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| <p>1a. Underline the nouns and circle the verbs in the sentences below.</p> <p>A. The pages tore when the dog stepped on the book.</p> <p>B. The water spilt when the glass was knocked over.</p> <p> VF</p> | <p>1b. Underline the nouns and circle the verbs in the sentences below.</p> <p>A. The last question of the test was really hard.</p> <p>B. The chair broke and fell into pieces.</p> <p> VF</p> |
| <p>2a. Which word type fills the gaps in this sentence?</p> <p>Some _____ guests were visiting the school, so we had a _____ assembly.</p> <p> VF</p> | <p>2b. Which word type fills the gaps in this sentence?</p> <p>Neil _____ his car every week, because he _____ it to look good.</p> <p> VF</p> |
| <p>3a. Label the subject and object in the sentence below.</p> <p>Susan swept the stable out every day.</p> <p> VF</p> | <p>3b. Label the subject and object in the sentence below.</p> <p>Mark tested the batteries on the smoke alarm.</p> <p> VF</p> |
| <p>4a. Label the noun, verb, adverb and adjective in the sentence.</p> <p>Passengers with young children could board the plane first.</p> <p> VF</p> | <p>4b. Label the noun, verb, adverb and adjective in the sentence.</p> <p>Our school suddenly decided to change to a new uniform next year.</p> <p> VF</p> |

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1a. Write a sentence containing each of the following word classes. Label one example of each word class.

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| noun | verb |
| adjective | adverb |



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1b. Write a sentence containing each of the following word classes. Label one example of each word class.

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| noun | verb |
| adjective | adverb |



A

2a. Holly is trying to improve her writing by adding an adjective to the sentence below. Is this possible?

Don't go outside until I say so!

If so, where can the adjective go?
Is there more than one possibility?



R

2b. Louise is trying to improve her writing by adding an adverb to the sentence below. Is this possible?

Walk down the stairs please.

If so, where can the adverb go?
Is there more than one possibility?



R

3a. True or false? These sentences need to have a verb. Explain your answer.

The actress fell over on stage.

The gift shop sells a good choice of cards.

The phone did not stop ringing.



R

3b. True or false? These sentences need to have an adjective. Explain your answer.

He took the red box home with him.

Can you bring me your history book?









Please leave the building through the fire door.



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| <p>1a. Underline the nouns and circle the verbs in the sentences below.</p> <p>A. The filthy dog ran through the house leaving dirty footprints on the floor.</p> <p>B. The old doll had only one eye open and her hair had fallen out.</p> <p> VF</p> | <p>1b. Underline the nouns and circle the verbs in the sentences below.</p> <p>A. The brand new car looked beautiful until it drove through a muddy puddle.</p> <p>B. The song on the radio blared out around the building site.</p> <p> VF</p> |
| <p>2a. Which word type fills the gaps in this sentence?</p> <p>The children walked _____ into assembly and sat down _____.</p> <p> VF</p> | <p>2b. Which word type fills the gaps in this sentence?</p> <p>I found your school bag _____ the table, with yesterday's lunch still _____ the bottom of it.</p> <p> VF</p> |
| <p>3a. Label the subject and object in the sentence below.</p> <p>Everyone laughed at the hilarious clown when he performed at the circus.</p> <p> VF</p> | <p>3b. Label the subject and object in the sentence below.</p> <p>Cameron posted the important letter just before the postman emptied the post box.</p> <p> VF</p> |
| <p>4a. List all of the subjects, objects, nouns, verbs, adverbs, adjectives, determiners, conjunctions and prepositions in the sentence below.</p> <p>The lorry driver took a break from his long journey, so he could rest briefly and have some food at the café.</p> <p> VF</p> | <p>4b. List all of the subjects, objects, nouns, verbs, adverbs, adjectives, determiners, conjunctions and prepositions in the sentence below.</p> <p>A brave mouse scurried quickly across the hall from a hole in the corner, despite the cat being in the same room.</p> <p> VF</p> |