


## Grammar terminology checklist

Grammar	Definition	Example
<b>Verbs</b>	A verb describes how you are doing something	Today, everyone <b>jogged</b> around the playground.
<b>Adverbs</b>	An adverb describes how an action is been done.	Today, everyone <b>jogged slowly</b> around the playground.
<b>Adjectives</b>	An adjective is used to describe a noun	Everyone, <b>stared</b> at the <b>beautiful, coloured</b> rainbow <b>happily</b> .
<b>Nouns</b>	A noun is a person, place or object	Any name – <b>Sam, Ben, Emily</b> Any object – <b>table, pencil, computer</b> Any place, <b>United Kingdom, School</b>
<b>Pronouns</b>	 <p style="text-align: center;"> <span style="color: red;">Gary</span> ate his <span style="color: red;">supper</span> when <span style="color: blue;">he</span> got home. <span style="color: blue;">He</span> enjoyed the <span style="color: blue;">food</span>.  <span style="background-color: yellow; padding: 2px;">noun</span>      <span style="background-color: yellow; padding: 2px;">pronoun</span>      <span style="background-color: yellow; padding: 2px;">pronoun</span>      <span style="background-color: yellow; padding: 2px;">alternate noun</span> </p>	Some examples include: <b>He, I, they, she</b>
<b>Prepositions</b>	A preposition tells you the position of something.	<b>Under, over, behind, next to, beneath, behind, on top, in between, around.</b> Sentence – The river is situated <b>under</b> the bridge.
<b>Similes</b>	A simile makes a comparison between 2 things using the words 'as' or 'like'.	<b>The sun is like a bright, round marble in the sky.</b> <b>The weather felt as cold as ice.</b>
<b>Subordinating conjunctions</b>	A conjunction links 2 or more words or phrases together. In school we remember subordinating conjunctions by remembering the saying. <b>I SAW A WABUB</b>	<b>If , Since, As, When, Although, Before, Until, Because</b>  Sentence – Excited pupils raced into school <b>when</b> the bell rang.

<b>Coordinating conjunctions</b>	A conjunction links 2 or more words or phrases together. In school we remember subordinating conjunctions by remembering the saying. <b>FANBOYS</b>	<b>For, And, Or, But, Yet, So</b>  Sentence – Today, everyone worked super hard <b>and</b> tried their best.
<b>Expanded noun phrases</b>	An expanded noun phrase is 2 <b>adjectives</b> that describe a <b>noun</b> with some extra information. That and with are often used to extend the sentence.	Today, the <b>bright, colourful</b> rainbow <b>that shone brightly</b> was amazing. Suddenly, a <b>bright, red</b> racing car <b>with stripes on its roof</b> was <b>driving quickly</b> along the road.