



# BASIC STRUCTURE OF ENGLISH



## SUBJECT - VERB - OBJECT

- Subject (S): Who or what is performing the action.
- Verb (V): The action being performed.
- Object (O): Who or what is receiving the action.

### SUBJECT

The subject is the one who performs the action. It can be a noun (person, thing, place) or a pronoun.

- She is reading.
- John is playing football.
- The cat sleeps.

### VERB

The verb describes the action performed by the subject. Verbs can be regular or irregular.

- I eat pizza.
- She reads a book.
- They run every day.

### OBJECT

The object receives the action of the verb. It can be a noun or a pronoun.

- She reads books.
- I like ice cream.
- They watch movies.

## SUBJECT + VERB + OBJECT + COMPLEMENT

Sometimes, the basic structure includes a complement that provides more information about the action or state.

### Variations and Questions

#### QUESTIONS

- Does he eat pizza? (Does he eat pizza?)
- Is she reading a book? (Is she reading a book?)

#### NEGATIONS

- He does not (doesn't) eat pizza. (He doesn't eat pizza.)
- She is not (isn't) reading a book. (She isn't reading a book.)