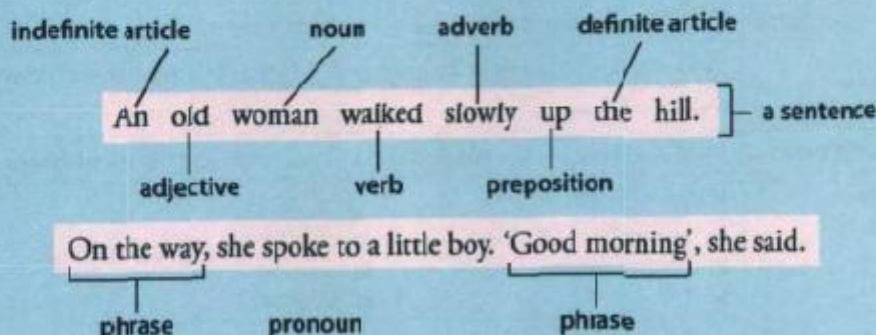


Read this short text.

An old woman walked slowly up the hill.
On the way, she spoke to a little boy.
'Good morning', she said.

- There are eight **words** in the first **sentence**.
- *Walk* is a **regular** verb. The **past simple** is *walked*.
- *Speak* is an **irregular** verb. The past simple is *spoke*, and the **past participle** is *spoken*.
(The past participle is used to form the present perfect: *Have you spoken to the doctor today?*)

Look at the different **parts of speech**.



1 Circle the correct answer.

► *A* and *the* are **adjectives** / **articles**.

1 *A* and *an* are **definite** / **indefinite** articles.

2 *Woman* is a **noun** / **adjective**.

3 *Up* is a **preposition** / **pronoun**.

4 *Have* is a **regular** / **an irregular** verb.

5 *He* and *she* are **nouns** / **pronouns**.

6 *Go* and *do* are **verbs** / **nouns**.

7 *Badly* and *happily* are **adverbs** / **adjectives**.

8 *Gone* is the **past simple** / **past participle** of the verb *go*.

2 Find the answers for each sentence.

I have an English lesson now.

► a verb *have*

1 a pronoun

2 an indefinite article

3 a noun

There's a young man from Rome in the class.

4 an adjective

5 a preposition

6 an indefinite article

This morning, he asked a question, and he spoke very quietly.

7 an adverb

8 an irregular past simple

9 a regular past simple

10 a phrase

I think he's in the wrong class.

11 a noun

12 a verb

13 an adjective

14 a pronoun

15 a sentence

3 What are the parts of speech for the other words in the text at the top of the page?

► hill *noun*

1 on

2 the

3 way

4 spoke

5 to

6 a

7 little

8 boy

9 she

10 said

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