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English Language Important Terms for beginners

What do you understand by the word English?

English is an International language.

What is Grammar?

Grammar is a set of rules that follows the proper arrangement of words in a sentence.

What is an Alphabet?

Alphabet consists of 26 letters.

What are Vowels?

In English language, there are some letters that make number of words. There is no word without the vowels, Vowels are letter a, e, i, o , u sometime y.

What are Consonants?

Letters other than vowels are called consonants. Consonants are remaining 21 letters in Alphabet.

What is word?

A combination of some letters that make a word.

What is Sentence?

Sentence is group of words that makes proper sense.

What are the parts of sentences?

There are 2 parts of sentences. Subject & Predicate.

What is Subject?

It is the first part of a sentence & talks about the sentence. (what the sentence is about).

What is Predicate?

It talks about the subject. (what the subject does)

For e.g.

Mohan is reading a book.

S P

(S= subject

P= predicate)

In this sentence, Mohan is a subject & is reading a book is a predicate.

What are types of sentences?

Common 4 types of sentences.

- 1) Assertive/ Declarative
- 2) Interrogative
- 3) Imperative
- 4) Exclamatory

What is Assertive/ Declarative Sentence?

It says or states something.

For e.g. Shriya likes mango and chocolate. (It provides some information about Shriya)

What is an Interrogative Sentence?

It asks questions.

For e.g. How old are you?

What is an Imperative Sentence?

It expresses a command, request or advice.

Pay attention. (command)

Please come in. (request)

You should practice everyday. (advice)

What is an exclamatory sentence?

It expresses sudden strong feelings or emotions. It ends with exclamation mark. (!)

Thank You for learning!

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