

Action Verbs

A **verb** shows action.

An **action verb** tells what a person or thing does.

shows action

The spaceship lands on the hill.

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People stare at the ship.

Thinking Question

Which words tell what a person or thing does?

Write the action verb in each sentence.

1. The spaceship flies through the air. _____
2. The ship arrives on Earth. _____
3. Reporters rush to the farm. _____
4. Police hold the crowds back. _____
5. Soldiers surround the ship. _____
6. The door to the ship opens. _____
7. Aliens emerge from the ship. _____
8. The aliens aim weapons at the soldiers. _____
9. The aliens fire their weapons. _____
10. People fall to the ground. _____