Initial Assessment GRAMMAR 3rd grade

Identify verbs, nouns, adjectives, opposites, and synonyms.

A. Read the short story. Check the correct answers.

Deer are beautiful animals. They run swiftly and they can jump high. There are many kinds of deer. One of the strangest is the "barking deer" of China. It barks like a dog when it is frightened. Most of the time they hide in tall grass.

1. **In the story, the word deer is:**
   a) a verb b) a noun c) an adjective

2. **Another word for beautiful is:**
   a) funny b) pretty c) many

3. **The word beautiful is:**
   a) a verb b) a noun c) an adjective

4. **The words run, jump, bark, and hide are:**
   a) Nouns b) verbs c) adjectives

5. **The opposite of beautiful is:**
   a) real b) ugly c) many