

## Grammar Scope

**Nouns:**

Proper nouns e.g. Jules Verne, Koro, the Whale Rider  
Common nouns e.g. novel, author, adventures

**Prepositions:**

Of place around, on, over etc., e.g. around the world  
Of time in, after, before etc., e.g. in 80 days  
Of accompaniment with etc., e.g. with him

**Articles:**

Definite the, e.g. the world  
Indefinite an, a, e.g. a small village  
Omission of article  
before most proper nouns,  
with uncountable nouns e.g. in Whangara

**Pronouns:**

Subject I, you, we, they etc., e.g. I read  
Object him, her, us etc., e.g. with him  
Possessive his, our, her, my, their etc., e.g. He took his servant.  
Relative who, which, that, where etc., e.g. which is a small village in New Zealand

**Conjunctions and connectives:**

Additive and, also, as well etc., e.g. and the author was Jules Verne  
Causal because, so, as etc., e.g. I liked this book because it was very funny.

**Adjectives:**

e.g. funny, beautiful, natural, happy

**Adverbs:**

Of focus or intensity really, only, even etc., e.g. I really liked this book.  
Of place out, there etc., e.g.

**Demonstratives:**

this, that, these, those, e.g. I really liked this book.

**Question formation:**

'wh' e.g. Why did you like the book? What was the book about?  
subject reversal e.g. Is the book funny?  
'do' support  
when no auxiliary e.g. Did you like the book?  
Modal 'can' e.g. Can Fogg travel round the world in time?

**Short answer forms:**

e.g. Yes, she does. No, she doesn't. Yes, it has. No, it hasn't.  
Yes, it was. No, it wasn't.

**Verbs:**

Infinitive verbs e.g. when she helps to rescue  
Present tense verbs e.g. plays, receives, find, take, is  
Past tense verbs e.g. liked, enjoyed, was, told

**Punctuation:**

e.g. question marks, upper/lower case, full stops, commas, apostrophes, paragraphs