**Noun** = A person, place or thing *(table, Paris, Tim)*

**Verb** = An action or state *(run, eat, be, believe)*

**Adjective** = Describes a noun *(lazy, funny)*

**Adverb** = Describes a verb, adjective or other adverb

*(softly, often)*

**Pronoun** = A word that takes the place of a noun

*(it, she, he, who, ours)*

**Preposition =** A word that comes before a noun or pronoun and expresses a relation to another word or element in the clause *(on, after, for)*

**Article** = Identifies and specifies a noun *(a, the)*

**Interjection** = Expresses emotion *(Ah, Ouch!)*

**Idiom** = Phrase whose meaning is not literal, i.e. a colloquial metaphor

* e.g. *kick the bucket, touch base*, *lay one’s cards on the table*

**Phrasal Verb** = A verb combined with a preposition in place of a formal verb

* + - Meaning not always discernible through literal translation

e.g. *break up, do up, fall out, end up, turn up, work out*

**Subject** = The part of a sentence or clause that commonly indicates who or what performs the action (that is, the agent)

**Object** = The part of the sentence that the action is being done to

**Conjunction** = A word that connects words, phrases, clauses or sentences *(and, but)*

**Clause** = A group of related words containing a subject and a verb