

# St Paul's Church of England Primary School



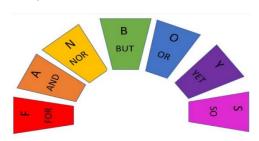
"Don't let anyone look down on you because you are young but set an example for the believers in speech; in conduct; in love; in faith and in purity."

(1 Timothy 4:12)

English Year group: Year Two Grammar and Punctuation

# **Coordinating Conjunctions**

Words that connect two phrases or clauses of equal weight (they make sense on their own).



I wanted to ride my bike. The tyre was flat.

Becomes:

I wanted to ride my bike but the tyre was flat.

#### **Noun Phrases**

Table — The table — The small table.

Noun Add a determiner. Add an adjective.

### Commas in a list

Commas are used to separate items in a list.

In this lesson I must have a pencil, scissors, paper and a ruler.

Note: The last item on the list is always separated by 'and'

## **Subordinating Conjunctions**

Words used at the start of a subordinate clause (a clause that needs the main clause in order for it to make sense).



We went to London when I was seven.

Main clause (makes sense by itself).

After the film, we went shopping.

# **Apostrophes**

An apostrophe used to show singular possession:

The girl's hat. The hat that belongs to the girl.

You can also use apostrophes to show that you have omitted (left out) some letters when you

are joining words together.

Did not → Didn't

The apostrophe replaces the omitted letter 'o'.

#### The Tenses

The tense of a verb shows if something is happening in the present, past or future.



### **The Progressive Form**

The **progressive form** is a verb **tense** used to show an ongoing action in progress at some point in time.

Present Progressive ——Azran is studying right now.

Past progressive → Azran was studying when they came.

Future progressive — → Azran will be studying when you come.

## **Suffixes**

Using suffixes (-ness, -ful, -less, -er, -est and -ly) to create new words.

Happy- happiness Fast- faster
Care-careful Small- smallest
Hope- hopeless Slow-slowly

Key Vocabulary	Definition
Adjective	A word that describe a noun (a person, place or thing)
Apostrophe	Punctuation mark used to show possession (belonging) or omission (letters left out)
Adverbs	A word that adds more information about a verb, an adjective or another adverb
Command	Tells you to do something. Often urgent and short. Get in the car.
Exclamation	Usually begins with 'How' or 'What. Full sentence including a verb. What a terrible accident!
Noun	Names of things that we can touch (concrete) and abstract (ideas, emotions).
Past Tense	Verb form used to describe things that happened in the past
Present Tense	Verb form used to describe things happening right now
Question	Sentences that ask something or show doubts  Is that your car? Ends with a question mark
Statement	Sentence that claims something as truth  My car is blue. Ends with full stop
Suffix	An 'ending', used at the end of one word to turn it into another word. Care- careful
Verb	Can be referred to as 'action/doing' words. The girl chased the dog