

# Nouns, Verbs, and Adjectives Summative #1 Assessment for Grammar Fun

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**Duration:** 10 minutes, 3 different days

**Standards Assessed:**

LAD.1.3.1.6.1 (patterns in the English language for identifying nouns, verbs, and adjectives)

LAC.1.3.1.6.1 (verbal directions)

LAC.1.3.4.6.1 (stays alert while listening)

**Description:** This assessment asks students to determine the parts of speech for a list of words. It also uses verbal directions only. Since it is administered 3 different times with three different sets of directions, students can be assessed on their English patterning skills as well as their listening skills.

**Teacher Directions:** Tell the students that you are going to tell them what to do. Emphasize that it is very important that they listen because you will only tell them the directions once. This is a listening grade as well as a summative grade concerning parts of speech. Give the sheet to the students at the end of the first week and **instruct them to draw a star beside all the nouns. Then say: When you have finished, turn your paper over. You may draw on the back.** Collect the sheets and check how they did. Then, at the end of the second week, give them the sheets back and instruct them **to underline all the verbs.** In the middle of the third week, instruct them to **draw a circle beside all the adjectives.** Since, the adjectives will be the only words left, don't give them back the same page. Make more copies of the sheet and give it to them (blank).

**Student Directions:**

Directions: Listen to the instructions that I tell you. I will only say them once, so listen carefully.

**Scoring Method:** Use the answer key to check for correct answers. Note that this assesses listening skills as well. A student could miss every answer because he doesn't grasp the concept of nouns, verbs, and adjectives, however, if he uses the symbols per the instructions to attempt to identify the words, then he is demonstrating listening alertly. A summative score can be calculated using the percent of correct answers.



LISTENING SUMMATIVE  
Nouns, Verbs, and Adjectives

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

Period \_\_\_\_\_

- |               |             |
|---------------|-------------|
| 1. teddy bear | 11. tree    |
| 2. (a) star   | 12. perfect |
| 3. (to) jump  | 13. short   |
| 4. buy        | 14. take    |
| 5. red        | 15. school  |
| 6. huge       | 16. pizza   |
| 7. wonderful  | 17. stinky  |
| 8. (to) catch | 18. cute    |
| 9. computer   | 19. pencil  |
| 10. food      | 20. sell    |

ANSWER KEY

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|----------------------|-----------------|
| 1. teddy bear*       | 11. tree*       |
| 2. (a) star*         | 12. perfect 0   |
| 3. <u>(to) jump</u>  | 13. short 0     |
| 4. <u>buy</u>        | 14. <u>take</u> |
| 5. red 0             | 15. school*     |
| 6. huge 0            | 16. pizza*      |
| 7. wonderful 0       | 17. stinky 0    |
| 8. <u>(to) catch</u> | 18. cute 0      |
| 9. computer *        | 19. pencil*     |
| 10. food*            | 20. <u>sell</u> |