CLASS:

SENTENCE STRESS

I. Introduction:

Two basic types of words in sentences:

- Content words: carry meaning of the sentence and usually are "nouns", "verbs", "adjectives", "adverbs", "negation word: no, not".
- Function words: connect content words with correct grammar and usually are "prepositions: in, on...", "pronouns: I, she,..", "articles: a, the,...", auxiliaries: did, can,..."

II. In spoken sentences:

- Content words are usually stressed.
- Function words are usually not stressed.

Your notes:

