

**Phrases =**  
Group of related words that do not include a subject and verb

**Absolute Phrase =**  
Noun or Pronoun + a participle

**Their faces beaming**, they collected the prize.

**Infinitive Phrase =**  
an infinitive + modifiers or complements.  
Functions as a noun/adjective/adverb

**To subsidize child care** is very expensive

**Gerund Phrase =** verbals that end in -ing and that act as nouns

**Cramming for tests** is not a good strategy

**Noun Phrase =**  
noun + modifier/s

**The long and winding road**

**Prepositional Phrase =** a preposition + noun or pronoun

**outside the building**

**Appositive Phrase =** renaming or amplifying a word immediately preceding

My favourite music, **Gregorian chant**, is playing.

**Participle Phrase =** verbals ending in -ing or -ed + complements or modifiers, and acting as an ADJECTIVE.

**Working around the clock**, the firefighters put out the fire