

Introduction to grammar

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Basic sentence:

The **baker** burnt the **bread**.

There are **2** nouns in this sentence:

baker and bread

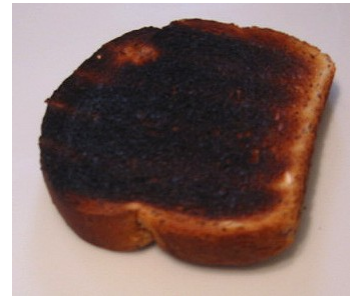


A **NOUN** is an object. You can put 'the' or 'a/an' in front of it.

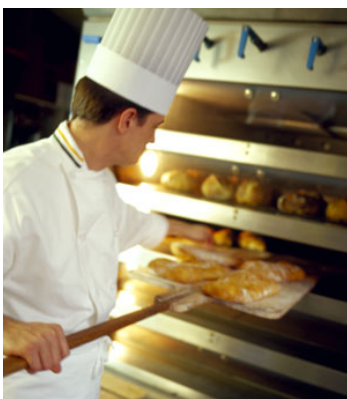
There is **1** verb in this sentence:

burnt

A **VERB** is an action, or 'doing' word.



We could make this sentence more interesting by adding some more words: e.g. The **tall, dark-haired** baker burnt the **wholemeal** bread.



'*tall*', '*dark-haired*' and '*wholemeal*' are **ADJECTIVES**.

An adjective is a descriptive word. It describes a noun, or object.

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Highlighting exercise

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- Highlight the nouns in YELLOW.
- Highlight the verbs in PINK.
- Highlight the adjectives in GREEN.

1. The tall baker baked some crusty rolls.
2. I ate a jam doughnut.
3. We bought a vanilla cheesecake and a custard tart.
4. The chef made a wonderful apple pie.
5. We ate a cheese baguette and some plain crisps for lunch.
6. I made tomato soup with some white bread.
7. They bake fresh bread daily.
8. Fibre is found in wholemeal bread.