

English Language Resource Center, C-212

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Parts of Speech Exercise

Label the parts of speech for the bold words in the following sentences.

1.	He finished his homework.
2.	Sean is working atthe computer.
3.	What are the eight parts of speech ?
4.	Will youhelp me movetomorrow?
5.	She has been sick for three days.
6.	There have been two enormous snowstorms this winter.
7.	Tom Cruise and Nicole Kidman announced that they are getting separated.
8.	She is getting married next year.
9.	The computer is having technical problems.
10.	I like steak, but she doesn't eat meat.
11.	Help!My computer just crashed.
12.	He sauntered proudly across the stage.
13.	Althoughhe didn't want to go to class, he knew he had to go.
14.	John never puts sugar in his coffee.

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Answer key

1. He **finished** <u>verb</u> his homework. 2. **Sean** <u>noun</u> is working at <u>preposition</u> the computer. 3. What are the eight parts of **speech** noun? 4. Will **you** <u>pronoun</u> help me **move** <u>verb</u> tomorrow? 5. **She** <u>pronoun</u> has been sick **for** <u>preposition</u> three days. 6. There have been two **enormous** <u>adjective</u> **snowstorms** <u>noun</u> this winter. 7. Tom Cruise and Nicole Kidman announced that **they** <u>pronoun</u> are getting separated. 8. **She** <u>pronoun</u> is getting married next year. 9. The computer is having **technical** <u>adjective</u> problems. 10. I **like <u>verb</u>** steak, **but <u>conjunction</u>** she doesn't eat meat. 11. **Help!** <u>interjection</u> My computer just crashed. 12. He sauntered **proudly** <u>adverb</u> across the stage. 13. **Although** <u>conjunction</u> he didn't want to go to class, he knew he had to go. 14. John **never** <u>adverb</u> puts sugar in his coffee.