

Teacher Directions

The activities in this unit are designed to take approximately 10 minutes per day.

Here is a schedule that I have created.

Monday: Teach a mini lesson using the PowerPoint

Tuesday: Practice the skill using the notebook activity

Wednesday: Incorporate writing using the writing activity

Thursday: Practice using a task card scoot*

Friday: Assess with the provided assessment

*The task card scoot MIGHT take your kids longer than 10 minutes.



Monday: Mini Lesson

Use this time to introduce the weekly grammar skill. Use the provided PowerPoint. The lesson does encourage collaboration. It is important that students have a shoulder partner to share with.

The slides do ask students to come up with additional examples. You can just record these on the board if you like.

Slides can be printed if you want to have an anchor chart/poster for your classroom.



Monday: Mini Lesson

CONJUNCTIONS

A **conjunction** links two like things together.

Whisper to your partner!
tell them what a conjunction is.

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PREPOSITIONS

A **preposition** is almost always followed by a noun or noun phrase.

A noun phrase usually includes "the" before a noun.

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Tuesday: Notebooks

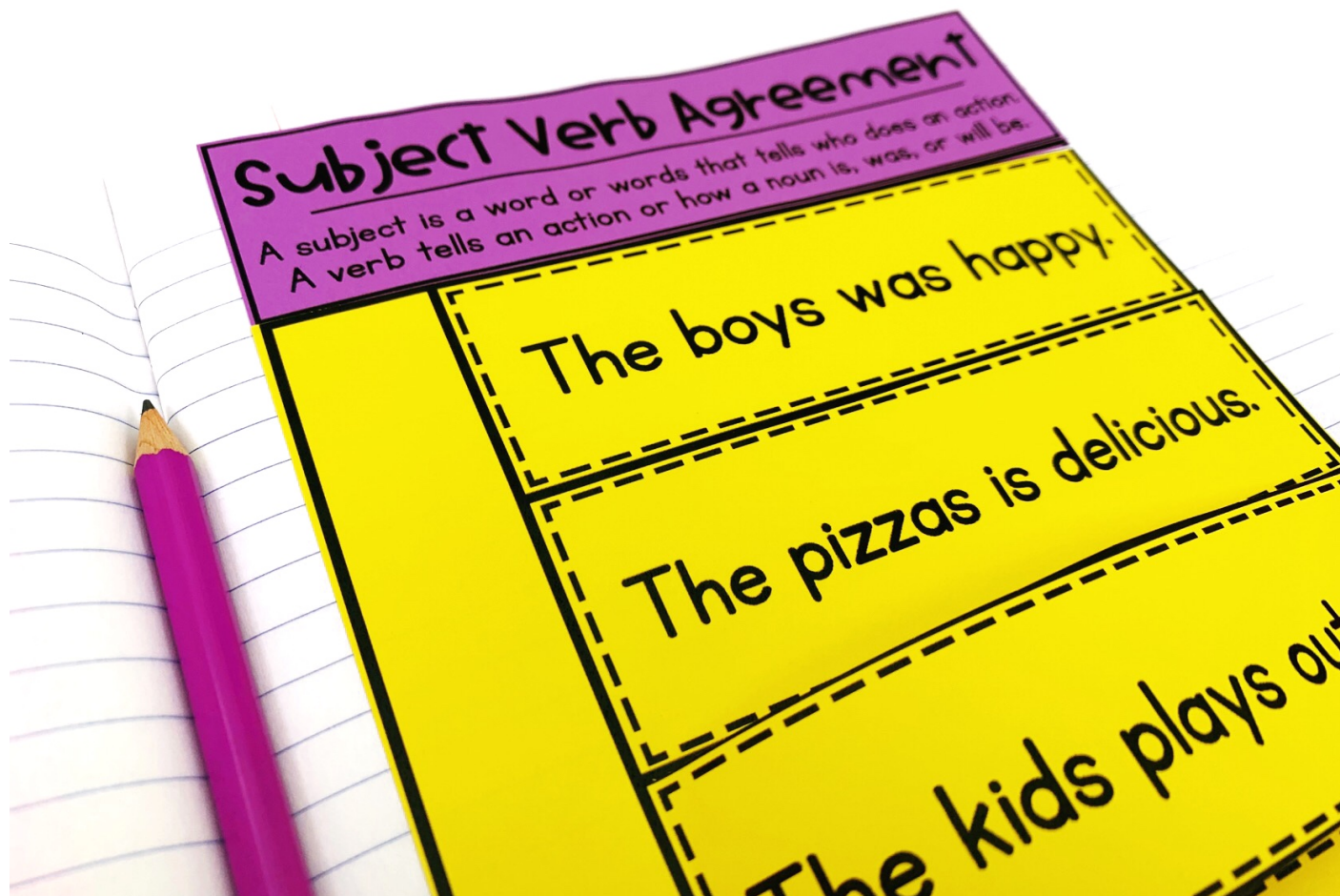
Students will use this time to complete a notebook activity. The notebook activity is great practice and will become a resource that they can look back on all year.

Students can work independently or with a partner.

If time permits, you can have students share an example that they have included in their notebook.



Tuesday: Notebooks



Wednesday: Writing

Today students will be taking their new language skill and incorporating it into their writing.

Simply use the PowerPoint provided to guide students as to what they should be writing.

Students will write independently, but then they will work with a partner to continue practicing their weekly skill.



Wednesday: Writing

TYPES OF VERBS

Write at least
sentences about
or vacati

Remember to include
types of verbs in your

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TYPES OF VERBS

Trade papers with
your partner.

Circle all of the verbs
you find in their writing.

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Thursday: Task Cards

Today students will be practicing using task cards. Each student will need a recording sheet. You will need one set of the task cards for the class.

Spread the task cards around on the desks.

Students can start with the card closest to them and then scoot to the next card. It does not matter the order that they complete the cards and they can work at their own pace.


If needed, you can scoot with some of your lowest learners to offer support.

This can be a graded assignment or something that you discuss as a whole group.

Thursday: Task Cards



Friday: Assessment



NOUNS & ADJECTIVES

Read the questions and sentences below.
Then, choose the word that correctly answers the question.

Name: _____

1. Which word is an adjective? My best friend, Erica, broke her arm.	
a. arm	b. her
c. Erica	d. best

2. Which word is a noun? It was her right arm.	
a. arm	b. right
c. it	d. was

3. Which word is a noun? Her handwriting looks terrible now.	
a. terrible	b. now
c. looks	d. handwriting

4. Which word is an adjective? She fell off the tall slide at the park.	
a. park	b. fell
c. tall	d. she

5. Which word is an adjective? Erica is afraid of heights now.	
a. Erica	b. afraid
c. is	d. now

6. Which word is an adjective? She missed two days of school.	
a. of	b. two
c. missed	d. school

8. Which word is a noun?	
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Today students will work independently to take an assessment. The assessment is on a half sheet to save paper!

An answer key is included.

BEST FOR GRADES 4 & 5



grammar unit 1

nouns and adjectives

personal pronouns

verbs

subject verb agreement

adverbs

prepositions

conjunctions

unit 1 review