

SPAG – Consolidating word classes

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<p>7a. True or false? There are 5 adjectives and 2 adverbs in the sentence below.</p> <p>The great, spotted frog with webbed toes hopped onto each waxy, green lily pad to cross the swift river in the woods quickly and safely.</p> <p>★ VF</p>	<p>7b. True or false? There are 7 adjectives and 1 adverb in the sentence below.</p> <p>The sparkling, crystal glasses that were glinting beautifully in the soft, white moonlight were raised above their heads in celebration of a magical evening.</p> <p>★ VF</p>																		
<p>8a. Tick all the sentences that contain a modal verb <u>AND</u> at least two proper nouns.</p> <p>A. Una could see the polar bears and a penguin at the zoo with her sister Lilith. <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>B. Johannes ate an apple and the last banana for lunch without considering his brother. <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>C. Katie mustn't be mean to her brother if she wants a treat this weekend when they visit Paris. <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>★ VF</p>	<p>8b. Tick all the sentences that contain a modal verb <u>AND</u> at least two proper nouns.</p> <p>A. Bonnie would like to have a sleepover at Mila's this weekend if she's allowed. <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>B. Hattie and Polly were skipping until past 9pm outside the corner shop. <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>C. Sidney should help his little sister unpack the shopping whilst Mum washes the car. <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>★ VF</p>																		

4a. Millie has sorted some words into different word classes.

Adjective	Adverb
enormous	friendly
sparkly	happily

Do you agree? Explain why.



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4b. Marcus has sorted some words into different word classes.

Adjective	Adverb
greedily	proudly
tiny	soon

Do you agree? Explain why.



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5a. Jake has written the following sentence:

I want to pick a bunch of flowers for my mum.

He says,



'Bunch' is a common noun in my sentence.

Is Jake correct? Explain how you know.



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5b. Sana has written the following sentence:

The sheep stood closely together in a large flock to keep warm.

She says,



'Sheep' is a collective noun in my sentence.

Is Sana correct? Explain how you know.



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6a. Write a sentence which uses the word 'break' as a noun.

Write a sentence which uses the word 'break' as a verb.



A

6b. Write a sentence which uses the word 'dream' as a noun.

Write a sentence which uses the word 'dream' as a verb.



A

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5a. Dad asked me to point at the one I'd like – verb. All of the paths on the map cross at this point – noun.

6a. Last night

7a. False - there are 6 adjectives and 2 adverbs. The adjectives are: great, spotted, webbed, waxy, green, swift. The adverbs are: quickly, safely.

8a. A; C

4a. No, she is incorrect. She has classified friendly as an adverb. It is an adjective.

5a. He is incorrect because bunch, as in bunch of flowers, is a collective noun.

6a. Various answers, for example: I like to take a break when I am doing my homework (noun). Break that piece of chocolate into two (verb).

5b. I haven't made much progress on my game – noun. This year, I'll progress in my writing work – verb.

6b. on Saturday

7b. False, there are 5 adjectives and 1 adverb. The adjectives are: sparkling, crystal, soft, white, magical. The adverb is beautifully.

8b. A; C

4b. No, he is incorrect. He has classified greedily as an adjective. It is an adverb.

5b. She is incorrect because sheep is a plural common noun. Flock is the collective noun.

6b. Various answers, for example: I had a dream last night (noun). I dream of opening a café one day (verb).