

Sentences & Fragments

A complete sentence has a subject and a verb predicate. It starts with a capital letter, and ends with a punctuation mark. It expresses a complete thought.

A fragment is an incomplete sentence. It may be missing a subject, or a verb. It may not make sense on its own.

Directions: Identify the complete sentences (S), and the sentence fragments (F).

	S	F
1. The dog is barking.		
2. The cat.		
3. When we said hello		
4. We bought ice cream at the shop.		
5. Some students study in the library.		
6. Some students in the park.		
7. Summer is a short season.		
8. Winter long.		

Write a complete sentence about any subject.

Types of Sentence

A statement ends with a full stop. A question ends with a question mark.

Directions: Add the correct punctuation mark to complete the sentences below.

1. What shall we do today
2. We will do our homework
3. The weather is cold and rainy
4. Do you think the rain will stop soon

A command ends with a full stop. An exclamation ends with an exclamation mark.

Directions: Add the correct punctuation mark to complete the sentences below.

5. Write your name on your worksheet
6. That is not fair
7. I want a day off from school
8. Keep your pens and pencils tidy

Directions: Identify the sentence types: statement (S), question (Q), command (C), or exclamation (E).

	S	Q	C	E
9. The cat is purring.				
10. Tidy the table before you leave.				
11. Where are you going?				
12. I would love to go with you!				

Answer Key

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1. S 2. F 3. F 4. S
5. S 6. F 7. S 8. F

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1. ? 2. • 3. • 4. ?
5. • 6. ! 7. ! 8. •
9. S 10. C 11. Q 12. E

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