

noun

verb

adjective

adverb

preposition

conjunction

interjection

pronoun

<p>A word that describes action or a state of being.</p> <p><i>Action examples:</i> Run, jump, scream, howl, shop, play.</p> <p><i>Linking examples:</i> Is, are, was, were, am, be, been.</p>	<p>A person, place, thing, or idea.</p> <p>Can be <i>common</i> meaning regular, everyday things, for example—<u>cat</u>, <u>hallway</u>, <u>rug</u>.</p> <p>Can be Proper Proper to identify a particular person, place, thing, or idea. These are capitalized.</p> <p>Examples: Dallas, Mrs. Griffin</p>
<p>Descriptive words that modify (describe) verbs, <u>adjectives</u>, or other <u>adverbs</u> and answer the questions:</p> <p><i>How?</i> <i>When?</i> <i>Where?</i> <i>In what manner?</i> <i>To what extent or degree?</i></p> <p>Sometimes formed by adding suffix -ly to an adjective. <i>Example: quickly, darkly</i></p>	<p>Descriptive words that modify (describe) either <u>nouns</u> or <u>pronouns</u> and answer the following questions:</p> <p><i>Which one?</i> <i>How many?</i> <i>What color?</i> <i>What kind?</i></p> <p>Examples: blue, twenty, peach-flavored</p>
<p>A word that joins two phrases or clauses in a sentence.</p> <p><i>Example:</i> <i>And, or, nor, but, yet, for, so.</i></p> <p>They are used to link the independent clauses of a compound sentence.</p>	<p>Words that show relationships between the other words in a sentence.</p> <p>When used in a phrase, they can act as adjectives or adverbs.</p> <p><i>Examples:</i> <i>By, down, except, for, inside, like, near, of, past, since, to, under, with.</i></p>
<p>A word that takes the place of a noun in a sentence.</p> <p><i>Examples:</i> <i>I, you, he, she, it, we, you, they.</i></p> <p>They can also show possession. <i>Examples:</i> <i>My, your, his, her, our, their.</i></p>	<p>An outburst of emotion in a sentence. Sometimes they are punctuated with an exclamation point.</p> <p><i>Examples:</i> <i>Wow! I hit the high score on Guitar Hero III!</i></p> <p><i>“Whoa, Beauty,” the farmer exclaimed as he reigned in his horse.</i></p>

article	subject
predicate	simple
compound	complex
predicate nominative	helping verbs

<p>Often the noun or pronoun completing the action or state of being in a sentence.</p> <p><i>Example:</i></p> <p><i><u>Lacey Ann</u> bought shoes at the Aldo store in Willow Bend.</i></p> <p>HINT: Can form predicate into a question to ask who or what is completing the action to figure out the subject in a sentence.</p>	<p>A word that tells which item you are referring to in a sentence. It acts as an adjective.</p> <p><i>A, an, the</i></p>
<p>Sentence structure made of only one independent clause.</p> <p><i>Examples:</i></p> <p><i>Birds fly south for the winter months.</i></p> <p><i>I walked through the shopping center and bought a milkshake at Sonic.</i></p>	<p>The part of the sentence that tells what the subject is or is doing.</p> <p><i>Example:</i></p> <p><i>Lacey Ann <u>bought shoes at the Aldo store in Willow Bend.</u></i></p> <p>HINT: Can ask question about the subject to determine the predicate.</p>
<p>Sentence structure of one independent clause joined with one or more dependent clauses.</p> <p><i>Example:</i></p> <p><i>Although the Spurs' Tim Duncan scored forty points in the game, Dirk Nowitski and the Mavericks won the conference championship.</i></p>	<p>Sentence structure made of two or more independent clauses linked by a coordinating conjunction and comma or a semi-colon.</p> <p><i>Example:</i></p> <p><i>Jane married George in Dallas, and two years later, Gerald was born.</i></p>
<p>Verbs that equate the subject with the rest of the sentence. The subject <u>equals</u> the descriptive words or phrases.</p> <p><i>Examples:</i></p> <p><i>Priscilla <u>is</u> delightful young woman.</i></p> <p><i>Disney World <u>has been</u> a superb vacation destination for our family.</i></p>	<p>A noun that renames the subject.</p> <p><i>Examples:</i></p> <p><i>William was the <u>Duke of Normandy</u> in October 1066.</i></p> <p><i>Sherry is now the <u>president</u> of the Frisco Junior League.</i></p>