

Name(s): _____

Capitalization Rules Scavenger Hunt

Use Reference 27: Capitalization Rules to complete the items below:

1) What rule is used for the names of pets: _____ Write an example: _____

2) What rule is used for titles used with people's names: _____ Write an example: _____

3) What rule is used for the names of streets, roads, highways, routes, and post office boxes: _____

Write an example: _____

4) What rule is used for the names of holidays: _____ Write an example: _____

5) What rule is used for the first word in the greeting and closing of letters: _____

Write an example: _____

6) What rule is used for people's initials: _____ Write an example: _____

7) What rule is used for the first word in the greeting and closing of letters: _____

Write an example: _____

8) What rule is used for the names and abbreviations of cities, towns, counties, states, countries, and nations: _____

Write an example: _____

Find and circle the capitalization errors in the sentences below. Write the capitalization rules used after each sentence. The number of capitalization errors for each sentence is given in parentheses.

1. no, peaches, our neighbor's new golden retriever, is not a house dog. (2) **Rule(s)** _____

2. yes, i will go to lincoln, nebraska, in july for our family reunion. (5) **Rule(s)** _____

3. have you read the book, bound for oregon? (3) **Rule(s)** _____

4. did you know that dr. carter has been teaching at northeastern state university since july 14, 2008? (7)

Rule(s) _____

