

Grammar

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a pronoun indicating possession, for example mine, yours, hers, theirs.

POSSESSIVE PRONOUNS

A possessive pronoun is a pronoun that is used to indicate possession or ownership.

- This pen is **my** pen, not **your** pen.
- This pen is **mine**, not **yours**.



MINE	• This is my laptop. It's mine .
YOURS	• These glasses are mine, not yours .
HIS	• This is my brother's book. It's his .
HERS	• He offered to swap his camera for hers .
OURS	• I'll show you to your room. Ours is next door.
THEIRS	• The house is yours .
	• The ship is theirs .

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Helping & Linking Verbs

Verbs: The ROCK STARS of Sentences!



Action verbs are the **musicians**.

They do the **action** in a sentence. They do all of the **action** in a band.

We **rode** our bikes to the swimming pool. I **like** school.
I **wish** I **knew** how to **play** the guitar.

Helping verbs are the **instruments**.

They **help** the main verb in a sentence. They **help** the musicians create the music.

Mom **might** **bake** some cookies. Ben **is** **talking** on the phone.
Many kids **were** **playing** soccer during recess.

Linking verbs are the **speakers**.

They **link** the subject to a noun or adjective in a sentence. They **link** the music to the listeners.
They help **rename** or **describe**.

My dad **is** a truck driver. Ben **seems** unhappy.

*Some words, like **is**, can be a linking or a helping verb. You must read the sentence and decide how it is being used.

Subject Verb Agreement

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When a sentence is about <u>one</u> person or thing, add <u>s</u> to the verb.	When a sentence is about <u>more than one</u> person or thing, <u>do not</u> add s.
<u>Sophie</u> drops the pencil.	<u>Addie and Beckett</u> play outside.
<u>The dog</u> jumps on the chair.	<u>The dogs</u> jump on the table.

Past, Present & future tense verbs

PAST	
	The past tense of a verb tells that something already happened. Example: I ate the apple.

PRESENT	
	The present tense of a verb tells that something is happening now. Example: The apple tastes good.

FUTURE	
	The future tense of a verb tells that something will happen in the future. Example: I will eat that apple soon.