

VERB PHRASE

English II
Meeting 4



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What is a Phrase?

A phrase is a group of two or more words which:

1. is a part of a sentence.
2. has a particular meaning when used together

a red box	noun phrase
will go	verb phrase
quite big	adjective phrase
very slowly	adverb phrase
in the car	prepositional phrase

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Find the answers to these questions!

1. What is a Verb?
2. What is a Verb Phrase?
3. What are the components of a Verb Phrase?

Answers:

1. **Verb** is a word
2. **Verb Phrase** is
3. **Components of a Verb Phrase:**

Main Verbs & Auxiliary Verbs

AUXILIARY VERB/HELPING VERB	+	MAIN VERB
MOdal (Shall, Will, Can, May, Must, etc)		Verb 1
Have (have, has, had)		Verb 3
BE (is, am, are, was, were, be, been)		Verb – ing Verb 3 (passive)
DO (do, does, did)		Verb 1
-		BE (is, am, are, was, were, be, been)
-		Verb 1
-		Verb 2

VERB & VERB PHRASE

Identify the Verb & Verb Phrase!

1. The last two question **was** extremely hard.
2. Music therapy **can decrease** the level of stress.
3. Speaking English **is** always useful when we **travel** abroad.
4. He **didn't visit** Italy and Spain last year.
5. The girl with a cat on his arm **has been sitting** at the wooden chair for an hour.
6. The Informatics students **are working on** the mobile app project.



7. Good communication skills are essential in all aspect of life.
8. A spelling checker can identify and correct spelling errors of the words
9. Today, millions of people depend on e-mail software
10. Have you heard the latest IT trends?
11. She is able to speak and write English well.
12. You will be able to pass the test if you work hard.

See you next week!
Practice makes perfect😊

