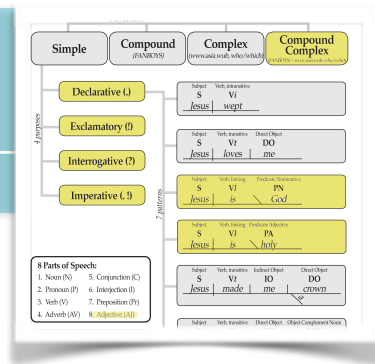




Week 22

Adjectives & Participle Verbals



Adjectives:

DESCRIPTIVE	tell "what kind?"	hairy llama, friendly llama
DEGREE		tall llama (positive), taller llama (comparative), tallest llama (superlative)
POSSESSIVE	tell "whose?"	
	Possessive Noun Adjectives	the farmer's llama
	Possessive Proper Noun Adjectives	Katie's llama
	Possessive Pronoun Adjectives	his llama
LIMITING	tell "how many?" or "which?"	
	Article Adjectives	a llama, the llama, an alpaca
	Number	one llama, forty-two llamas
	Demonstrative	this llama, that llama
	Indefinite	some llamas, most llamas
	Interrogative	Which llamas? Whose llamas?

Adjectives (AJ)

Modifies a noun or pronoun by describing, qualifying, or limiting.

Answers the questions:

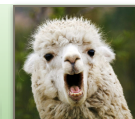
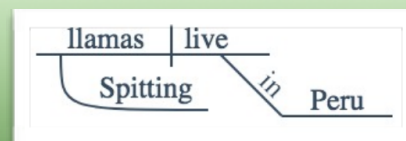
What kind?
How many?
Which?
Whose?

Participle (Verbals):

A participle is a verb form:

- used as an **adjective**
- most often ends in **-ed**, **-en**, or **-ing**
- either in the present or the past form of a verb

Spitting llamas live in Peru.



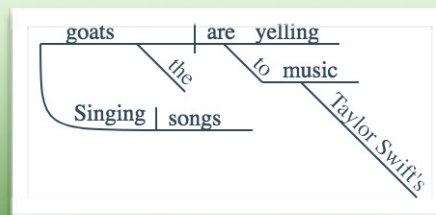
Participles may be part of a phrase.

participle verbal (no helping verb)

Singing songs, the goats are yelling to Taylor Swift's music.

verb phrase (has helping verb "are")

- Do not confuse a participle with a verb phrase.
- A verb phrase will have a present participle with a helping verb.



Infinitives	Participles	Gerunds
A verb acting as a NOUN, ADJ, or ADV	A verb acting as a ADJECTIVE	A verb acting as a NOUN
To juggle is fun.	Juggling tutors are rare.	Juggling is difficult.