AN IMPERFECT CHART

MODIFIERS

Adjectives Adverbs

prepositional phrases

participles participial phrases

infinitives (where they modify)
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Subordinate clauses (*where they modify*)

Relative clauses (*where they modify*)

OBJECTS & COMPLEMENTS

with action verbs

direct objects indirect objects object complements, as nouns and adjectives*

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with linking verbs subject complements predicate nouns predicate adjectives*

* The chart breaks down here because object and subject complements modify.