

# Adjectives

Adjectives are words that modify nouns and pronouns by describing specific qualities about them. There are many types of adjectives, including interrogative, quantitative, possessive, descriptive, and demonstrative.

Descriptive adjectives are the most common kind and can be simply defined as the type of adjectives that are used to express the size, color, or shape of a person, a thing, an animal, or a place. They are used to provide more information to a noun by describing or modifying it.

## 1. Adjectives can come:

**After the verb be:**

**Bridget is blue.**

**Before a noun:**

**Poppy is a beautiful troll.**

## 2. Do not add -s to adjectives.

**The king is green. The kings are green.**

**he troll's body is colorful. Their bodies are colorful.**

**Incorrect: The kings are greens. Their bodies are colorfults.**

## 3. For adjective + noun:

**Use a before the adjective if the adjective begins with a consonant sound:**

**It's a big palace.**

**Use an before the adjective if the adjective begins with a vowel sound:**

**It's an incredible dance**

## 4. Some adjectives end in -ing, -ly, or -ed:

**Interesting  
Friendly  
Tired**

**•It's important to not confuse these adjectives with adverbs, gerunds or verbs in the past tense.**

## 5. Structure for descriptive adjectives:

Noun	Be	Adjective
Trolls' hair	Is	Long.
Bergens	are	huge.

	Adjective	Noun
They are a	friendly	group of trolls.
She is a	scary	chef.