noun person, place, thing, or idea VOCAB 1

adjective modifies (describes) noun or a pronoun

concrete noun a noun you can see and touch

abstract noun a noun you cannot see and touch

common noun not specific; not capitalized

proper noun specific noun; capitalized

pronoun takes the place of a noun

articles signals a noun; a, an, the

appositive word or words that renames a noun

edit correct mechanics, usage, grammar, spelling

revision make content better; what it says better

topic sentence tells what the paragraph is about

skimming looking at bold words, headings, pictures

scanning reading first and last sentences of paragraphs

run-on sentence no punctuation; goes on and on

expository writing writing that explains