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What are adjectives?

An adjective is a word that describes, identifies, modifies, or quantifies something (a noun or a pronoun). In the phrase, "the black cat" the word black is an adjective because it describes the cat.

In English, an adjective usually comes before the noun it pertains to (for example, a red apple or a cute cat.).

Adjectives can be classified into many categories. In English, adjectives are generally used in the order: **quantity-->opinion-->size-->age-->shape-->color-->origin-->material-->purpose.**

Adjectives that begin with 'A & C':

adventurous	accurate	admirable	affectionate	ambitious	astonishing
callous	calm	candid	capable	captivating	catastrophic

Adjectives that begin with 'C':

causal	cautious	central	challenging	chaotic	characteristic	
charitable	charming	childish	civil	classical	collective	compassionate

Sort your words in Adjective Categories (Some may fit two places)!

quantity	opinion	size	age	shape	color	origin	material	purpose

Sort your words: Prefixes/ Suffixes (some words may fit in both categories or neither!)

Prefix												
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