

## Adjectives

- Introduce adjectives as a part of speech that is used for describing things (nouns). Adjectives give detail and help to create a mental picture when reading.
- Have students think, pair, share about the adjectives they know.
- Ask students to think of and share some describing words for objects in the classroom. Model your own, e.g. “The pencil is sharp and red,” or “the sharp, red pencil.”
- Have students re-read a chapter of the book and find the adjectives.
- Ask: “Why has the author used adjectives in the text? How do adjectives help you to understand the text better?”

*Notes:*

For more support on Adjectives, see page 34 of the *Pathways Teacher’s Guide*.