

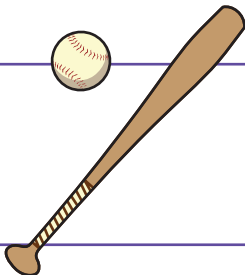
Words That Do More Than One Job

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Instructions: Many words can be more than one part of speech - they can name something (noun), tell an action (verb) and provide description (adjective or adverb), depending on how they are used in a sentence.

Consider each word and write at least two parts of speech that it can be. Then, use the word in two different sentences showing how it can be used as two parts of speech.

Example

Word: bat	
Part of Speech: <u>noun</u> <u>She hit the ball, threw the bat, then ran to first base.</u>	
Part of Speech: <u>verb</u> <u>The bees were so ferocious, she had to bat at them with both hands.</u>	

ANSWERS

Word: swing
Part of Speech: <u>verb</u> <u>I'm going to swing that bat and hit the ball over the fence.</u>
Part of Speech: <u>noun</u> <u>I waited and waited and finally got my turn on the swing.</u>

Word: color
Part of Speech: <u>verb</u> <u>You don't need to color in the lines, this is a creative project.</u>
Part of Speech: <u>noun</u> <u>What is your favorite color?</u>

Words That Do More Than One Job

Word: drive

Part of Speech: verb

Please drive slower, I see a goblin in the woods.

Part of Speech: noun

My hard drive is going to crash if I get one more virus on this computer!

Word: answer

Part of Speech: verb

Please answer the question, sir.

Part of Speech: noun

No, that was the wrong answer. Try again.

Now come up with a word on your own.

Word: _____

Part of Speech: _____

Part of Speech: _____

