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Nouns & Verbs

As you know some words in English can be either a noun or a verb. It is important to look at the words go before and after them to identify whether it is a verb or noun.

- **Nouns usually come after an article (a, an, the), a preposition (on, in, near...) and possessive adjective (my, her, your...).**

Ex: I have a pen.

Eraser is near the pen.

This is my pen.

- **Verbs are usually come after the subject.**

Ex: I read books.

We can dance.

01. Are the bold words nouns or verbs? (One is done for you.)

Once I went to a restaurant with my mother after watching a **show** (**noun**). The waiter served a **drink**. (.....). But I didn't **drink** (.....) it. My mother gave me a strange **look** (.....). "Why, do you need something else?" asked my mother. But she noticed that I didn't hear it either. My mother wondered why I **look** (.....) outside. I wanted to **show** (.....) her something. So we went to the **park** (.....) where my mother **parked** (.....) the vehicle. I showed her a puppy that needed **help** (.....). My mother asked me, "Do you like to **help** (.....) this poor fellow?" At once I said "yes" with a big smile. Finally we took it home.