



Nouns & Verbs



Directions: Each of the following underlined words can serve as nouns in some sentences, and verbs in other sentences. Read each sentence and determine whether the underlined word is acting as a noun or a verb. Write NOUN or VERB on the line following each sentence.

1. Abby used too much glue on her project. _____
2. Cut out the two shapes, and then glue the triangle above the square. _____
3. It takes hours for Janelle to color a picture. She wants it to be perfect! _____
4. My favorite color is blue. _____
5. "Be sure to bookmark this page so you can easily find it later when you do your homework," instructed Ms. Meecham. _____
6. Mrs. Taylor gives everyone a bookmark on their birthday. _____
7. A staple is stuck in the front of the stapler. Now it won't work. _____
8. When you finish both worksheets, staple them together and place them in the tray. _____
9. "This paint is not washable," warned the art teacher. "Be careful not to get it on your clothes." _____
10. "I love to paint," Mrs. Williams told her students. "I find it to be very relaxing." _____
11. "May I borrow your tape, Mr. Boyal?" asked Ryan. _____
12. "I accidentally ripped my workbook page, and I'd like to tape the two pieces back together," he explained. _____
13. "I will pencil you in to meet with me tomorrow after school," Mrs. Adams told Polly. "I know you were very sick, but now we have to try to catch you up with the material you missed in math." _____
14. "May I sharpen my pencil?" I asked. _____