

Capitalize proper nouns

Ex:

(proper noun—name) (proper noun—place)
Phil flew to Dallas on

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(proper noun—name)
Southwest Airlines.

PRACTICE THE CONVERSATION:

A: Read the sentence, please.

B: *Phil flew to Dallas on Southwest Airlines.*

A: Great. Is Dallas capitalized?

B: It is.

A: Why?

B: We always capitalize proper nouns. Dallas is a specific place, which makes it a proper noun.

A: Are there any other proper nouns in this sentence?

B: Why yes, I do believe there are.

A: Like what?

B: Southwest Airlines is the name of a company, and Phil is a specific person. They are both proper nouns.

A: So they would get. . . .

B: Capitalized.

A: Perfect.

