



Wow! He and eight clowns joyously visited school on Thursday.

**INSTRUCTIONS** In the blank identify the part of speech which has been underlined. Write "1" for noun, "2" for pronoun, "3" for verb, "4" for adjective, "5" for adverb, "6" for conjunction, "7" for preposition, and "8" for interjection.

- THE RULE The Eight Parts of Speech**
1. Noun — names a person, place, or thing
  2. Pronoun — noun substitute
  3. Verb — shows action or state of being
  4. Adjective — word that describes a noun
  5. Adverb — tells when, where, why, or how
  6. Conjunction — connecting word
  7. Preposition — shows relationship between words; introduces prepositional phrase
  8. Interjection — expresses feeling

**EXAMPLES**  $\frac{7}{4}$  a. The teacher looked frustrated.  $\frac{2}{1}$  b. One must be careful.  $\frac{7}{c}$  This project is a waste of my time and money.

1. The lawyer made many changes.
2. Someone didn't vote.
3. He confronted me with the facts.
4. Adam is a responsible adult.
5. Mark hurt himself.
6. He ate all but one.
7. My boss expects results.
8. Wow! That was some game.
9. Do you have an appointment?
10. I am not very hungry.
11. Well, you have the advantage.
12. Concentrate on your work.

13. Eric incriminated himself.
14. Their social system is different.
15. You and I must evaluate this.
16. The sea was tranquil.
17. The answer will come soon enough.
18. Are you a Republican or a Democrat?
19. I can't read without my glasses.
20. Her performance was flawless.
21. A feud is a disagreement.
22. Sometimes Frank irritates me.
23. Mr. King is Dad's business partner.
24. Emily Dickinson was a recluse.

List the eight parts of speech. \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_, and \_\_\_\_\_.



**BACK PAGE** Write two examples for each of the eight parts of speech.

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