

# COMPOUND ADJECTIVES

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A compound adjective is an adjective that contains two or more words. Generally, we put a hyphen between the words when we want them to act as a single adjective before a noun.

Compound Adjectives	Examples:
Number + Noun	A break that takes ten minutes is a <b>ten-minute</b> break.
Adjective + Noun	A bike ride over a long distance is a <b>long-distance</b> bike ride.
Adjective + Present Participle	A person who works hard is a <b>hard-working</b> person.
Noun + Present Participle	An athlete who breaks records is a <b>record-breaking</b> athlete.
Noun + Adjective	A room that is free from smoke is a <b>smoke-free</b> room.
Noun + Past Participle	An engine cooled by water is a <b>water-cooled</b> engine.
Adjective + Past Participle	A man with a bad temper is a <b>bad-tempered</b> man.
Adverb + Past Participle	A city that has a dense population is a <b>densely-populated</b> city.

A. Describe the nouns using compound adjectives.

1. a walk that takes ten minutes *a ten-minute walk*
2. a building that has twelve stories
3. a boy who is five years old
4. a report that is thirty pages long
5. students in high spirits
6. children who behave well
7. a monster with green eyes
8. a man who has short hair
9. a lady with a kind heart
10. an app that saves time
11. a dessert that makes your mouth water
12. a woman who has a strong will
13. traffic that moves slowly
14. a man who looks good
15. medicine that lasts a long time
16. a person who has an open mind
17. a room that has bright lights
18. a documentary that provokes thinking
19. a museum that is famous throughout the world
20. cookies that are free from fat