

PARTS OF SPEECH EXERCISE #1

EXERCISE

In the space at the right of each sentence, write the part of speech of the underlined word. In making your decision, ask yourself what work the word does in the sentence.

1. We took an express train. _____
2. A train whistle sounded in the distance. _____
3. I will train your dog. _____
4. Cross the street on a green light. _____
5. Turn right at the next cross street. _____
6. She was wearing a gold cross. _____
7. The boss will fire me. _____
8. The fire department is always ready. _____
9. We saw a large fire in the distance. _____
10. He has a bald head. _____
11. Who is head usher? _____
12. She will head the freshman class. _____
13. He can field a ball faster than any other player. _____
14. The new athletic field is ready for use. _____
15. A field mouse scampered by. _____
16. Everyone left the building in a hurry. _____
17. I sat on the left side of the room. _____
18. Turn left at the next corner. _____
19. Let's walk around. _____
20. They walk around the block _____

EXERCISE

Write in the spaces the right part of speech described.

1. modifies a noun _____
2. joins two equal words and word groups _____
3. modifies an adverb _____
4. expresses an action _____
5. names a person, place, or thing _____
6. shows the relationship between a following noun _____
or pronoun and some other word
7. takes the place of a noun _____
8. modifies a pronoun _____
9. expresses sudden emotion _____
10. modifies a verb _____