



Phrases

A phrase is a group of words which form a part of a sentence. A phrase does not have a finite verb and does not make a whole sentence. It often starts with a preposition, eg in, on, under, with, to, before or after.

<i>Adjectival phrases</i> tell more about the noun or pronoun	<i>Adverbial phrases</i> tell more about the verb
<p>The man <i>with the grey hair</i> is my grandfather.</p> <p>Tells more about the man</p>	<p><i>At nine o'clock</i>, the girl entered the classroom.</p> <p>Tells more about entering</p>
<p>I saw a bird <i>in its nest</i>.</p> <p>Tells more about the bird</p>	<p>She sat <i>near the door</i>.</p> <p>Tells more about sitting</p>
<p>Everyone <i>at the party</i> was in costume.</p> <p>Tells more about everyone</p>	<p><i>At the ballet concert</i>, he performed <i>with great skill</i>.</p> <p>Tells more about performing</p>