

You have learnt all about the word classes throughout your time at school. Now you need to know them all off by heart. The SPaG mat below shows you what all eight are and gives you some examples.

By the end of term 1 you should be able to fill in the grid at the bottom of the sheet completely from your own knowledge. Use this sheet and practise using your homework book. We will check that you have been practising just before half term.

## Word Classes

<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Verbs</b></p> <p>A word that describes what a person or thing does, such as: run, hit, rain, be, seem, become, grow</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Nouns</b></p> <p>A word that identifies a person, place thing idea or quality, such as: woman, dog, building, London, truth, birth</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Adjectives</b></p> <p>A word that describes a noun, such as: red, bad, giant, hairy, shy</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Adverbs</b></p> <p>A word that gives more information about a verb adjective or another adverb, such as: lazily, easily, abroad, very</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Prepositions</b></p> <p>A word that describes the position of something, the time it happened or the way it is done, such as: under, between, on, after, by</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Conjunctions</b></p> <p>A word that connects, phrases or sentences, such as: and because but for, if, or</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Determiners</b></p> <p>A word that introduces a noun, such as: an, a, every, this, those, the</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Pronouns</b></p> <p>A word that is used in place of a noun that is a specific person or thing, such as: she, him, mine, we, I, us ,me ,</p>

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Word Class	Definition	Three examples	Use and example in a sentence
Verb			
Adverb			
Noun			
Pronoun			
Adjective			
Determiner			
Conjunction			
Preposition			