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**TOPIC: Abstract Nouns** **HANDOUT**  
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**ABSTRACT NOUNS**

Nouns that refer to objects that cannot be physically experienced with the five senses are **Abstract Nouns**. They identify ideas, concepts, experiences and feelings. Abstract Nouns are intangible. E.g.- love, fun, freedom, self-esteem, beauty, honour, childhood, leadership, etc.

- My grandmother is full of **wisdom**.
- The young girl had a **childhood** that was full of **love** and **happiness**.

In the above sentences, the words wisdom, childhood, love and happiness are Abstract Nouns. They cannot be physically experienced with the five senses.

**Abstract Nouns are formed from Nouns, Verbs and Adjectives.**

<b>NOUNS</b>	<b>ABSTRACT NOUNS</b>
brother	brotherhood
leader	leadership
neighbour	neighbourhood
scholar	scholarship
friend	friendship

<b>VERBS</b>	<b>ABSTRACT NOUNS</b>
laugh	laughter
grow	growth
please	pleasure
know	knowledge
free	freedom

<b>ADJECTIVES</b>	<b>ABSTRACT NOUNS</b>
brave	bravery
strong	strength
wise	wisdom
long	length
happy	happiness