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ENGLISH WORK SHEET PRIMARY

Use Adverb Time and Cause Connectors Correctly

Skill 7

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Sentences with adverb clauses have two basic patterns in English. Study the clauses and connectors in the following sentences:

I will sign the check before you leave.
Before you leave, I will sign the check.

In each of these examples, there are two clauses: 'you leave' and 'I will sign the check', and the clause 'you leave' is an 'adverb time clause' because it is introduced with the connector "before".

In the first example, the connector before comes in the middle of the sentence, and no comma (,) is used. In the second example, the connector before comes at the beginning of the sentence. In this pattern, when the connector comes at the beginning of the sentence, a comma (,) is required in the middle of the sentence.

ADVERB TIME AND CAUSE CONNECTORS

TIME			CAUSE	
as soon as	once	when	as	now
before	since	whenever	because	since
by the time	until	while	inasmuch as	
S V	adverb connector		S V	
Teresa went inside	because		it was raining.	
adverb connector	S	V,	S	V
Because	it was raining,		Teresa went inside.	

1. _____ was late, I missed the appointment.

- A. I
- B. Because
- C. The train
- D. Since he

2. The helicopter is able to hover in _____ powered rotors produce lift even at zero forward speed.

- A. flight because of the
- B. flying the
- C. the flying of the
- D. flight because the

3. Thunder occurs as _____ through air, causing the heated air to expand and collide with layers of cooler air.

- A. an electrical charge
- B. passes an electrical charge
- C. the passing of an electrical charge
- D. an electrical charge passes

4. When fluid accumulates against the eardrum, a second more insidious type of _____.

- A. ottis media may develop
- B. developing ottis media
- C. the development of otitis media
- D. to develop otitis media

5. Ozone is formed when ultraviolet radiation from the Sun _____ molecules into highly reactive oxygen atoms.

- A. oxygen break up
- B. oxygen is broken up
- C. breaks up oxygen
- D. to break up oxygen

6. _____ reacts with a chlorine atom, an electron is transferred from the outer shell of the sodium atom to the outer shell of the chlorine atom.

- A. A sodium atom
- B. When a sodium atom
- C. For a sodium atom
- D. It is a sodium atom

7. _____ radioisotope is encountered, the first step in its identification is the determination of its half-life.

- A. An unknown
- B. Afterwards, an unknown
- C. When an unknown
- D. During an unknown