**Understanding the Parts of Speech**

Answer the questions about the sample sentence.

**Paula plays the piano, and she writes nature poems.**

1. What are the three nouns in the sentence?

2. Which of these nouns is a proper noun?

3. What are the two verbs in the sentence?

4. Are the verbs linking verbs or action verbs?

5. What word is an adjective?

6. What word is an article?

7. What word is a conjunction?

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