

Action Verbs

An action verb is a word that shows what someone or something is doing.

*Examples: Mary sleeps on the couch.
 Jason's best friend thinks of a plan.
 Ken and his mother cook dinner.*

Directions: Circle the action verb in each sentence below.

1. Sally listens to her favorite song.
2. Craig hits the baseball over the fence.
3. The little pig grunts.
4. The roof of the house leaks.
5. The hunter searches for a deer.
6. Dr. Gold examines his patient.
7. The bluebird in the tree sings beautifully.
8. The football team dashes out of the locker room.
9. Paul reads The Adventures of Tom Sawyer.

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10. Mrs. Gray buys a roll of paper towels at the store.

11. Judy solves the mystery.

12. Harold finds a purple crayon.

Directions: Write the words "*action verb*" next to each action verb.
Write the word "*noun*" next to each noun.

13. swims _____

20. basketball _____

14. thinks _____

21. plays _____

15. sneezes _____

22. relaxes _____

16. clock _____

23. grass _____

17. tooth _____

24. game _____

18. drives _____

25. writes _____

19. takes _____