

Spelling list: MFL - key grammar terms

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| verb | A verb is a word that names an action ; run, walk, talk, for example. |
| noun | A noun is a word that names someone or something. |
| infinitive | An infinitive is the basic form of the verb. In English it is usually accompanied by 'to' to go, to be, to want. |
| auxiliary | An auxiliary verb is a helper verb - the first verb in a compound tense. |
| inversion | Inversion is a change from the normal word order. |
| adjective | An adjective is a word which describes something. |
| adverb | An adverb is a word that describes a verb or an action. |
| definite | The definite article is the word the. It is used before a noun to specify it as something previously considered. |
| indefinite | The indefinite article is the word a. It is used before a noun to describe it as something non-specific. |
| subject | The subject of a sentence is the person or thing doing the action or being described. |