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Type	Usage	Examples	Sentence
Comparative	used to compare two different people or things to each other	smaller faster more expensive	Whales are <b>larger</b> animals than dolphins.
Superlative	used to compare more than two people or things by indicating which one is the most supreme or extreme	smartest loudest least valuable	Out of all of my books, this one is the <b>oldest</b> .
Predicate	appears in the <u>predicate</u> of a sentence as a <u>subject complement</u> rather than directly next to the nouns or pronouns that they modify		The steak looks <b>delicious</b> .
Compound	formed from multiple words, which are usually connected by hyphens	never-ending cross-eyed run-of-the-mill	My <b>happy-go-lucky</b> daughter loved our trip to Disneyland.
Possessive	used to express possession or ownership	their its whose	<b>My</b> favorite food is pizza
Demonstrative	used to express relative positions in space and time.	that these those	<b>This</b> weekend is going to be really fun.
Proper	formed from proper nouns- commonly used to say that something is related to a specific person or place	African Napoleonic Shakespearian	We studied the history of <b>Victorian</b> England in school today.



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Participial	based on participles, which are words that usually end in -ed or -ing and derive from verbs	amazing impressed fascinating	Travis was late for his <b>swimming</b> lessons.
Limiting	restricts a noun or pronoun rather than describe any of its characteristics or qualities	these your some	She found <b>three</b> pennies under the couch cushions.
Descriptive	describes the characteristics, traits, or qualities of a noun or pronoun	what which whose	A lot of <b>interesting</b> people visit this park.
Interrogative	used to ask questions	what which whose	<b>Which</b> button turns off the lights?
Attributive	placed directly next to the noun and pronoun that they modify	beautiful special	The <b>hungry</b> gorilla ate the <b>fresh</b> mangoes.
Distributive	refers to members of a group individually	every either neither	<b>Each</b> puppy got their own little doghouse.