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Words and Sentences

Chapter 1

- ◆ **Why are words important?**

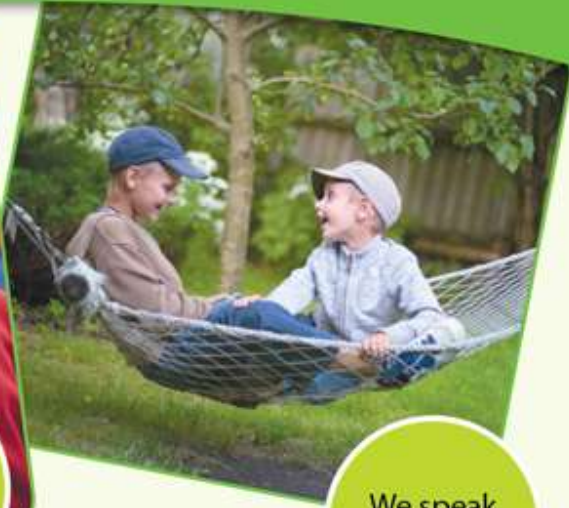
God uses words to tell us His truth and His love. God has given people the ability to use words to tell their thoughts and feelings. You speak or write words to tell someone something. You can tell someone they did a good job.

This shows love. You can read or listen to what someone wants to tell you. You can listen to the Word of God which tells you how to please Him. This is listening to the truth. You use words in sentences.





We listen to words.



We speak words.



We read words.



We write words.

Words & Sentences

A **sentence** is a group of words that is a complete thought.

This is a sentence.

Frogs swim in the pond.

This is not a sentence.

Lives in the pond.

- ◆ Write the word that best completes each sentence about how people use words.

listens reads speaks writes

1. Luke _____ a book.

2. Ava _____ to Mom.

3. Ella _____ a letter.

4. Ryan _____ to a story.



- ◆ Mark the group of words if it is a sentence.

5. Ducks eat fish.
 6. Bees buzz in the hive.
 7. Made a nest.

- ◆ Write the words to complete each sentence.

8. The _____ loudly. **frogs** **croak**

9. The _____ . **sleep** **ducks**

- ◆ Write words to complete each sentence.
Read your sentences to someone.

10. _____ grows in a garden.

11. The farmer _____.

- ◆ Mark the group of words if it is a sentence.

- 12. Dad plants seeds.
- 13. Pulling weeds.
- 14. Large gardens.
- 15. The corn grows tall.



- ◆ Write the words to complete each sentence.

16. _____ plants. made God

17. _____ fruit. People eat

18. _____ red apples. picks Dan

19. _____ the fruit. washes Ann



Action Words

An **action word** tells what someone or something does.

Zack **swims** in the pool.

My family **plays** games.

◆ Circle the action word in each row of words.

1. speak tree fast

2. clock turn five

3. quick shirt hide

◆ Circle the action word.

4. My dad smiled.

5. The lion hunts.

6. Our dog barks.

◆ Write an action word to complete each sentence.

7. The horse _____.

8. The boy _____.

9. The children _____.



- ◆ Write a sentence about playing ball. Remember to begin with a capital letter and end with a period.

10.



- ◆ Circle the action word in each row of words.

11. jump cookie apple

12. book dog hop

13. walk club kite

14. moon pray desk

- ◆ Circle the action word.

15. Ana runs.

16. Ken eats.

17. The baby crawls.

18. The bird flies.

- ◆ Write an action word to complete each sentence.

19. Kate _____.

20. The cat _____.



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Naming Words

A **naming word** tells who or what does the action.
The naming word may be a noun.
A **noun** is a word that names a person, place, or thing.

The **boy** runs fast.

◆ Underline the noun in each row of words.

1. blow girl draw

2. go make egg

3. lake hear clean

4. feel tent carry

◆ Write the correct noun to complete each sentence.

army flag soldiers

5. The _____ waves.

6. The _____ fight.

7. The _____ wins.

◆ Underline the noun.

8. Mike talked.

9. The girls sing.

10. The pastor visits.



- ◆ Write a sentence about a farm animal. Underline a noun in the sentence.

11.



- ◆ Underline the noun in each row of words.

12. John runs grows

13. feeding skip horse

14. pigs walking chase

- ◆ Write the correct noun to complete each sentence.

15. The _____ talk.

16. The _____ grunt.

17. The _____ works.

18. The _____ purr.

farmer
girls
kittens
pigs

- ◆ Underline the correct noun to complete each sentence.

19. Cows give us good milk.
Pigs

20. The fish chews hay.
horse



The Action Part

The **action part** of a sentence tells what someone or something does.

The action part often begins with the action word.

The wind **moves** the clouds.

◆ Circle the action part.

1. The puppy chases his tail.
2. My cat climbs the tree.
3. The bird sings a song.



◆ Write the correct action word to complete each sentence.

4. Many deer _____ in the woods.

5. An owl _____ at night.

6. A rabbit _____ fast.

7. The bear _____ a fish.

live
hunts
grabs
hops

◆ Write a sentence about what a squirrel does.
Circle the action part in your sentence.

8. _____

