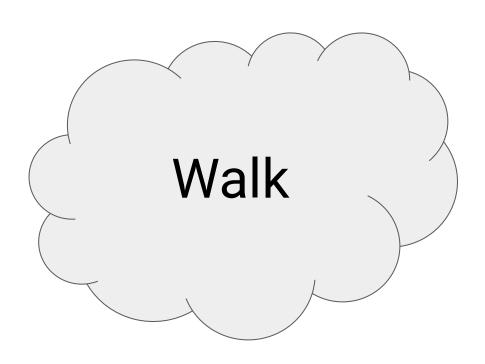
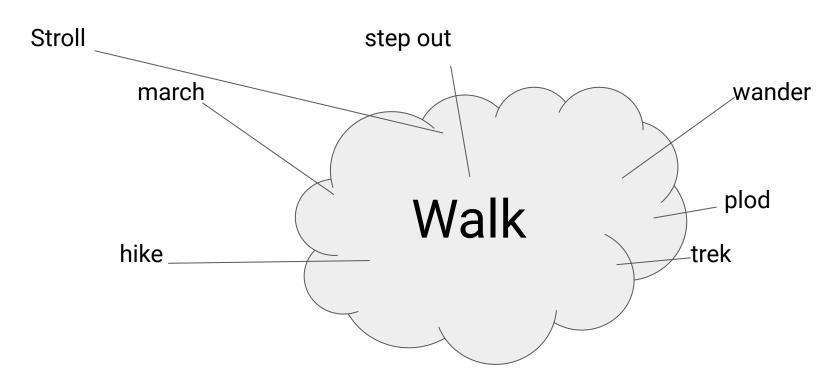
Year 4 English Week 6 Lesson 3

Can I use fronted adverbials?

FAST FIVE - Possible answers on the next page Can You find 5 synonyms for the word in the cloud?



Examples of a synonym for walk are:



What is a fronted adverbial?

- •A fronted adverbial goes at the beginning of a sentence.
- •It adds detail to the verb (the 'doing' word) in the sentence.
- You put a comma at the end of the fronted adverbial.
- It describes where, when and how.

Some examples of fronted adverbials



As soon as he could, Tom jumped off the trampoline.



Last week, I went to the dentist.

A few more:



In the winter, some animals hibernate.

Outside my house, I found some pizza.



Which fronted adverbial?

Can you match the fronted adverbial to each sentence so they all make sense? (Answers on the next slide)

I clean my teeth.

The ground began to shake.

I lost my coat.

I play football.

She lifted the sleeping baby.

I reached the finish line.

Gently,
Before I go to bed,
At last,
Suddenly,
At the park,
Every playtime

Did you get them right?

Gently, she lifted the sleeping baby.

Before I go to bed, I clean my teeth.

At last, I reached the finish line.

Suddenly, the ground began to shake.

At the park, I lost my coat.

Every playtime, I play football.

Your Task

Red: Using the prompt sheet on the following slide, write 2 sentences for each section (when, how and where). Write about what you have been doing whilst away from school.

Yellow: Use the prompt sheet to write 3 sentences for each section (when, how and where), about what you have been doing whilst away from school. Then use one that is not listed for each section.

Green:Write an opening paragraph for a letter to school, telling your teacher/s what you have been doing whilst they have not seen you. You may use **one** of the ones listed on the next slide.

Please email your work to year4@monkwickjunior.school

When

Every week,
During playtime,
Once a year,
Before I go to bed,
When I go home,

How

Without a sound,
As quick as a flash,
Happily,
Unexpectedly,
Without warning

Where

Beside the bed, On holiday, At home, Outside my house,

Try using some of these fronted adverbials in your sentences!

