

Basic Bits of Grammar



Today we are going to be focusing on an area of writing called **<u>GRAMMAR</u>**.

Grammar are the <u>rules</u> for good writing.

Today we will look at THREE of them. *Verbs, Adjectives & Adverbs*

Let's learn how to use them properly!



Verbs are **ACTION** words - they are what happens in the sentence.

Highlight the verb which best suits the sentence below.

fly/ <mark>flew</mark> /flying	over France
hiss/ <mark>hissed</mark> /hissing	across the road
play/played/ <mark>playing</mark>	with his cousins
drink/ <mark>drank</mark> /drunk	her water slowly
write/ <mark>wrote</mark> /writing	to his parents last night
	hiss/ <mark>hissed</mark> /hissing play/played/ <mark>playing</mark> drink/ <mark>drank</mark> /drunk





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Below are some poorly written sentences.



Write the correct sentence in the space next to them.

JJ made a great <i>tackling</i> , and stole the ball.	JJ made a great <i>tackler</i> , and stole the ball.
Mr Hughes was <i>play</i> Fortnite, but didn't get the win.	Mr Hughes was <i>playing</i> Fortnite, but didn't get the win.
William likes to <i>playing</i> Minecraft when he gets free time	William likes to <i>play</i> Minecraft when he gets free time
Mary and Mark like to <i>cooks</i> with their mum	Mary and Mark like to <i>cook</i> with their mum
l went <i>jog</i> with my dog and he likes to <i>chasing</i> rabbits.	l went to <i>jog</i> with my dog and he likes to <i>chasing</i> rabbits.

Adjectives - What am I?

Below each square I have used 5 adjectives to describe an object.

Insert a picture of the object you think I'm describing!

Yellow	Huge	Long
Sour	Metallic	Fresh
Small	Beautiful	Delicious
Egg-Shaped	Iconic	Brown
Healthy	French	Crusty

Adjectives & Adverbs

Adjectives are used to describe *things*. Adverbs describe *how* things are done.

Each sentence is missing one adjective, and one adverb.

Insert the *adjective* or *adverb* you think works best in the sentence!

1. Steven enjoyed his leisurely morning walks around the peaceful lake.
2.bravely, John decided he would take on the terrifying jump on his BMX.
3. "Listen, carefully I need you to email me these important documents immediately"
4. "I didn't mean to smash that expensive vase. I accidentally bumped into it!"
5. Maria walked proud to the stage, looking down at her proud mother.