

Practice Set – I
Level - I
(30 Secs each)
Total Time: 5 Min.

- **Description: To help you identify complete subjects and complete predicates**

1. **What two parts make up a complete sentence?**

- A. An adverb and a conjunction.
- B. A noun and a verb.
- C. A noun and preposition.
- D. A verb and an adjective.

2. **The subject of a sentence is always a ...**

- A. Verb
- B. Noun
- C. Conjunction
- D. preposition

3. **The subject of a sentence tells...**

- A. what the sentence is doing.
- B. what tense the verb is in.
- C. where the direct object is.
- D. what the sentence is about.

4. **The verb in a sentence tells...**

- A. what the sentence is about.
- B. what the subject is wearing.
- C. what the subject is doing.
- D. what the subject is thinking.

5. **What is a complete subject?**

- A. all the words in a sentence that tell what the subject is doing
- B. all the words that describe the emotion in the phrase.
- C. all the words in a sentence
- D. all the words in a sentence that describe the subject.

6. **What is a complete predicate?**

- A. all the words in a sentence that describe what the subject is doing.
- B. all the words in a sentence that describe the location of the subject.
- C. nothing. It's a made up term made to confuse me on this test.
- D. all the words in a sentence that describe the direct object.

7. **Find the complete subject in this sentence: Mrs. Stewart is an incredible NASCAR driver.**

- A. Is
- B. NASCAR driver
- C. Driver
- D. Mrs. Stewart

8. **Find the complete subject in this sentence: Frodo Baggins, a hobbit, is only about 3 feet tall.**

- A. Frodo Baggins, a Hobbit
- B. about 3 feet tall
- C. Is
- D. is only

9. **Find the complete predicate in this sentence: The sixth grade classroom is freezing cold.**

- A. sixth grade
- B. is freezing cold.
- C. The sixth grade classroom
- D. is freezing

10. **Find the complete predicate in this sentence: Buddy the Elf, travels to the magical land of New York City.**

- A. Buddy the Elf
- B. travels to the magical land of New York City.
- C. travels to
- D. travels

Answers – Practice Set – I
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1. B 2. B 3. D 4. C 5. D 6. A 7. D 8. A 9. B 10. B

Practice Set – II
Level - II
(30 Secs each)
Total Time – 6 Min.

1. Identify the sentence that contains a compound predicate.
 - A. Carpenters and construction workers arrive early to the work site.
 - B. It takes many people to complete a building project.
 - C. The project coordinator is the executive officer of the company.
 - D. An architect designs the building and prepares the blueprints.

2. Identify the sentence that has a compound subject.
 - A. A cape and a cloak are the same type of clothing.
 - B. A mantle is a wooden or stone structure around a fireplace.
 - C. The cloak hung near the mantle.
 - D. The mantle was the perfect place to display the clock.

3. Which sentence contains a compound predicate?
 - A. Both teachers and students enjoy the sunshine in the open area outside the cafeteria.
 - B. Six students sat down at an outside table and ate their lunches.
 - C. Squirrels sometimes look under the tables for leftover bits of students' lunches.
 - D. At the end of the lunch period, the students and teachers cleaned up the area.

4. Which sentence contains a compound subject?
 - A. Howling wind and drenching rain rattled the loose windows on the old cabin.
 - B. The rain beat down on the broken roof and leaked in through the cracks in the door.
 - C. The wind howled around the corners of the dwelling.
 - D. The storm swept past the cabin and was suddenly gone.

5. Which sentence contains a compound predicate?
 - A. A hare and a tortoise are fascinating animals to compare.

- B. A tortoise walks very slowly to its food, and it chews it just as slowly.
 - C. A hare, a type of rabbit, can run very quickly and can pop into its burrow just as fast.
 - D. No one knows if a hare and a tortoise ever really had a race.
6. Which sentence contains a compound subject?
- A. A king cobra and a mongoose do not make a good combination.
 - B. King cobras love to make nests in piles of dried leaves.
 - C. Mongooses enjoy sneaking up on a cobra nest and stealing the eggs.
 - D. Cobras will strike at a mongoose, but a mongoose can move quickly out of the way.
7. **Charleze studied at the Algonquin School for Interpretive Dance. She attended choir practice at the Hudson River Music Academy.** Which **best** combines the sentences above using a compound predicate?
- A. Charleze studied at the Algonquin School for Interpretive Dance and at the Hudson River Music Academy.
 - B. Charleze studied at the Algonquin School and the Hudson River Music Academy for choir practice and interpretive dance.
 - C. Charleze studied at the Algonquin School for Interpretive Dance and attended choir practice at the Hudson River Music Academy.
 - D. Charleze studied at the Algonquin School for Interpretive Dance, but she also attended choir practice at the Hudson River Music Academy.
8. Which sentence contains a compound subject?
- A. Living inside the old barn were a large brown horse and a short white cow.
 - B. Only two dozen children rode the bus that day, but it was still very noisy.
 - C. The green cicada is an insect found in yards and parks all over town.
 - D. A small lizard slithered his way under the rock and out of sight.
9. Which sentence contains a compound predicate?
- A. A circling hawk is a threat to a ground squirrel.
 - B. Our baggage was lost in the huge airport terminal.
 - C. Throughout time, the skies have fascinated people.

D. The spider makes a wheel-like web and catches its prey.

Answers – Practice Set – II

Level - II

1. D 2. A 3. B 4. A 5. C 6. A 7. C 8. A 9. D