



Supporting Resources:

Chapter 3 – categories of grammatical terms

Throughout this chapter, and in subsequent chapters, you will encounter the following categories of grammatical terms. For readers unsure of the grammar, we recommend referring to the PETAA publication, [*A new grammar companion for teachers \(3rd edition\)*](#) by Beverly Derewianka, 2022.

Relevant chapters of that publication are included in the following list (noted as GC chapters)

- Verb, verb group, process (*GC chapter 2*)
- Noun, noun group, participant (*GC chapter 2*)
- Pronoun (*GC chapter 2*)
- Adverbial group, prepositional group, circumstance (*GC chapter 2*)
- Conjunction (*GC chapter 3*)
- Clause, main clause, dependent clause (*GC chapter 3*)
- Sentence types: simple, compound, complex sentence (*GC chapter 3*)
- Language for the evaluation of things (*GC chapter 4*)
- Language for judging human behaviour (*GC chapter 4*)
- Text connective (*GC chapter 5*)
- Reference item (*GC chapter 5*)
- Nominalisation (*GC chapter 5*)