







Order of Adjectives

Determiner	Opinion	Size	Shape	Age	Color	Origin	Material	Purpose	Noun
A		small			red				suitcase 
The				new	blue		silk		T-shirt 
An	ugly						wooden		chair 
This			round	new				kitchen	table 
A	comfortable			new			velvet		dress 
These	lovely			old			ceramic		mugs 
That	beautiful					German		sports	car 
Those	amazing		heart-shaped		red				balloons 
A	wonderful			old		French			clock 

Ex 1. Put the adjectives in the correct order

- I wanted to buy a _____ table. (*round/blue/Italian/dining/big*)
- Does Miriam need that _____ chair? (*wooden-small-square*)
- What is this _____ thing? (*red/triangular/leather*)
- Did you notice the brand of that _____
_____ car? (*green/ streamlined/splendid/sport*)
- William can take care of your _____ cat. (*Persian/naughty/white*)
- This _____ scarf belongs to my brother. (*woolen/long/multicolored*)
- Are you sure this _____ sabre is Turkish? (*curved/nice/steel*)
- Press this _____ button never! (*plastic/red/round*)
- Mike will order a _____ breakfast. (*English/light/nice*)
- This _____ wardrobe is my friends' gift. (*elegantly-shaped
/amazing/brown/wooden*)

Ex 2. Correct or wrong?

	Correct	Wrong
1. Do you want this red sport bike?		
2. He wore long Italian old coat.		
3. Will you buy me a small pink hat?		
4. Matt saw a strange large blue ball.		
5. Don't touch that green square box!		
6. Who took my Swiss army knife?		
7. My mum hates my blue velvet belt.		
8. This is a half-year-old English dog		
9. This woolen grey scarf suits you.		
10. I chose a nice green modern tint.		

Ex 3. Make up sentences

- presented/my/me/white/ball/friend/round/fine/leather/a

- old/university/your/can/call/you/Italian/friend ?

- I'm/need/that/wooden/black/sure/I/this/stylish/chair

- Martha's/violet/outfit/Dylan/didn't/dance/see/bright

Ex.4 Put into the correct order

Dear Ann,

It's a shame you couldn't make it to the wedding, but thank you for the 1 _____
(dessert / crystal / lovely) bowls which you sent us. The wedding was unforgettable and

everyone looked beautiful, especially the bridesmaids in their 2 _____
(silk / long / cream) dresses. At the reception we had a 3 _____ (
three-course / home-made / delicious) meal and the best man gave a(n) 4 _____ (
amusing / nice / short) speech. In the evening more guests arrived and the hotel provided
5 _____ (Irish / live / excellent) music. Before we left, we cut the
6 _____ (wedding / white /iced) cake.

Hope to see you soon!

Love,

Jane and Peter.

Ex 5 Which is the correct order?

A

- a) a small thin Japanese lady
- b) a small Japanese thin lady
- c) a Japanese small thin lady
- d) a thin small Japanese lady

B

- a) a steel new carving knife
- b) a new carving steel knife
- c) a new steel carving knife
- d) a carving steel new knife

C

- a) a new French exciting band
- b) an exciting French new band
- c) a French new exciting band
- d) an exciting new French band

D

- a) a blue long attractive coat
- b) an attractive blue long coat
- c) an attractive long blue coat
- d) a long attractive blue coat
