

Sparks in the Sky

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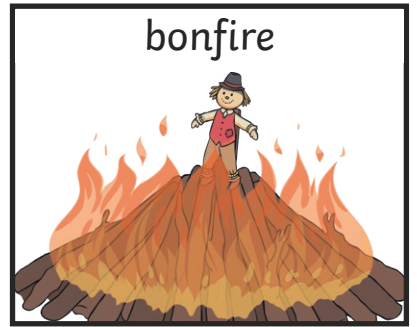
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bonfire



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bright	tasty	golden	smoky

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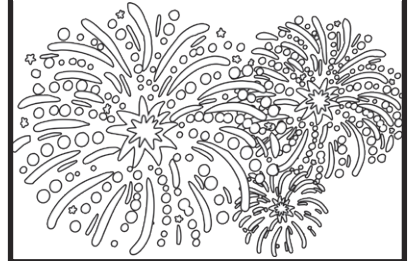
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Can you select adjectives to describe these nouns?

The _____ , _____ fireworks

The _____ , _____ hot dog

A _____ , _____ sparkler

The _____ , _____ bonfire

A _____ , _____ Catherine wheel

The _____ , _____ carousel horse

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hot	loud	colourful	beautiful
bright	glowing	shining	golden
tasty	juicy	smoky	twinkling

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Expanded Noun Phrases - **Answers**

Below are some possible answers that may be given, however, some adjectives make sense in more than one phrase. Please accept if these phrases still make sense.

The **loud** _____ , **colourful** _____ fireworks

The **juicy** _____ , **tasty** _____ hot dog

A **twinkling** _____ , **glowing** _____ sparkler

The **smoky** _____ , **hot** _____ bonfire

A **bright** _____ , **shining** _____ Catherine wheel

The **beautiful** _____ , **golden** _____ carousel horse

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Expanded Noun Phrases

Look at the noun phrases in the sentences below. Can you add interest by using adjectives to create expanded noun phrases? The first one has been done for you.

Example:

The Catherine wheel spins on the fence.

The **colourful, sparkling** Catherine wheel spins on the **tall, wooden** fence.

1. The woman put the sausage in a bun.

2. The fireworks explode in the night.

3. The girl twirls the sparkler.

4. The wood burns on the bonfire.

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Expanded Noun Phrases - **Answers**

Below are some possible answers that may be given but please accept the use of other adjectives that make sense.

1. The woman put the sausage in a bun.

The **kind, cheerful** woman put the **delicious, juicy** sausage in a **fresh, soft** bun.

2. The fireworks explode in the night.

The **colourful, loud** fireworks explode in the **cold, dark** night.

3. The girl twirls the sparkler.

The **excited, little** girl twirls the **twinkling, glowing** sparkler.

4. The wood burns on the bonfire.

The **hard, rough** wood burns on the **hot, raging** bonfire.