

Spanish nouns that change meaning according to gender

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Following are a few nouns that change meaning altogether according to their gender. Study and memorize this chart:

<u>Masculine nouns</u>		<u>Feminine nouns</u>	
<i>el capital</i>	capital (money)	<i>la capital</i>	capital (city)
<i>el coma</i>	coma	<i>la coma</i>	comma
<i>el corte</i>	cut	<i>la corte</i>	court
<i>el cura</i>	priest	<i>la cura</i>	cure
<i>el orden</i>	order (sequence, arrangement)	<i>la orden</i>	order (command, religious order)
<i>el papa</i>	Pope	<i>la papa</i>	potato
<i>el policía</i>	police officer	<i>la policía</i>	police department

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