Adjectives-Word Order



Did you see my sweet old gray fluffy teddy bear



The general order of the adjectives before a noun is the following:

opinion	size	shape	condition	age	color	pattern	Origin	material	purpose	noun
nice	big	-	-	new	brown	-	Italian	leather	shopping	bag
beautiful	huge	round	clean	old		-	Egyptian	wooden	dinning	table
cute	long	-	-	-	ivory	flowery	French	-	evening	gown

Choose the correct order of adjectives:

1. He was wearing a _____ shirt.
   - dirty old flannel
   - flannel old dirty
   - old dirty flannel



2. Pass me the _____ cups.
   - plastic big blue
   - big blue plastic
   - big plastic blue



3. I used to drive an _____ car.
   - red old German
   - red German old
   - old red German



4. He recently married a _____ woman.
   - young beautiful Greek
   - beautiful young Greek
   - beautiful Greek young



Put the words in the correct order!

1. OLD / YELLOW / A / BRITISH / SMALL / BOX.

   _____

2. A / CAR / FAST / ITALIAN / NEW / RED.

   _____

3. WOODEN / A / BEAUTIFUL / TABLE / OLD.

   _____

4. IS / BORING / A / MATH / OLD / HE / TEACHER.

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Give four different types of adjectives in the correct order for each of the nouns given below.

a) girl _____

b) car _____

c) cloud _____

d) tree _____

e) painting _____



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