

B1

ADJECTIVES/ADVERBS

≈ 27 MIN

Adjective Order – *practice on paper*

You know the typical sequence — now reinforce opinion, facts, and the groups nearest the noun with fresh examples.

Opinion usually comes before factual detail; origin, material, and purpose sit **near the noun**.

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BRICK 1 · SORT BY ADJECTIVE GROUP · APPROX. 4 MIN



Sort each phrase. Put **opinion before factual detail** on the left; put origin, material, or purpose near the noun on the right.

an elegant small showroom

a practical new scheduling tool

a stylish blue reception chair

an impressive old headquarters

a reliable compact scanner

a French glass meeting table

a black leather office chair

a new Italian software supplier

a large steel storage cabinet

a modern German design agency

OPINION BEFORE FACTUAL DETAIL	ORIGIN/MATERIAL/PURPOSE NEAR NOUN

BRICK 2 · ORDER THE ADJECTIVES · APPROX. 6 MIN



Put the bracketed words into the gap. Use the typical order and watch **such** and number compounds.

- 01 Sales chose a _____ packaging firm. (trusted / new / Danish)
02 The lobby needs a _____ rug. (large / round / red)
03 We rented a _____ display stand. (small / black / metal)
04 They ordered an _____ grinder. (Italian / steel / espresso)
05 She presented _____ proposal. (such / a / clear)
06 The agenda includes a _____ break. (15 / minute)
07 We visited an _____ factory. (impressive / old / German)
08 The catalogue shows a _____ case. (lovely / square / blue)

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BRICK 3 · FIND AND CORRECT THE MISTAKE · APPROX. 7 MIN



Each sentence contains exactly one error in order, **such**, or a number compound. Rewrite the whole sentence correctly.

01 We chose a German efficient supplier.

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02 The lobby has a red round rug.

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03 They ordered a glass French desk.

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04 It was a so useful demo.

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05 We scheduled a 45-minutes review.

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06 She described a modern lovely studio.

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BRICK 4 · WRITE YOUR OWN DESCRIPTIONS · APPROX. 8 MIN



Write one English sentence for each prompt. Use at least **two adjectives** in a natural order each time.

01 Reception: describe a chair with opinion and colour.

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02 Product: describe origin, material, and purpose.

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03 Meeting: write a sentence with a number compound.

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04 Presentation: use such before a complete noun phrase.

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MINI-CHECK – CAN I DO THIS YET?

- ☐ I usually place personal opinion before factual detail.
- ☐ I order factual details as size, age, shape, and colour.
- ☐ I place origin, material, and purpose near the noun.
- ☐ I keep number compounds singular and use such before a/an plus noun.

Still unsure? Mark opinion, fact, and the group nearest the noun in every phrase.



Answer key

Check only when you have finished. Every answer comes with the **why** — the rule matters more than the result.

BRICK 1 · SORTING

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| <p>01 an elegant small showroom
<i>Opinion before factual detail: elegant usually evaluates first, while small gives size.</i></p> <p>02 a practical new scheduling tool
<i>Opinion before factual detail: practical usually comes before the age detail new.</i></p> <p>03 a stylish blue reception chair
<i>Opinion before factual detail: stylish usually comes before the colour blue.</i></p> <p>04 an impressive old headquarters
<i>Opinion before factual detail: impressive usually comes before the age detail old.</i></p> <p>05 a reliable compact scanner
<i>Opinion before factual detail: reliable usually evaluates first, while compact gives size.</i></p> | <p>06 a French glass meeting table
<i>Origin/material/purpose near noun: French, glass, and meeting usually follow that order.</i></p> <p>07 a black leather office chair
<i>Origin/material/purpose near noun: leather and office usually sit directly before chair.</i></p> <p>08 a new Italian software supplier
<i>Origin/material/purpose near noun: Italian and software usually sit close to supplier.</i></p> <p>09 a large steel storage cabinet
<i>Origin/material/purpose near noun: steel and storage usually sit directly before cabinet.</i></p> <p>10 a modern German design agency
<i>Origin/material/purpose near noun: German and design usually sit close to agency.</i></p> |
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BRICK 2 · FILL-IN

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| <p>01 Sales chose a trusted new Danish packaging firm.
<i>Opinion usually comes before age and origin.</i></p> <p>02 The lobby needs a large round red rug.
<i>Size usually comes before shape and colour.</i></p> <p>03 We rented a small black metal display stand.
<i>Size usually comes before colour and material.</i></p> <p>04 They ordered an Italian steel espresso grinder.
<i>Origin usually comes before material and purpose.</i></p> | <p>05 She presented such a clear proposal.
<i>Such comes before a plus adjective and noun.</i></p> <p>06 The agenda includes a 15-minute break.
<i>Minute stays singular inside the number compound.</i></p> <p>07 We visited an impressive old German factory.
<i>Opinion usually comes before age and origin.</i></p> <p>08 The catalogue shows a lovely square blue case.
<i>Opinion usually comes before shape and colour.</i></p> |
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BRICK 3 · CORRECT

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| <p>01 We chose an efficient German supplier.
<i>Opinion usually comes before origin.</i></p> <p>02 The lobby has a round red rug.
<i>Shape usually comes before colour.</i></p> <p>03 They ordered a French glass desk.
<i>Origin usually comes before material.</i></p> | <p>04 It was such a useful demo.
<i>Such comes before a plus adjective and noun.</i></p> <p>05 We scheduled a 45-minute review.
<i>Minute stays singular inside the number compound.</i></p> <p>06 She described a lovely modern studio.
<i>Opinion usually comes before the age detail.</i></p> |
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BRICK 4 · WRITE

Answers vary; check order, such, and number compounds.

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| <p>01 The lobby has a comfortable green chair.
<i>Opinion usually comes before colour.</i></p> <p>02 We tested a Swedish steel document cabinet.
<i>Origin usually comes before material and purpose.</i></p> | <p>03 We booked a 25-minute planning call.
<i>The number compound stays singular.</i></p> <p>04 It was such a helpful presentation.
<i>Such comes before a plus adjective and noun.</i></p> |
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