

Identifying verbs

Grade 4

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Verbs are doing words.

A verb can express a physical action (e.g. to run), a mental action (e.g. to think) or a state of being (e.g. to be).

Circle the verbs in the sentences.

1. The boat floated away because Sam forgot to tie it up.
2. The baby squeaks his toys very loudly.
3. Paul offered to help with the housework.
4. I ordered a large pizza with ham and mushrooms.
5. My cat jumped up onto the table.
6. We forgot to return the books to the library.
7. Mike decided to do a puzzle on the rainy day.
8. I reached for the book on the top shelf.
9. The fish tasted really good with coconut milk.
10. Anna spent all of her savings at once.
11. The snake scared me, and I screamed for help.
12. We picked flat rocks so we could skip them across the water.