Positioning Adjectives

Adjectives usually go before the noun they modify. You can use more than one adjective to modify a noun, but you cannot put words in between an adjective and the word that it modified. Adjectives can also go after linking verbs. The most common linking verbs are is, am, are, was, were, become, seem, appear, taste, feel, grow and turn. Adjectives used after linking verbs usually describe the subject.

Rewrite each sentence, putting the words in the correct order.

1. is / happy / Karen

- 2. chose / black / I / jacket / a
- 3. seems / the / cool / day
- 4. long / hot / was / afternoon / it / a
- 5. flowers / George / Mary / bought / colorful / some
- 6. movie / liked / long / l / that
- 7. cold / it / here / in / feels



