

The 8 Parts of Speech

NOUN

A person, place, thing, or idea

dog school happiness Texas

The dog ran to school.

VERB

An action or state of being

run jump is think

She runs fast and jumps high.

ADJECTIVE

Describes a noun

big happy three red

The big, red ball bounced.

ADVERB

Describes a verb, adjective, or adverb

quickly very always well

He ran quickly and played well.

PRONOUN

Takes the place of a noun

he she it they

She gave it to them.

PREPOSITION

Shows position or direction

in on under between

The cat hid under the bed.

CONJUNCTION

Connects words or phrases

and but or because

I like cats and dogs, but not bugs.

INTERJECTION

Expresses strong emotion

wow! ouch! yay! oh!

Wow! That was amazing!

Punctuation Guide

Period

Ends a statement
I like to read books.



Question Mark

Ends a question
What is your name?

Exclamation Point

Shows strong feeling
Watch out!



Comma

Separates items or adds a pause
I need eggs, milk, and bread.

Apostrophe

Contractions & possession
That's Sara's book.



Quotation Marks

Someone's exact words
"Let's go!" she said.

4 Types of Sentences

DECLARATIVE

Makes a statement

“The cat sat on the mat.”

INTERROGATIVE

Asks a question

“Where is the cat?”



IMPERATIVE

Gives a command

“Sit down, please.”

EXCLAMATORY

Shows excitement

“What a beautiful day!”

