

L/O: To recognise and use adjectives, verbs and nouns.

Activity 1

Match each term to the correct meaning

adjective

a doing or action word

verb

a word to name a person, place or thing

noun

a word describing a noun

Play [noun](#), [verb](#), [adjective](#) to see how well you can recognise the different word classes.



Activity 2: noun hunt

Common nouns: These are the names of things, like objects or places.	Proper nouns: These are names of a particular person, place or thing. They <u>always</u> begin with a capital letter.
Examples: tree, boat, banana, school, boy, city, phone, game, uncle, shop, house	Examples: Birmingham, Thornton, Monday, David, Prime Minister, Tesco

Make a list of 10 common nouns and 5 proper nouns that you can find around your house. This could be things that you see, or words that you hear or read e.g. on TV, in a conversation, in a book.

Activity 3: missing verbs

Add a missing verb to complete each sentence. You can use the word bank or think of your own.

The teacher was _____ her class.

A car _____ past my house, speedily.

My mum _____ me with my homework every day.

I saw the cat _____ on the mat.

At night, the man _____ some strange noises.

At school, I enjoy _____ chips for lunch on Fridays.

The little girl _____ down the creaky stairs.

The waves were _____ loudly.

Word bank:

crashing asleep zoomed heard eating missing crept helps

Activity 4: interesting adjectives

For each picture (next page), make a list of adjectives to describe it.

OR

Write a couple of sentences describing what is happening.

Remember! Adjectives can describe what you see, hear, smell and feel.

This [website](#) has lots of interesting adjectives to help you.





Activity 5: extension

Write a paragraph explaining your day so far. Underline the verbs, nouns and adjectives in a different colour.

Games - click on these links to play some fun grammar games!

[Noun explorer](#)

[Verbs in space](#)

[Trapped nouns and adjectives](#)

Answers and examples:

Activity 1:

adjective= a word describing a noun

verb = a word to name a person, place or thing

noun= a doing or action word

Activity 2: noun hunt

Make a list of 10 common nouns and 5 proper nouns that you can find around your house. Here is my example.

Common nouns	Proper nouns
cushion, candle, vase, slippers, cat, mum, television, glasses, lamp, sister	Asda, June, England, Britain's Got Talent, President Trump

Activity 3: missing verbs

The teacher was missing her class.

A car zoomed past my house, speedily.

My mum helps me with my homework every day.

I saw the cat asleep on the mat.

At night, the man heard some strange noises.

At school, I enjoy eating chips for lunch on Fridays.

The little girl crept down the creaky stairs.

The waves were crashing loudly.

Activity 4: interesting adjectives

Here are some examples of adjectives or phrases you could have used for each picture.



- Glittering blue sky
- Glowing, silvery moon
- Dark, lonely castle
- Big black bird
- Creaky, wooden steps



- Empty grey road
- Gleaming car
- Miniature white truck
- Dim streetlights



- glowing orange sky
- Smooth rippling water
- long wavy crack
- beautiful, peaceful sunset



- huge, revolting troll
- Massive monstrous tree
- Colourful rows of houses
- Tiny, terrified humans