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| **Grammar Masters: Teacher’s Notes**  **Topic: Expanded Noun Phrases** |
| Noun phrases are made up of a noun and any words that modify (give extra information) the noun.  e.g The girl  An insect  Simple noun phrases like the ones above contain a determiner and a noun.  Expanded noun phrases contain a few words that modify the noun  e.g your mischievous sister  The indecisive girl  A miniscule insect  Expanded nouns can be modified by using adjectives.  e.g The haunted house.  haunted- adjective |

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