Order of Adjectives

Name: .....

Date: .....

When there are two or more adjectives in a sentence, they usually go in the following order:

Determiner	Opinion	Size	Age	Shape	Color	Origin	Material	Purpose	
three	funny				red		plastic	sleeping	bags
this	interesting		modern			American			idea
a		big		round	brown		wooden		table

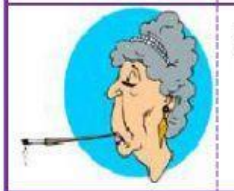
A. Choose the correct answer.

1. Jack hid in the ..... box.
   a) big brown square
   b) brown square big
   c) big square brown

2. The cook is using ... knife.
   a) a sharp long metal
   b) a long metal sharp
   c) a long sharp metal

3. It's a jar full of ..... coins.
   a) many golden round bright
   b) many bright round golden
   c) bright many golden round

4. Your cousin is a ..... boy.
   a) little nice blond
   b) nice little blond
   c) nice blond little



5. Mrs. Jones is a/an ..... lady.
   a) arrogant old English
   b) ola arrogant English
   c) English old arrogant

6. ... bunnies are playing outside.
   a) cute small two white
   b) two small cute white
   c) two cute small white

7. She is wearing a/an ..... ring.
   a) diamond expensive big
   b) big expensive diamond
   c) expensive big diamond

B. Put the adjectives in the correct order.

1. Jake works in a/an (trading, big, Canadian, important)..... ..... company.

2. Mr. Pitt invited his wife to a/an (Italian, romantic, modern) .... restaurant.

3. Roy finally married his (Greek, beautiful, young) .... girlfriend.

5. Bob likes going out in (hot, sunny, long, summer) .... days.

6. This is a/an (antique, red, unusual) .... car.

7. Mike likes solving (long, math, difficult) .... equations.

8. Sally has a (white, cute, fat, Ragdoll) .... cat.

LIVEWORKSHEETS