

Grammar Scope

Nouns:

Proper nouns e.g. Prometheus, Macbeth, Scotland, Olympus
 Common nouns e.g. gift, eagle, bones, castle

Prepositions:

Of place in, to, on, over etc., e.g. in Scotland

Articles:

Definite the, e.g. the humans
 Indefinite a, an, e.g. a brave soldier, a murderer

Omission of article before most proper nouns, with uncountable nouns e.g. His name was Prometheus, tasted bones

Pronouns:

Subject I, you, we, they, she, he etc., e.g. He sprang up... She collapsed...
 Object them, him, her, us etc., e.g.
 Possessive your, her, my, their etc., e.g. their children
 Relative whoever, whose, which, that etc., e.g. the man whom Macbeth needed to fear, the offerings that the humans made

Conjunctions:

Contrastive while, but, although etc., e.g. He would trick Zeus into eating not the delicious meat, but the bones and fat.

Additive and, also, as well as etc., e.g. Prometheus hid in the temple and changed the plates around.

Causal because, so, as etc., e.g. Macbeth wanted everyone to think all was well, so he held a huge feast to celebrate being king.

Temporal while, when, first, finally etc., e.g. When Duncan's sons found out, they left Scotland.

Adjectives: e.g. killer, evil smelling, terrifying, dark, Zeus's

Adverbs

Of time long ago, for many centuries etc., e.g. For many centuries, Prometheus was doomed to suffer in this way.

Of manner bravely, etc., e.g. He climbed bravely,
 Of intensity really, very, so etc., e.g. she listened very carefully

Demonstratives: this, that, these, those, e.g. this pain

Quantifiers: some, all etc., e.g. several people, many battles

Question formation:

'wh' e.g. Why did Zeus become enraged?
 Subject reversal e.g. Was Prometheus right to give fire to the humans?
 'do' support
 when no auxiliary e.g. Did Banquo escape?
 Modal e.g. Could everyone see the ghost?
 Negation e.g. He would not die until the forest of Birnam moved.
 Short answer forms e.g. Yes, it does. No, it doesn't. Yes, it has. No, it hasn't. Yes, it is. No, it isn't.

Verbs

Past tense verbs e.g. Prometheus hid in the temple.
 Past continuous tense verbs e.g. Banquo's ghost was pointing
 Phrasal verbs e.g. pecked out, turning into, went mad
 Infinitive verbs e.g. to kill her, to be king, to bear
 Saying, thinking and opinion verbs e.g. Macbeth realised, Prometheus wondered

Direct and reported speech: e.g. "Now," he shouted, "I will punish you."

Simple contractions: e.g. You're, can't

Punctuation: e.g. apostrophes, question marks, upper/lower case, full stops, commas, quotation marks, sentences, paragraphs