

Present Tense Participial Phrase - Practice #1

Directions:

1. Type in the present tense participial phrase from each sentence into the first box below the sentence
2. Type in the word that is being modified by the present tense participial phrase into the second box.

1. Dancing in circles, the child made everyone laugh at his hilarious antics.

PrPP:	What is it modifying:
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2. Medieval performers, lacking a stage, danced in a great hall.

PrPP:	What is it modifying:
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3. Collecting stamps is a popular hobby, engaging people of all ages.

PrPP:	What is it modifying:
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4. The most popular scholarship, paying full tuition for the entire six-year program, is granted to ten students each year

PrPP:	What is it modifying:
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5. Often, the star of the show, receiving the greatest applause, would sing an encore.

PrPP:	What is it modifying:
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6. Establishing academies of dance, the country's minister for cultural affairs created multiple scholarship opportunities for children who loved singing and dancing.

PrPP:	What is it modifying:
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7. One academy has a renowned year-long course in dance exercise that soccer players, hoping to qualify for the World Cup team, must take and pass.

PrPP:	What is it modifying:
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8. My grandmother, living life always to its fullest, loves dancing and playing game with her grandchildren.

PrPP:	What is it modifying:
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9. Struggling with the recipe, Meredith was crying by the time the burned cake was pulled from the oven.

PrPP:	What is it modifying:
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10. Acting in high school and college plays, Tim spent many years preparing for a career on Broadway.

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