



Technology Applications Virtual Learning

Sports Acronyms

May 4, 2020



8th Grade Technology Applications

Lesson: May 4, 2020

Objective/Learning Target:

I can create a list of some well known sports acronyms and their meanings



Getting Started:

Surfing the Internet and catching up on the latest news in the sports world is a daily ritual for many people.

Headlines and articles often use acronyms when writing about specific sports leagues and organizations, so it's important for readers to know them. As a true sports fan, you decide to create a list of the most popular sports acronyms and their meanings for your easy reference.



Practice:

1. Create a new google doc and type the text exactly as shown.
 - a. Hint: At the end of each line, hit the ENTER key two times.

Sports Acronyms

AFC - American Football Conference

ESPN - Entertainment and Sports Programming Network

IOC - International Olympic Committee

LPGA - Ladies Professional Golf Association

MLB - Major League Baseball

NASCAR - National Association for Stock Car Auto Racing

NBA - National Basketball Association

NCAA - National Collegiate Athletic Association

NFC - National Football Conference

NFL - National Football League

PBR - Professional Bull Riders

PGA - Professional Golf Association

USTA - United States Tennis Association

WNBA - Women's National Basketball Association

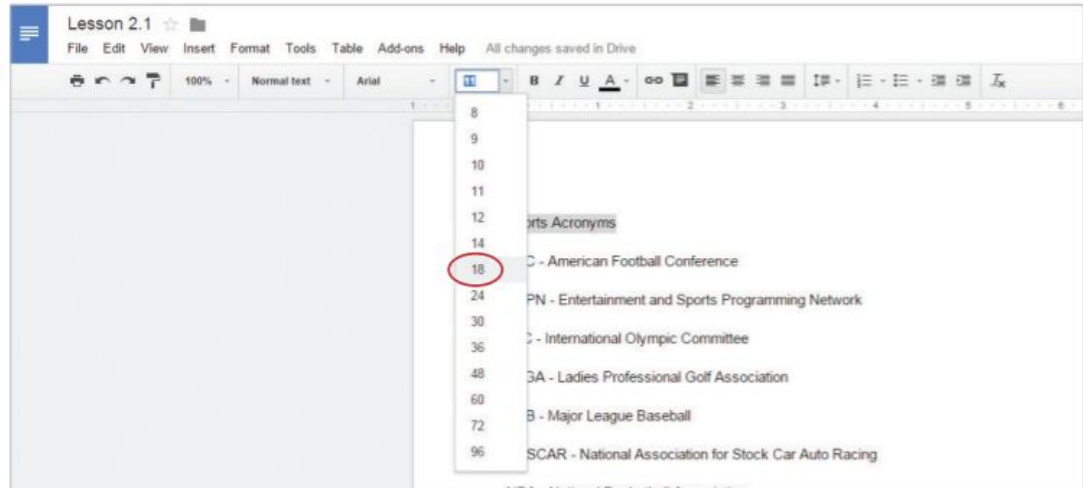
WWF - World Wrestling Federation

Practice:

2. **Select Text.** In this lesson you'll be required to select text. There are several ways to select text in your document:
 - a. Position your cursor at the beginning of the word, left click the mouse, and drag to the right to the end point of the text you want to select.
 - b. To select a single word, double-click on the word.
 - c. To select an entire paragraph, triple-click within the paragraph or position your cursor at the beginning of the paragraph and hold down the Shift key while pressing the Down arrow key.

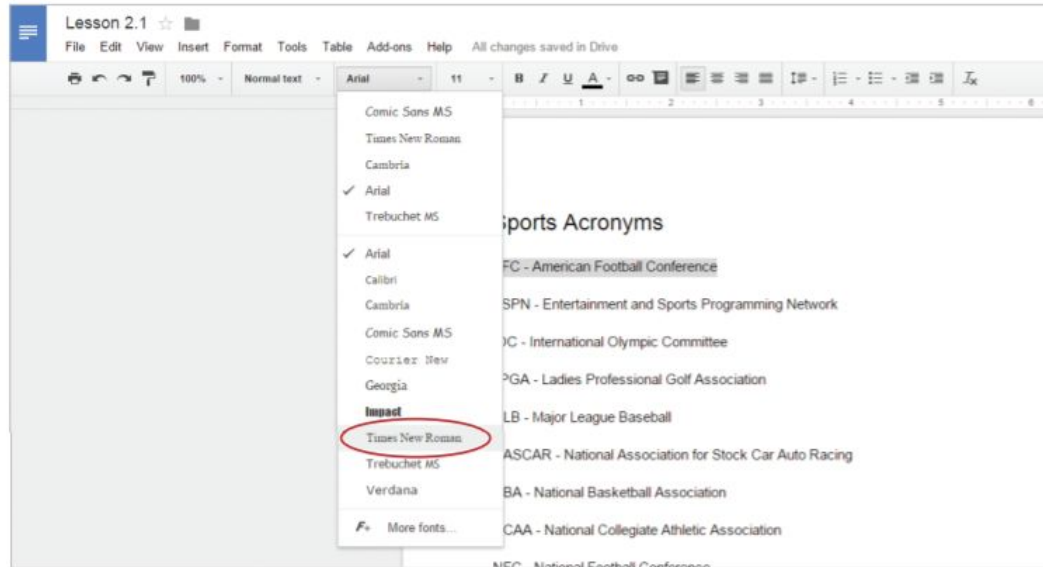
Practice:

3. **Format Text.** Make the following formatting changes:
 - a. Select the title of your document [Sports Acronyms], then change the font size to 18.



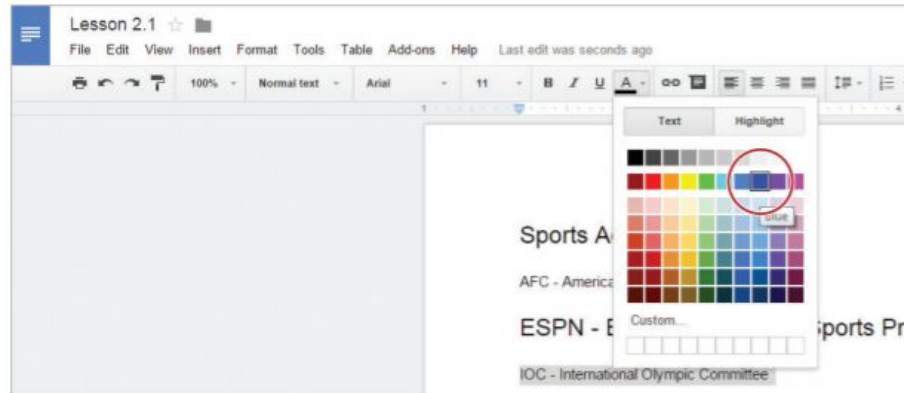
Practice:

4. Change the font of [AFC - American Football Conference] to Times New Roman



Practice:

5. Continue to make the following formatting changes:
 - a. Change the font size of [ESPN - Entertainment and Sports Programming Network] to 18.
 - b. Change the font color of [IOC - International Olympic Committee] to Blue.



Practice:

6. Bold [LPGA - Ladies Professional Golf Association].

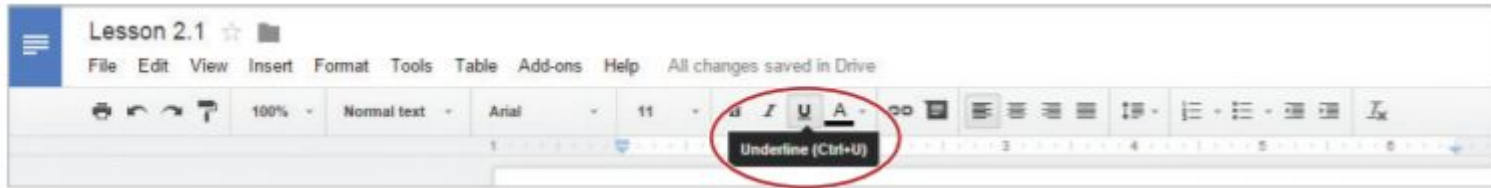


7. Italicize [MLB - Major League Baseball]



Practice:

8. Underline [NASCAR - National Association for Stock Car Auto Racing].



9. Change the font of [NCAA - National Collegiate Athletic Association] and [NFC - National Football Conference] to Comic Sans MS.



Practice:

10. Change the font size of [NFL - National Football League] to 8.
11. Change the font color of [PBR - Professional Bull Riders] to red.
12. Bold [PGA - Professional Golf Association].
13. Italicize [USTA - United States Tennis Association].



Practice:

14. Change the font size of [WNBA - Women's National Basketball Association] to 20 and change the font color to green.
15. Bold, italicize, underline, and change the font color of the text [WWF - World Wrestling Federation] to purple.



Self-Assessment:

Check this document to see how you did.

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Additional Practice:

Add anymore sports acronyms to the list and change font, color, and size.