Parts of Speech: Words that Describe

adjective + noun				
An adjective is a word that describes a noun (a person, place, thing, or idea).				
Example:	The <u>ball</u> bounced. (noun) What kind of ball? \rightarrow The red <u>ball</u> bounced. (adjective)			
Remember:	An adjective can be placed before the noun. \rightarrow The red ball bounced. Or after the noun. \rightarrow The ball is red.			

Directions: Make your own adjective bank. Think about words that describe *shape*, *size*, *color*, *number*, *feel*, *taste*, *sound*, or *smell*.

red		
small		
bumpy		
stinky		
loud		
many		

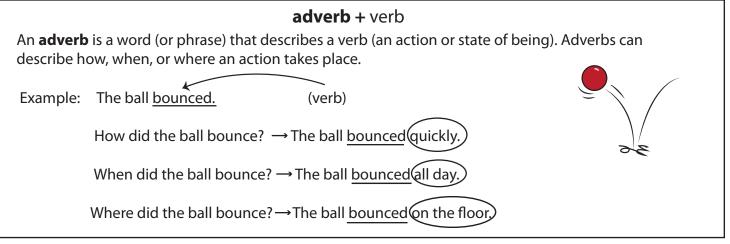
Directions: Circle an adjective in each sentence. Then, underline the noun it is describing.

1. The old doctor leaves at 5:00 pm.

POSSIBLE ANSWERS

- 2. The purple balloon blew quickly through the air.
- 3. Julia is the tallest girl in our class.
- 4. Our <u>class</u> is awesome.
- 5. The tired dog sleeps by the window.
- 6. Yesterday, I wore a blue striped shirt.
- 7. The oldest tree in California is over 5,000 years old
- 8. My teacher is sonice
- 9. My big mean <u>cat</u> jumped out of my arms.
- 10. The gray bunny hopped excitedly through the meadow.

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Directions: Circle an adverb in each sentence. Then, underline the verb it is describing.

a. "How" Adverbs

- 1. The gray bunny hopped excitedly through the meadow.
- 2. My wagon <u>rolled</u> moothly over the sidewalk.
- 3. Henryquicklyjumped into the pool.

b. "When" Adverbs

- 1. The old doctor leaves at 5:00 pm
- 2. Kendra likes to run every day.
- 3. On Monday they will be painting.

c. "Where" Adverbs

- 1. Mom walked outside to get some fresh air.
- 2. The tired dog sleeps by the window
- 3. We aren't allowed to yell inside the house.

Directions: Choose an adverb to complete each sentence.

1. Peter dances gracefully

- 2. The sun will rise <u>over the mountains</u>
- 3. I knocked <u>politely</u> before entering the room.
- 4. You should <u>never</u> ride a bucking bronco.
- 5. We like to swim <u>on Saturdays</u>

politely on Saturdays

Adverb Bank

over the mountains

gracefully

never