

Adjectives



All About
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What Are Adjectives?

Adjectives are words that describe nouns.

Eg: enormous, doglike, silly, yellow, fun, fast.

They can also describe the quantity of nouns.

Eg: many, few, millions, eleven.



Adjectives Modify Nouns

1. Adjectives are often called “describing words” because they give us further details about a noun.
2. Adjectives do not modify verbs or other adjectives.
3. Most often, adjectives are easy to identify in a sentence because they fall right before the nouns they modify.

Examples:

1. I like the **white** horse.
2. The **three** boys were playing basketball.
3. She saw the **last** house in the lane.