

# Parts of Speech

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To decide what **part of speech** a word is we would usually have to use it in a sentence. For instance, in the first sentence the word **iron** is a noun but in the second it is a verb.

- For example, 1. He used a piece of **iron** from the shed. (noun)  
2. He will **iron** his shirts later. (verb)

1. In these sentences decide what the word in bold print is and then write noun or verb on the line.

For example, They boarded the **coach** for the trip. (noun)  
Please **coach** the team in the correct way. (verb)

(a) If you **drive** the car, be careful. \_\_\_\_\_

There were leaves all over the **drive**. \_\_\_\_\_

(b) He wrote two letters on the **board**. \_\_\_\_\_

We **board** the ship at 1800 hours. \_\_\_\_\_

(c) She took her friend to the annual **dance**. \_\_\_\_\_

They **dance** for hours at the local hall. \_\_\_\_\_

(d) Damien has had that annoying **cough** all week. \_\_\_\_\_

Do not **cough** over the food on the table. \_\_\_\_\_

(e) Malory always **waves** goodbye as she leaves. \_\_\_\_\_

The huge **waves** crashed onto the beach below. \_\_\_\_\_

(f) He **runs** along the beach each day. \_\_\_\_\_

The two cricketers scored hundreds of **runs**. \_\_\_\_\_

(g) The magician whispered a magic **spell**. \_\_\_\_\_

Learn how to **spell** each word correctly. \_\_\_\_\_



## Challenge!

1. Use each underlined word in two sentences, one as a noun and one as a verb.

(a) play

noun: \_\_\_\_\_

verb: \_\_\_\_\_

(b) cover

noun: \_\_\_\_\_

verb: \_\_\_\_\_

(c) book

noun: \_\_\_\_\_

verb: \_\_\_\_\_