

BACCALAUREATE SCHOOLS

4th Grade English Study Guide

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1. Nouns

Common Nouns: General names for people, places, or things.

Examples: girl, school, dog

Proper Nouns: Specific names. Always capitalized.

Examples: Sarah, Lincoln Elementary, Friday

2. Verbs

Action words! They tell what someone or something is doing.

Tenses:

Past – already happened (walked, ate)

Present – happening now (walk, eat)

Future – will happen later (will walk, will eat)

3. Adjectives

Describe nouns (What kind? How many? Which one?) Examples: happy dog, three apples, red balloon

4. Articles

Words used before nouns.

A – before words that start with consonant sounds (a cat)

An – before words that start with vowel sounds (an apple)

The – for specific nouns (the moon)





5. Adverbs

Describe **verbs**, **adjectives**, or other **adverbs**. Tell **how**, **when**, **where**, or **to what extent**. Examples: quickly, yesterday, here, very

6. Prepositions

Show direction, place, or time. Examples: in, on, under, next to, before, after

Example sentence: The book is **on** the table.

7. Conjunctions

Connect words or groups of words.

And, but, or, so, because, yet

Example: I like pizza and ice cream.

8. Parts of a Sentence

Subject: Who or what the sentence is about. Example: **The dog** barked loudly.

Predicate: What the subject does or is. Example: The dog **barked loudly**.



9. Punctuation

- Period (end of statement)
- ? Question mark (asking something)
- Exclamation mark (strong feeling or command)
- , Comma (separates items or ideas)
- Apostrophe (shows possession or contractions)

10. Capitalization

Always capitalize:

The first word in a sentence

Proper nouns (names, places, months, holidays)

The word "I"

11. Transitions

Words that connect ideas and help writing flow.

Examples:

First, then, next, finally, in addition, however, because, for example

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