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200 Bellringers



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## Teacher Directions

- At the beginning of every class, give students 1-5 minutes to read the prompt and answer the question. Some questions can be answered quickly, while other will require more thinking. For multiple choice questions, use additional time to review *every* answer choice. You want to show why the correct answer is the best choice and why the other three choices are wrong.
- You may choose to print weekly bell ringer sheets and give students a new worksheet every Monday or just direct students to record their responses in a composition book, ELA notebook, or journal.
- You can grade students if you want. One option is walk around the room and check answers. Another option is to collect completed bell ringer worksheets. It is also a fine idea to just use this time as a learning/teaching opportunity with no grades.
- Personal preference: I do not grade bell ringers, but occasionally on Fridays, I will collect bell ringer worksheets (from only one class) just to keep students honest.
- I consider these bell ringers a great tool to review for state testing and to practice important ELA skills in general.

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## Parts of Speech

Find all of the adjectives:

Whitney congratulated the elderly couple on their 50<sup>th</sup> anniversary.

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## Parts of Speech

Find all of the adjectives:

Whitney congratulated the elderly couple on their 50<sup>th</sup> anniversary.

Whitney congratulated the **elderly** couple on their **50<sup>th</sup>** anniversary.

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## Parts of Speech

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Find all of the prepositions:  
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Let's run around the track until dinner time!

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## Parts of Speech

Find all of the prepositions:

NOT FOR EDUCATIONAL USE  
Let's run around the track until dinner time!

Let's run **around** the track **until** dinner time!

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## Parts of Speech

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Find all of the adverbs:

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Unfortunately, I am very bad at playing volleyball.

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## Parts of Speech

PREVIEW  
Find all of the adverbs:

NOT FOR EDUCATIONAL USE  
Unfortunately, I am very bad at playing volleyball.

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## Parts of Speech

Find all of the nouns:

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Jenny found a pair of shoes in my bedroom.

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## Parts of Speech

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Find all of the verbs:

NOT FOR EDUCATIONAL USE  
I forgot my homework at home and apologized to my teacher.

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## Parts of Speech

Find all of the verbs:

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## Parts of Speech

Find all of the prepositions:

NOT FOR EDUCATIONAL USE  
Her house is across the street toward the mall.

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## Parts of Speech

Find all of the prepositions:

NOT FOR EDUCATIONAL USE  
Her house is across the street toward the mall.

Her house is **across** the street **toward** the mall.

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## Parts of Speech

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Find all of the conjunctions:  
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I like tomato sauce and ketchup, but I don't like tomatoes.

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## Parts of Speech

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Find all of the conjunctions:

# NOT FOR EDUCATIONAL USE

I like tomato sauce and ketchup, but I don't like tomatoes.

I like tomato sauce **and** ketchup, **but** I don't like tomatoes.

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## Parts of Speech

Find all of the verbs:

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The rain soaked us, so we were cold.

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## Parts of Speech

Find all of the nouns:

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The cat's toy was outside by the pool.

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## Parts of Speech

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The cat's toy was outside by the pool.

The **cat's toy** was outside by the **pool**.

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## Parts of Speech

Find all of the pronouns:

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## Parts of Speech

Find all of the prepositions:

NOT FOR EDUCATIONAL USE  
On Sunday, I went to church with my grandmother.

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## Parts of Speech

Find all of the prepositions:

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On Sunday, I went to church with my grandmother.

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## Parts of Speech

Find all of the pronouns:

NOT FOR EDUCATIONAL USE  
It is impossible to lick your elbow.

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## Parts of Speech

Find all of the pronouns:

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## Parts of Speech

Find all of the interjections:

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## Parts of Speech

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## Parts of Speech

What part of speech is the underlined word?

NOT FOR EDUCATIONAL USE  
The candy we received was from our teacher.

- a) Singular past tense noun
- b) Plural present tense verb
- c) Plural past tense adjective
- d) Singular past tense verb

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What part of speech is the underlined word?

NOT FOR EDUCATIONAL USE  
More people visit France than any other country.

- a) Indefinite pronoun
- b) Complex noun
- c) Proper adjective
- d) Coordinating conjunction

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NOT FOR EDUCATIONAL USE  
The strongest muscle in the body is the tongue.

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- b) preposition
- c) adverb
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## Parts of Speech

What part of speech is the underlined word?

NOT FOR EDUCATIONAL USE  
I saw the guitar that you own in the store the other day.

- a) Reflexive pronoun
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- c) Relative pronoun
- d) Interrogative pronoun

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What part of speech is the underlined word?

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- b) adverb
- c) adjective
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What part of speech is the underlined word?

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There was nothing in my house to eat for lunch.

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- b) Indefinite pronoun
- c) Relative pronoun
- d) Possessive pronoun

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## Corrections

**PREVIEW**  
Rewrite the sentence below making all necessary grammatical corrections.  
**NOT FOR EDUCATIONAL USE**  
elephants are mammals that cant jump

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## Corrections

### PREVIEW

Rewrite the sentence below making all necessary grammatical corrections.

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Elephants are mammals that can't jump.

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## Corrections

Rewrite the sentence below making all necessary grammatical corrections.

the cotton candy mashine was invented by a  
dentist named william james morrison

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## Corrections

Rewrite the sentence below making all necessary grammatical corrections.

the cotton candy mashine was invented by a  
dentist named william james morrison

The cotton candy machine was invented by a  
dentist named William James Morrison.

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in japan letting a sumo wrestler make ur baby cry  
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In Japan, letting a sumo wrestler make your baby cry is considered good luck.

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