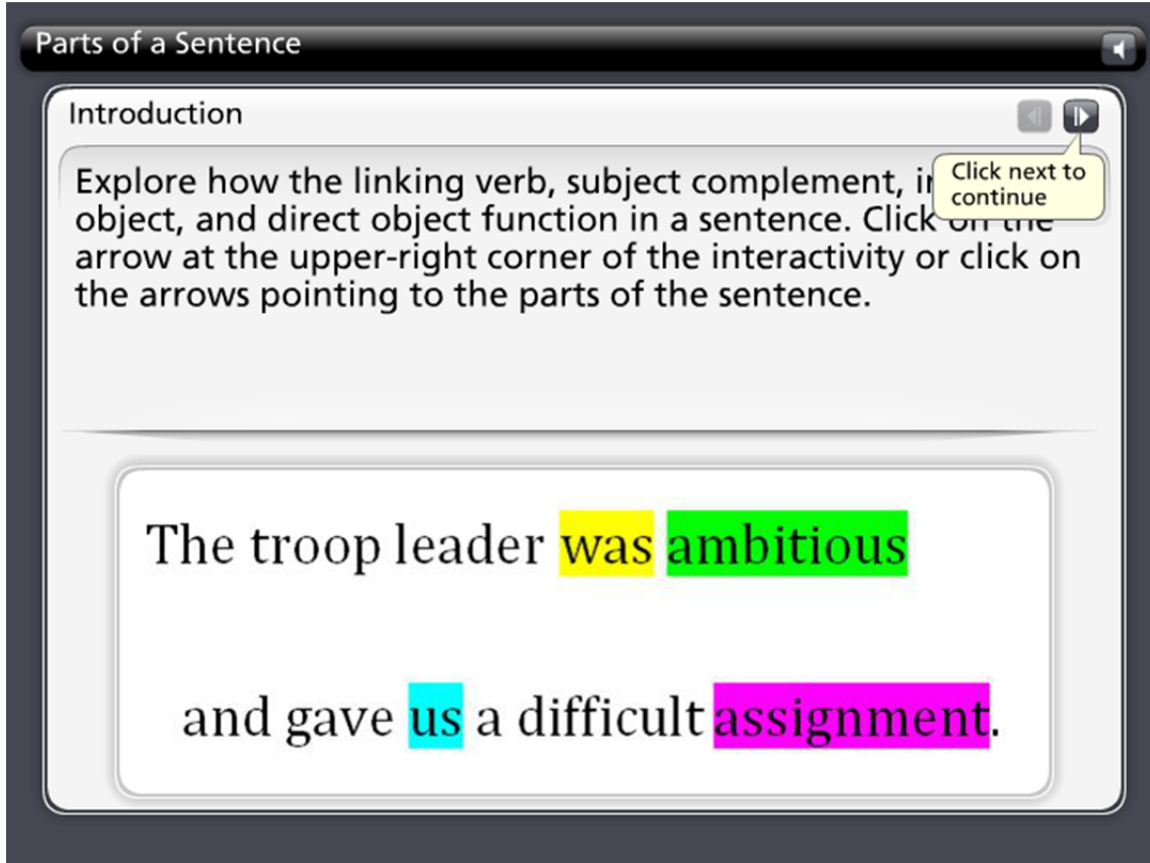


Module 3: The Influence of Faith on Colonial American Literature

Topic 4 Content: Parts of a Sentence Notes Sheet

Introduction



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Linking Verb

Parts of a Sentence

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This linking verb "links" the subject the *leader* to the subject complement *ambitious*.

The troop leader **was** **ambitious**
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Subject Complement

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Indirect Object

Parts of a Sentence

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The indirect object *us* answers the question "To whom was the assignment given?" It is also between the verb and direct object *assignment* because it indirectly receives the action of the verb *gave*.

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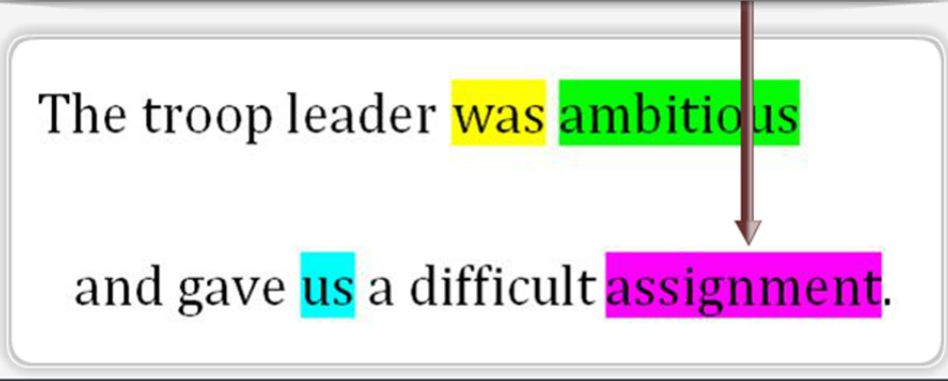
Direct Object

Parts of a Sentence

Direct Object

The direct object *assignment* answers "What was given?" It directly receives the action from the verb *gave*.

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