

PARTS OF SPEECH

NOUNS

A **noun** is a person, place, or thing.

Singular nouns: Only ONE person, place, or thing.

Examples: dog, tooth, hat, man

Plural nouns: More than ONE person, place, or thing.

Examples: dogs, teeth, hats, men

Possessive nouns: Nouns that show ownership

Example: My sister's backpack was on the porch.

VERBS

A **verb** is a

Examples

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PREVIEW

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Regular verbs:

Regular verbs are verbs that we can simply add *-ed* to the end of the verb to make it past tense.

Example: work → worked

Irregular verbs:

Irregular verbs are a little more difficult to change to the past tense.

Examples: see → saw
bring → brought
feel → felt

Verb Tenses

There are many verb tenses. Each tense tells the reader when the action of the verb occurs.

Here are three common verb tenses:

- Past tense (happened in the PAST)

Example: I watched a movie yesterday.

- Present tense (is happening NOW)

Example: I am watching a movie right now.

- Future tense (will happen in the FUTURE)

Example: I will watch a movie tomorrow.

Subject / Verb Agreement

The subject of a sentence is the person, place, thing, or idea that the sentence is about.

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Example: The men are looking at their watches.

- **So the SUBJECT must agree with the VERB in a sentence.**

PRONOUNS

A **pronoun** takes the place of a noun.

Examples of pronouns: he, she, it, they, them, me, I, you, we, us



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ADJECTIVES

An **adjective** describes a noun or a pronoun.

Common Adjective – Common adjectives are regular adjectives that describe a noun or pronoun.

Example: We moved into a friendly neighborhood.

Proper Adjective - Proper adjectives are made from proper names. Proper nouns are always capitalized.

Example: They sailed across the Atlantic Ocean.



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