Good versus Well

Which word goes where?

Good:
- ✓ An Adjective
- ✓ *Describes/Renames* a noun
- ✓ It will follow the verb *Be*
- ✓ Follows *sense* verbs

The flowers smell good.   ←—   Follows a *sense* verb.

He is a good actor.   ←—   Describes what type of an actor.

The puppy was good today. ←—   Follows a *Be* verb.

Well:
- ✓ Most commonly an Adverb '
- ✓ Describes *how* something was done
- ✓ Only an adjective when describing *health*
- ✓ *Well* can be replaced with a different adverb

You did well on the test. ←—   Describes *how* the person did on the test.

The patient isn't well.   ←—   Describes the patient's physical health.

He ran well yesterday.   ←—   Describes *how* he ran. Could be replaced with poorly or quickly.