

Parts of speech exercise

You have to read the following sentences and underline the word or words that belong to the part of speech specified in the bracket.

An example is given below.

Question: She must have reached home. (verb)

Answer: She must have reached home.

1. She went to the market and bought some eggs.
Here went is a

verb

adverb

noun

2. I want to go now. Here now is a/an

.....

verb

adjective

adverb

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3. What are you doing there? Here there is a/an

.....

adjective

adverb

verb

4. There is a mouse underneath the piano.

Underneath is a/an

conjunction

preposition

adverb

5. Masons build houses. Masons is a/an

.....

verb

adverb

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noun

6. John is my best friend. Here John is a/an

.....

Proper noun

Collective noun

Common noun

7. She looked up but didn't see anything. Here up is a/an

verb

adverb

conjunction

8. My family live in different parts of India. Here

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family is a/an

common noun

abstract noun

collective noun

9. That was a difficult question. Here difficult is a/an

adjective

adverb

preposition

10. She was very impressed with her results. Here very is a/an

adjective

adverb

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verb

11. Although she is poor, she is happy. Although is a/an

conjunction

preposition

verb

12. Have we bought enough chairs? Enough is a/an

adverb

adjective

preposition

13. The policeman didn't run fast enough to catch

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the thief. Here fast is a/an

.....

adjective

adverb

verb

Answers

1. She went to the market and bought some eggs. (verb)
2. I want to go now. (adverb)
3. What are you doing there? (adverb)
4. There is a mouse underneath the piano. (preposition)
5. Masons build houses. (noun)
6. John is my best friend. (proper noun)
7. She looked up but didn't see anything. (adverb)
8. My family live in different parts of India. (collective noun)
9. That was a difficult question. (adjective)
10. She was very impressed with her results. (adverb)

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11. Although she is poor, she is happy. (conjunction)
12. Have we bought enough chairs? (adjective)
13. The policeman didn't run fast enough to catch the thief. (adverb)

Notes

The word enough can be an adjective and an adverb.