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English



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Grammar

Nouns

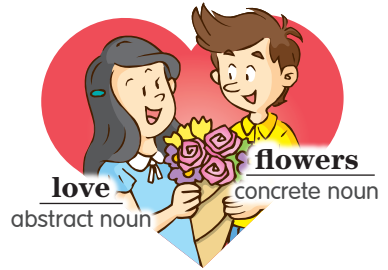
A noun names a person, a place, a thing, an animal, or an idea.

Concrete Noun

- can be recognized by our five senses

Abstract Noun

- names an idea, a concept, a quality, or an ideal



Adjectives

An adjective describes a noun.

- Sometimes, a noun can function as an adjective.
e.g. We bought a **birthday** cake for Mom.
- A **possessive adjective** shows ownership:
my, your, his, her, its, our, their
e.g. Rocco plays **his** guitar.

Helping Verbs

A helping verb is used along with a main verb to express an emphasis, an ability, a probability, or a necessity.



- do (emphasis)
- may (probability)
- can (ability)
- have to (necessity)

e.g. Peter can fix his bicycle.
helping main
verb verb

Adverbs

An adverb describes a verb, an adjective, or another adverb.

describes the adjective "huge" describes the adverb "fast"

e.g. The incredibly huge robot runs pretty fast.

describes the verb "runs"

Pronouns

Pronouns are used to refer to nouns.

Subject Pronoun

- refers to the subject in a sentence
e.g. **She** is riding a horse.

Object Pronoun

- refers to the object in a sentence
- can be direct or indirect
e.g. Harris baked her a cake.
indirect object

He baked it.
direct object

Reflexive Pronoun

- shows that the subject does something that turns back upon the subject
e.g. The elephant bathed **itself** in the water.



Relative Pronoun

- connects a clause or phrase to a noun or pronoun mentioned earlier in a sentence
e.g. This is the woman **who** gave me directions.

Reciprocal Pronoun

- shows that two or more subjects are doing the same thing
e.g. The puppies played with **each other**.

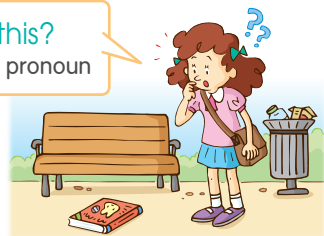
Possessive Pronoun

- shows possession
e.g. This bike is **his**.

Interrogative Pronoun

- asks a question

Whose is this?
interrogative pronoun



Tenses

Present

Simple Present Tense

- talks about a habit or a simple truth

Present Progressive Tense

- talks about something that is going on
- talks about something that is planned for the future

Past

Simple Past Tense

- talks about something that happened habitually or at a particular time in the past

Past Progressive Tense

- talks about something that continued to happen before and after a particular time in the past

Future

Simple Future Tense

- talks about something that will happen, or about cause and effect

Future Progressive Tense

- talks about something that will happen over a period of time

Perfect

Present Perfect Tense

- talks about a recent action that started and ended in the past but affects the present
- talks about a recent action with no definite time

Present Perfect Progressive Tense

- talks about an action that started in the past but is still going on



e.g. The cat has finished the milk. (present perfect)

It has been feeding on milk since its birth.
(present perfect progressive)