

- Descriptive adjectives (Adj) describe a noun (N).
- “be” + Adj E.g: The clock is **new**.
- Adj + N E.g: We have a **new** clock.

Common Endings for Descriptive Adjectives

Three very common endings for adjectives are *y*, *ful*, and *ous*.

ENDING	EXAMPLES
<i>y</i>	angry crazy easy funny healthy hungry rainy salty sleepy sunny busy dirty empty happy heavy lazy ready scary spicy thirsty
<i>ful</i>	beautiful careful colorful helpful useful wonderful
<i>ous</i>	dangerous delicious famous jealous nervous previous

Exercise: Identify adjectives, and write the adjectives.

Example: "We went to a good restaurant. --> good

1. Sarah has a beautiful cat. -->
2. We live in a big city. -->
3. Robert likes German cars. -->
4. Nancy has a lot of expensive clothes. -->
5. I have a pair of black shoes. -->
6. Jim is a funny guy. -->
7. Thomas has a young daughter. -->
8. George has long hair. -->
9. This is an interesting book. -->
10. That is a silly movie. -->