and taste—like a sunset, an ice cream cone, or a beach. But there are many things you can't see, touch, hear, smell, or taste, like *anger* or *joy*. These are called **abstract nouns**.

DIRECTIONS: Read each sentence, and identify each **bold noun** as an abstract or concrete noun. Circle the abstract nouns and underline the concrete nouns.

EXAMPLE: Noah slurped his smoothie with joy.

1. Elias has been playing baseball for seventeen years.
2. Moshe is always interested in going to the café for lunch.
3. Nala, Hui's dog, runs along the beach with delight.
4. Ruby is excited about her sister's graduation ceremony next week.
5. South Korea is known across the globe for its fashion sense.
6. The school year seems to get longer and the summer seems to get shorter.
7. The thought of making new friends at school made her nervous.
8. Sonya is filled with bliss while she practices yoga.
9. Alessandro's team looked happy after their win last Saturday.
10. Yulia plans the best birthday celebrations.

