

Adjective order

1 Complete the table with the words in the box.

big black cotton glass green hard heavy large little lovely metal new
old pretty round silver small smooth soft square ugly wooden young

Opinion	Size	Physical quality	Shape	Age	Colour	Material
<i>ugly</i>	<i>big</i>	<i>soft</i>	<i>square</i>	<i>young</i>	<i>green</i>	<i>cotton</i>

2 Complete each sentence with three different adjectives in Exercise 1 and put them in the correct order.

- 0 We all love our lovely, little, black dog.
- 1 We need a _____ sofa in our sitting room. We haven't got any comfortable chairs in there.
- 2 My sister got a _____ necklace for her birthday. Now it's her favourite thing in the world.
- 3 I don't understand why my mum bought that _____ lamp. It's horrible!
- 4 The _____ building at the end of my street is very interesting.

3 Read the article from a school magazine and answer the questions.

- 1 What is the important object?
- 2 Where is it from?
- 3 What adjectives does the writer use to describe it?
- 4 Why is it important to the writer?
- 5 What does the writer like about it?

4 Write an email to the school magazine about something important to you. Answer the questions below.

- 1 What is it?
- 2 What does it look like?
- 3 Who and / or where is it from?
- 4 Why is it important to you?
- 5 What do you like about it?

The screenshot shows an email client window. At the top, there is a dark header bar with window control icons (minimize, maximize, close) on the left, a search icon, a home icon, and a window icon on the right. Below the header, the email address 'To: news@hillschool.org' is displayed in the address bar. To the right of the address bar are buttons for 'Reply' and 'Forward', and an envelope icon. The main body of the email is a large white area with horizontal lines, indicating it is a blank template for writing. On the far right edge, there is a vertical sidebar with a few icons, including a mail icon.

WHAT THINGS ARE IMPORTANT TO YOU?

I have a beautiful, old, wooden bowl. It comes from Germany and was made in about 1930. It is important to me because it belonged to my grandmother's German mother. I like it because it feels really strong and smooth, and it's like part of our family!



We would like to know what is important to you. Email us at news@hftschool.org. We will put the best three entries in next month's edition.

