## PARTS OF THE SPEECH

Three little words you often see are **ARTICLES**: *a, an,* and *the.* 

A **NOUN**'s the name of anything: school, toy, Joplin, or swing.

**ADJECTIVES** tell the kind of noun: great, small, pretty, white, rude, or brown.

**VERBS** tell of something being done: *To read, write, count, sing, jump,* or *run.* 

**ADVERBS** tell how things are done: slowly, quickly, badly, well.

**CONJUNCTIONS** join the words together: men *and* women, wind *or* weather.

The **PREPOSITION** stands before a noun: *in* or *through* a door.