



# Adjectives Add Interest

Name: Key

Adjectives make stories more exciting. They add the descriptions that help paint pictures in our minds. Stories without adjectives can be simple and boring. **Read the story below. Then rewrite it using at least one adjective for each noun. Use sensory and descriptive language that helps the story come alive.**



It was a day. The alarm rang. I jumped out of bed and got dressed. I put on a pair of pants and a shirt. I added some socks and shoes, and then I was almost ready to leave. I drank some juice in a cup and ate a piece of toast. I hurried out the door to go to school. I ran to my class in a building on the campus. There were students in my class. I sat next to one. I wrote in my notebook and on the board. I looked at my books, pens, and pencils. Later, I got paper and paint from the cupboard to make a project. The teacher gave us homework. After school, I walked home through the neighborhood. The boys yelled to me. I went into my house to do my homework. I finished in two hours. I played with the kids until dinner.

*Student answers and choice of adjectives will vary. Check to make sure that adjectives have been added to the story to increase its interest.*

Lined area for student response, consisting of multiple horizontal lines.