

How to write an expanded noun phrase

Start with a simple sentence

The daffodils danced in the gentle breeze.

Daffodils is the noun- we need to give more detail.

What is it? daffodils (noun)

Which one? The daffodils (determiner)

What is it like? The vibrant, yellow daffodils (adjective)

Where it is? The vibrant yellow daffodils under the old oak tree (preposition)

What is it doing? The vibrant yellow daffodils under the old oak tree brightening up the meadow (-ing clause)

Put it all together:

The vibrant, yellow daffodils under the old oak tree brightening up the meadow danced in the gentle breeze.

The noun phrase can be replaced with she (a pronoun) e.g. They danced in the gentle breeze.