

Name: _____

Date: _____

Parts of Speech Mini Lesson

Fill in the Blank Notes

Directions: Fill in the blanks based on the information in the mini lesson.

What is a part of speech?

The part of speech indicates _____ the word _____ in _____ as well as _____ within the sentence.

- There are _____ parts of speech in the English language.

Adjective

- _____ a _____ or _____
- **Example:** Elle's boyfriend broke up with her because she was blonde.
 - Highlight the adjective.

Verb

- Expresses an _____ or _____
- **Example:** Elle decided she needed a new life plan, so she applied to law school.
 - Highlight the verbs.

Adverb

- _____ or _____ a verb, an _____, or another _____.
- Tip: Usually _____ in _____
- **Example:** Elle's friends started to take her goals seriously and threw her a lively celebration when she got into law school.
 - Highlight the adverbs.

Noun

- A _____, _____, _____ or _____.
- **Examples:**
 - **Person:** Elle Woods
 - **Place:** Harvard University
 - **Thing:** Law degree
 - **Idea:** Determination

Pronoun

- A _____ used in place of a _____.
- **Example:** Elle's ex boyfriend could not believe it when she got into Harvard Law school.
 - Highlight the pronoun.

Preposition

- A _____ used to _____ nouns, pronouns, or _____ to other words _____ a sentence
- It acts to _____ the people, objects, time, and locations of a _____.
- **Example:** Elle walked towards the list of law interns for the big case with confidence.
 - Highlight the preposition.

Interjection

- A _____ used to express _____.
- **Example:** *Oh wow! I have figured out the case!* Elle thought to herself.
 - Highlight the interjection

Conjunction

- Joins _____, _____, or _____.
- Tip: Use _____ to _____ your conjunctions.
 - For, _____, Nor, _____, Or, _____, So
- **Example:** People didn't believe in her, but Elle worked hard and was successful.
 - Highlight the conjunctions.