

# Language Usage ISAT: Conventions of Capitalization

## Skills: Proper Nouns and Adjectives

Students:	<b>RIT Above 220:</b> <i>No Skills Listed</i>
Students:	<b>RIT 211-220:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Recognizes proper nouns are capitalized</li><li>• Capitalizes proper nouns</li><li>• Capitalizes holidays</li><li>• Recognizes when to capitalize directional words and locations (e.g., addresses, streets, directions)</li><li>• Capitalizes names of schools and institutions and of departments of government</li><li>• Capitalizes nationalities</li><li>• Capitalizes names of organizations/groups</li><li>• Capitalizes titles of books and stories correctly</li><li>• Capitalizes titles of poems, magazines, songs, works of art, and historical documents</li><li>• Capitalizes proper adjectives</li></ul>
Students:	<b>RIT 201-210:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Recognizes proper nouns are capitalized</li><li>• Uses correct capitalization for family roles</li><li>• Capitalizes titles of people</li><li>• Capitalizes months of the year</li><li>• Capitalizes holidays</li><li>• Capitalizes names of geographic locations</li><li>• Recognizes when to capitalize directional words and locations (e.g., addresses, streets, directions)</li><li>• Capitalizes names of companies and of schools and institutions</li><li>• Capitalizes names of languages and school subjects</li><li>• Capitalizes nationalities</li><li>• Capitalizes names of organizations/groups</li><li>• Capitalizes titles of books and stories correctly</li><li>• Capitalizes titles of poems, magazines, newspapers, songs, and historical documents</li><li>• Capitalizes historical periods and events and geological eras</li><li>• Capitalizes proper adjectives</li></ul>
Students:	<b>RIT 191-200:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Recognizes that proper nouns should be capitalized</li><li>• Uses the correct capitalization for family roles (e.g., mother, father, uncle)</li><li>• Capitalizes titles of people</li><li>• Capitalizes towns, cities, counties, and states</li><li>• Capitalizes months of the year</li><li>• Capitalizes names of countries and of geographic locations</li><li>• Capitalizes the names of schools and institutions and of companies</li><li>• Capitalizes names of languages and school subjects</li><li>• Capitalizes titles of books and stories</li><li>• Uses the pronoun "I" correctly</li></ul>
Students:	<b>RIT 181-190:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Recognizes that proper nouns should be capitalized</li><li>• Capitalizes the names of the days of the week</li><li>• Capitalizes titles of people</li><li>• Capitalizes towns, cities, counties, and states</li><li>• Capitalizes names of countries</li><li>• Capitalizes names of holidays</li><li>• Capitalizes the names of geographic locations</li><li>• Capitalizes titles of books and stories</li><li>• Uses the pronoun "I" correctly</li></ul>
Students:	<b>RIT 171-180:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Recognizes that proper nouns should be capitalized</li><li>• Capitalizes the names of the days of the week</li><li>• Capitalizes the names of the months of the year</li><li>• Capitalizes the titles of people</li><li>• Capitalizes the names of towns, cities, counties, and states</li><li>• Capitalizes the pronoun "I"</li></ul>
Students:	<b>RIT 161-170:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Capitalizes the titles of people</li><li>• Capitalizes the names of towns, cities, counties, and states</li><li>• Capitalizes the pronoun "I"</li></ul>
Students:	<b>RIT Below 161:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Capitalizes the titles of people</li><li>• Capitalizes the names of towns, cities, counties, and states</li></ul>