

ENGLISH · CLASS 4

Parts of Speech

Nouns, verbs, adjectives and their friends

Teacher Name · 4 · 40 minutes



Lesson plan

01

Warm-up

02

Learn

03

Explore

04

Practise

Learning objectives

- Name the eight parts of speech
- Identify nouns, verbs and adjectives
- Use adjectives to make writing vivid
- Build correct sentences

YOU ALREADY KNOW

What a sentence is.



Every word in a sentence has a job.

What job does "quickly" do?

Think about it

KEY IDEA

Words have jobs

Each word in a sentence plays a role.

Nouns name things, verbs show action, adjectives describe nouns and adverbs describe verbs. Knowing these jobs helps us write clear, colourful sentences.



Diagram / picture

Key terms



Noun

A person, place, animal or thing.



Verb

An action or a state of being.



Adjective

A word that describes a noun.

Finding the parts of speech

1 Read

Read the sentence aloud

2 Ask

Who or what? — the noun

3 Act

What happens? — the verb

4 Describe

What kind? — the adjective

Examples

Part of speech	Job	Example
Noun	Names	The dog
Verb	Shows action	runs
Adverb	Tells how	quickly

Add your own row for each.

Did you know?

8

parts of speech in English

1 in 4

words we use is a noun

"Set"

has hundreds of meanings

Real-life examples



Image 1

Stories

Adjectives paint pictures



Image 2

Instructions

Verbs tell us what to do



Image 3

Labels

Nouns name everything

Adjective or adverb?

Adjective

- Describes a noun
- A happy child
- Answers "what kind?"

vs

Adverb

- Describes a verb
- Sang happily
- Answers "how?"

Check your understanding

- Find the noun: "The red kite flew high."
- Give three action verbs
- Add an adjective: "The ___ elephant"
- Is "slowly" an adjective or an adverb?

Activity time



Word sort

Sort cards into noun, verb and adjective boxes.



Silly sentences

Build funny sentences from random cards.



Describe it

Describe a mystery object with five adjectives.

Homework

- Underline nouns and verbs in a short story
- Write five sentences with adjectives
- Make a parts-of-speech poster



Great work today!

Next lesson: Pronouns and prepositions

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