

Proper noun: Words which name specific people, places, days and months, subjects, titles and languages. Always start with a capital letter. *Durban, Andisiwe, Monday, English, Generations*

Adverbs: Words which tell how an action is done: run *quickly*; jump *high*; talk *loudly*

Verbs: Words which tell you what someone is doing (action): He *laughs*, Babies *cry*; The dog *bites*

Adjectives: Describing words which give information about the noun. Some adjectives compare: A *big* dog. A *bigger* dog. The *biggest* dog.

Tembi carefully picks up the broken glass and he puts it in the bin.

Common noun: Words which name general things: *food, policeman, town, mountain, bird.*

Conjunction: Words that join words, phrases and clauses: *and, but, so, then, if, when.*

Pronouns: Words used in place of a noun: *I, me, you, he, him, she, her, it, we, us, they*

Prepositions: Words which usually show the place of an object: *in; on; by; to; into; onto; between*

Articles: *a; an; the; a dog; an old dog; the dog over there.*