

English Grammar Workshop Series



PARTS OF SPEECH

Friday, Feb 8 (11:10-12:00)

On your own

Write one sentence about what you plan to do this weekend.

From your sentence, identify as many of the following as possible:
Nouns, pronouns, adjectives, verbs, adverbs, conjunctions, prepositions, and interjections

With a Partner

Match the definition for each part of speech and then write examples for each:

Parts of Speech	Definition	Example
Nouns	1. join words or groups of words	
Pronouns	2. relate nouns or pronouns to other words in a sentences	
Adjectives	3. express action or being	
Verbs	4. describe or modify verbs, adjectives, or other adverbs	
Adverbs	5. express emotion or feeling	
Conjunctions	6. describe or modify nouns or pronouns	
Prepositions	7. take the place of nouns	
Interjections	8. name persons, places, things, or ideas	

In a Group

Highlight the part of speech assigned to your group.

Studying in college is often very expensive. Students who are in college have to pay a lot of money for tuition and other fees, and they also have to buy many textbooks. In addition to textbooks, students need to buy a lot of other supplies; some of the students buy large backpacks to carry all their heavy books and supplies. Students who drive to school daily must also purchase a parking permit. Wow! Students in college have a lot of expenses.

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