Grammar Knowledge Organiser Year 6			
Tenses	Word Classes	Clauses must include a subject and	Active and Passive Voice
		a verb.	
Present - something that is happening	Adjectives - describe a noun -	Main - a clause that makes sense	Active Voice -
now	bright	on its own	
			Ali won the trophy.
Past -something that has happened in	Nouns - person, place or thing -	Subordinate - a clause that adds	Subject Verb Object
the past -	car	extra	
ed verbs, were, was, ate, swam		information and is dependent on a	Passive Voice -
	Proper Nouns - names of places or	main clause	The trophy was won by Ali.
Past Progressive - was/were followed	people need		Object Verb Subject
by an -ing	capital letters - China	Embedded - a subordinate clause	
verb		in the middle	Remember to add
e.g We were swimming.	Pronouns - used instead of noun	of a sentence, between two	'by'
Present Progressive - is/am/are	or name - he,	commas:	after the verb to help you
followed with an -	her, it, they, she	My bike, which is very old, is	check if it is written in the passive voice
ing verb		broken.	
e.g We are swimming.	Adverbs - describes the action -		
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Present Perfect - has/have followed	Made attan wards mus	which begins	
by a verb.	Verbs - action words - run	with a relative pronoun:	
e.g We have been stranded for 4	Propositions shows where or	The tree that was chopped down	
days.	Prepositions - shows where or when something	was made into	
Past Perfect - had followed by a verb.	happens - after, under, before	logs.	
e.g We had been stranded for 4 days.	Happens - after, under, before	Relative pronouns: who, whom,	
c.s we had been stranded for 4 days.	Determiners - comes before a	whose, which,	
	noun or noun	what, where, when, why, that)	
	phrase - the, a, an, one, some, this	mac, which c, which, whiy, that	
Conjunctions	Subjunctive Form	Subordinating Conjunction or	Statement/Question/Command/Exclamation
		Preposition	, , , ,

Coordinating Conjunctions -



Subordinating Conjunctions –



If I were you, I would...
Laura wished she were able to...

Modal Verbs

Show if something is a possibility or a certainty:
Will Would
Can Could
Shall Should
Must May Might

Before/After/Until can be used as a subordinating conjunction when followed by a

clause

Wash your hands before you eat your dinner.

Before/After/Until can be used as a conjunction when followed by an object

Wash your hands before dinner.

Parenthesis is a word, phrase or sentence that is put in writing as extra information. If the parenthesis is taken away, the passage would still be complete without it.

The information is enclosed by bracket () dashes - or commas ,

The house (which was huge) was surrounded by a high wall

Statement - tells you a fact or expresses an opinion

Question - something that requires

information or an answer Command - imperative verbs

Example:

Cut the bread.

Walk the dog.

Exclamation - how or what

What a wonderful day!

How fantastic!

They are not questions.