



Parts of Speech Review

Name: _____
Class: _____
Date: _____

Directions: Answer the following questions with short answer where appropriate.

1. Define the following terms

- Noun
- Verb
- Adjective
- Adverb
- Interjection
- Pronoun
- Preposition
- Conjunction

2. Fill in the chart below. Provide the number examples for each part of speech by looking at the number in parentheses.

Part of Speech	Examples
Noun (4)	
Verb (4)	
Adjective (4)	
Adverb (4)	
Pronoun (5)	
Preposition (5)	
Conjunction (5)	
Interjection (3)	

3. What acronym helps you remember the eight parts of speech?
4. What are some of the different types of nouns? (Look at noun notes)
5. What is a linking verb? Provide at least three or four examples.
6. What is a helping verb? Provide at least three or four examples.
7. What is the subject of a sentence?
8. What are the three articles?
9. What is a phrase?
10. What is a clause?

I. Subjects and Verbs

Directions: Underline the subject in each sentence once and the verb twice.

1. Sometimes Sarah studies for her tests all night.
2. Jack and Bob are best friends.
3. The class read three chapters from their novel.
4. Sixteen ducks quickly swam across the lake.
5. Ian devoured twelve hot dogs in the eating contest.
6. Hank and Drover are ranch security dogs for Loper and Sally Mae.
7. Will success spoil Rock Hunter?
8. Teddy Roosevelt was once a candidate for the Bullmoose Party.
9. Betsy and I studied for our algebra exam together; we both made A's on the exam!
10. Have the purple people eaters descended upon Manhattan yet?

II. Adjectives

Directions: Underline all of the adjectives in each sentence.

1. Seven yellow chicks lived on the beautiful farm.
2. My studious sister studied for her math test until one o'clock.
3. Suzanne and Sam quickly ran for cover as the drenching rains began to fall.
4. John found his book under his bed and behind the giant pile of boxes.
5. KC gave Bidi two dozen red roses for their anniversary.
6. Bert hoped that his surprise proposal plans would work out at the Autumn Harvest Picnic.
7. After stopping off at the Kroger grocery store, Susie brought along the French bread to the picnic.
8. Afterwards, Bert and Susie walked along the smooth path by the lake.
9. Bert gave Susie a one-carat marquise-cut diamond engagement ring.
10. They planned for an outdoor spring wedding at the Dallas Arboretum.

III. Article Adjectives

Directions: Underline the article adjectives in each sentence.

1. The silent cat slowly stalked the unwary bird.
2. I ate an apple before going to the band concert.
3. Sometimes we go to a movie before going to the mall.
4. I wandered as lonely as a cloud.
5. Sheila plays field hockey despite an overwhelming disability.

IV. Adverbs

Directions: Underline the adverbs in each sentence.

1. I quickly ran an errand, and then I carefully packed for my trip tomorrow.
2. The crazy boys jumped wildly on the bed, but Jeff loudly crashed to the floor.
3. I can hardly believe that Betsy will be attending college very soon.
4. Kirsti suddenly grabbed the ball from Joe and ran down court with it.
5. "Henrik never dusts this house!" Mama exclaimed.

6. Last year we went to the Alamo as a family.
7. We will go get some ice cream soon.
8. I live in Texas, the Lone Star State!
9. The alarm clock rang very early this morning.
10. The extremely tired swimmers relaxed on the dock.

V. Prepositions

Directions: Put each prepositional phrase in parentheses. Tell if they are used as adjectives or adverbs.

1. Nicole ran down the beach with her dog, Dexter, following her.
2. Sometimes I walk to the store, or sometimes I ride my bike around the park.
3. After the party, we ate pizza with our friends, and then we played games in the backyard.
4. Above the shelf in a closet is a stack of books and a pile of clothes by the games.
5. I looked across the stadium for my son, but I could see better without binoculars.
6. They marched through the fields to get to the battle.
7. With her head held high, the proud princess from Ipanema walked toward her throne.
8. The hikers climbed steadily for an hour.
9. We believe strongly in the new litter law that was passed last week.
10. I usually arrive home before four o'clock.

Label the following sentences using the key.

S=subject
V=verb
Adj=adjective
Adv=adverb

P=preposition
OP=object of the preposition
C=conjunction
PRO=pronoun

A=article adjectives
 (a, an, the)

1. John always brings Shelby fresh fish from the river.
2. Annie walks around the lake everyday during the warm summer.
3. Jason and Jenny bought six gallons of cold juice for the graduation party.

4. After the school dance, I went to Tina's house for a sleepover.
5. Mrs. Johnson read us a book about freaky dogs from space.
6. We gave Mama roses for Mother's day.
7. Mary D. Cat hit Hank the Cowdog in the nose.
8. The Green Bay Packers will play the Pittsburgh Steelers in the Super Bowl.

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DIRECTIONS: Write the correct form of to, too, or two on each of the lines below.

1. After the marathon, Yolanda soaked her _____ sore feet in a bucket of warm water.
2. Jessica agreed to jalapeno slices on her burrito. She regretted this decision _____ hours later as she chewed antacid tablets to relieve her heartburn.
3. If you really want the answers to Dr. Hirta's calculus homework, bring a jelly donut _____ Kristine, the smartest student in class.
4. The party next door—with its laughter, shouting, and music—was _____ loud, so Lisa banged on her neighbors' door to complain.
5. As we were walking _____ the library, we met Benjamin and Maria, who tempted us away from research with the promise of a hot cheese and pepperoni pizza.

DIRECTIONS: Write the correct form of their or there on each of the lines below.

6. Dolly hates dogs more than snakes or cockroaches. She believes that canines are loathsome creatures because _____ only goal in life is to kill her front lawn with urine.
7. Behind the sofa _____ is a collection of desiccated broccoli spears that Simon, the family cocker spaniel, carries away for Noel, who cannot stomach the vegetable.
8. The knives in Roseanne's kitchen are encrusted with bits of brownie and smears of dried mustard. _____ is no way a doctor would ever consider operating with any instrument that Roseanne had washed!
9. Bentley, our neighbor's basset hound, has toenails that are so long that _____ curled like macaroni noodles at the ends of his paws.

10. Noel carefully sliced each Brussels sprout in half, carefully scrutinizing the heart of the little cabbage. He always worries that _____ might be a worm buried in the middle.

DIRECTIONS: Write the correct form of it's or its on the lines below.

11. As strawberry ice cream dribbled down the cone and over his hand, Jerry complained, "_____ so hot out here that my tongue can't keep up!"
12. The frozen cappuccino sat forgotten on the table. _____ sweating cup formed a ring on the polished wood.
13. The cockroaches and ants are very happy since _____ been over a week since Tommy has washed dishes or taken out the trash.
14. _____ obvious that Professor Grayson hates us. She wouldn't keep assigning 150 pages of reading for every class if she *liked* us!
15. Just as Jackie was completing the last question on the essay test, her pen ran out of ink; _____ ball point dug into the paper but left no words.

DIRECTIONS: Write the correct form of whose or who's on the lines below.

16. If you want to identify that ugly bug in your hair, ask Claudia, _____ collection of beetles covers every inch of her bedroom walls.
17. The biggest entertainment at the picnic was Louis, _____ ability to eat an entire hotdog in one mouthful amazed everyone who watched him demonstrate this feat fifteen times.
18. In the computer lab sits Veronica, _____ furiously typing as she attempts to meet Dr. William's nonnegotiable deadline for the research paper.
19. _____ going to bait Jerry's hook and gut his fish if you invite your squeamish brother to come fishing with us?
20. Before you buy a pit bull or Rottweiler puppy, talk to Thomas, _____ attack hamster will bite the fingers of any hand that enters its cage.