

ENGLISH GRAMMAR

Parts of Speech

EIGHT PARTS OF SPEECH

Nouns

Verbs

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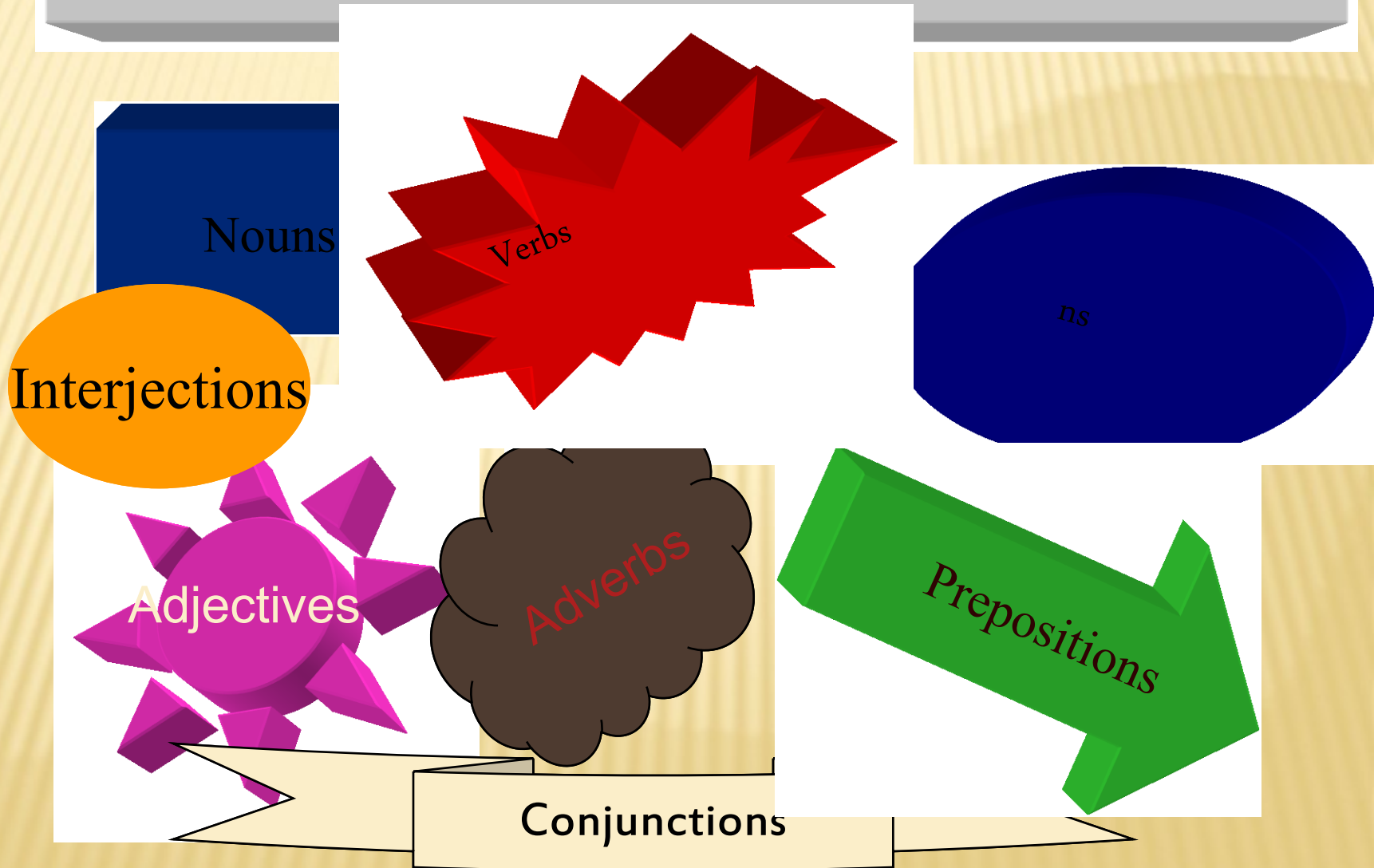
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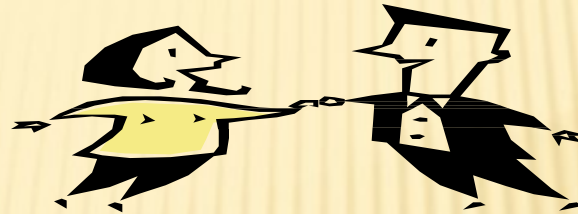
Conjunctions



NOUN :

WORD THAT NAMES

✕ A Person



∞ A Place



∞ A Thing



∞ An Idea



KINDS OF NOUNS

Common Nouns

boy
girl

Proper Nouns

John
Mary

Singular Nouns

boy
girl

Plural Nouns

boys
girls

Singular Possessive

boy's
girl's

Plural Possessive

boys'
girls'



The Verb

A word that expresses action or
otherwise helps to make a

statement



Subject

Linking

"be" verbs
&
taste
feel
sound
look
appear
become
seem
grow
remain
stay

EVERY SENTENCE **MUST** HAVE



KINDS OF VERBS

- ✘ Action verbs express mental or physical **action**.



He **rode** the horse to victory.

- ✘ Linking verbs make a statement by **connecting** the subject with a word that describes or explains it.



He **has been** sick.

The Pronoun

The pronoun is a word used in place of one or more nouns.
It may *stand for* a person, place, thing, or idea.

Personal Pronouns

I, me, mine
you, your, yours
she, her, hers,
it, its
we, us, our, ou
they, them, th
theirs
myself
yourself

Indefinite Pronouns

anybody
each
either
none
someone, one, et

Demonstrative Pronouns

this
that
these
those

Interrogative Pronouns

who
whom
what
which
whose

The Adjective

Modifies or describes a noun or pronoun, by pointing out one of its qualities or by limiting its references

Possessive adjectives

my, his, her

Descriptive adjectives

carefull, beautiful, happy

Demonstrative adjectives

this, that, those



The Adverb

Modifies or describes a verb, an adjective, or another adverb.

Answers the questions:

He ran quickly.

How?

She left yesterday.

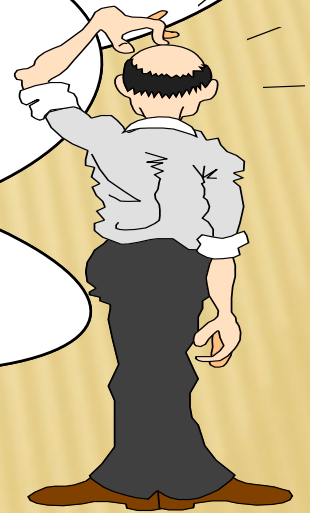
When?

We went there.

Where?

It was too hot!

To what degree or how much?



Kinds of Adverbs

Interrogative

Adverbs

introduce questions

How did you break your leg?

How?

When?

When does your plane leave?

How often?

Where?

How often do you run?

Where did you put the mouse trap?



The Preposition

A **preposition** a word that links a noun/pronoun to Another word by expressing such relationship as **location** (e.g. at, in, on, over), **direction** (e.g. to, across, towards), **time** (e.g. before, after, during), or **purpose** (e.g. to, for).

They received a postcard from Bobby telling

about his trip to Canada.

The preposition never stands alone!



You can press those leaves under glass.

Her telegram to Nina and Ralph brought good news.

It happened during the last examination.

Some Common Prepositions

aboard
about
above
across
after
against
along
among
around
at
before

behind
below
beneath
beside
between
beyond
by
down
during
except
for

from
in
into
like
of
off
on
over
past
since
through

throughout
to
toward
under
underneath
until
up
upon
with
within
without

The conjunction

A conjunction is a word that joins words or groups of words.

and

or

either/or

neither/nor

but



The interjection

is an exclamatory word that expresses
emotion



Goodness! What a cute baby!

Wow! Look at that
sunset!



More Later
THAT'S ALL FOR NOW.