Noun
A word that names a person, place, thing, or idea. Our teacher read from the book.

Proper Noun
A word that names a special person, place, or thing. On Saturday, Taylor had a picnic at Hunt Park.

Pronoun
A word that takes the place of a noun. She called her mother from the store.

Verb
A word that shows action or state of being. I walk to school. (present) Sam waited in the car. (past) You will enjoy your new school. (future)

Preposition
A word that shows how a noun or pronoun are related to another word in the sentence. When used with a verb, it may change the meaning of the verb. The boy with curly hair ate lunch in the park.

Adjective
A word that describes a noun, such as size, color, and number. The young boy rode his red bike.

Adverb
A word that describes a verb, adjective, or another adverb. Adverbs usually specify when, where, or how much. She ran home quickly. My teacher is very nice.

Conjunction
A word that joins other words, phrases, and clauses together. Randy and Kim called because it was my birthday.

Article
One of three special words (a, an, the) that can be used before a noun. A bird flew in the tree.

Interjection
A word that expresses a strong feeling or remark. (Usually followed by an exclamation point.) Ouch! Wow! Hooray!