

Action Verbs and Linking Verbs

Decide whether the underlined word is an action verb, a linking verb, or a noun. Mark your answer on the answer sheet.

1. The schoolyard is a busy place at recess.
A action verb **C** noun
B linking verb
2. Some students kick around a soccer ball.
A action verb **C** noun
B linking verb
3. Other students jump rope together.
A action verb **C** noun
B linking verb
4. Some of the fifth-graders play tag every day.
A action verb **C** noun
B linking verb
5. My friends and I practice our school cheers.
A action verb **C** noun
B linking verb
6. My brother shoots the basketball with his friends.
A action verb **C** noun
B linking verb
7. Some students seem bored at recess.
A action verb **C** noun
B linking verb
8. They just watch everyone else.
A action verb **C** noun
B linking verb
9. Maybe they are sleepy!
A action verb **C** noun
B linking verb
10. Sometimes I am tired in school.
A action verb **C** noun
B linking verb
11. Today, Mrs. Kwan is the recess monitor.
A action verb **C** noun
B linking verb
12. Yesterday the weather was too bad for recess.
A action verb **C** noun
B linking verb
13. It rained for about six hours!
A action verb **C** noun
B linking verb
14. We were very wet on our walk home!
A action verb **C** noun
B linking verb
15. When it rains, we walk home very quickly!
A action verb **C** noun
B linking verb