

A. Analyse the following sentences and decide what kind of clause it is.

1. He also set up a modest general store where the tenants could buy whatever they needed without having to make the trip by oxcart all the way into San Lucas. _____
2. His intuition told him that he would never have the courage to confront him face to face, because he was the patrón. _____
3. She lost all interest in the lusty thrashing in the wrought-iron bed, her waist swelled rapidly, and her breasts drooped with the weight of the new life that was growing inside her. _____
4. Clara let him scream his head off and bang on the furniture until he was exhausted. _____
5. They often went to see old Pedro García, whose senses had been worn away by time. _____

B. Write the correct verb tense to fill in the blanks.

1. Why do you look so tired? _____ (clean/you) the house?
2. In five years, 60% of the world's population _____ (use) the internet.
3. A: " _____ (you/ever/travel) to India?"
B: "Yes. I _____ (go) there a few years ago."
4. We really liked the Scottish Parliament. We _____ (visit) Edinburgh a few times before, but we _____ (never/see) the Parliament.
5. A: "What _____ (you/do) with that piece of metal?"
B: Nothing. I _____ (just/find) it in the garden.
6. A: "What time _____ (the train/arrive)?"
B: "I'm not sure. I _____ (check) online."
7. I _____ (buy) her a watch before I _____
(find) out she wanted a bracelet.

C. Analyse carefully and identify the kind of sentence (simple, compound, complex, compound-complex).

1. She set the tray down carefully beside the bed and walked slowly to the window. _____
2. He mourned the dead girl all that day, fraying the nerves of the whole family and all the neighbours, who came running at the sound of his shipwrecked howls. _____
3. The party badly needed people and Severo was anxious for a seat in Congress, so they had no trouble convincing the downtrodden voters of the South to choose him as their candidate. _____
4. She got up in her nightshirt and walked barefoot to the bedroom she had shared with her older sister, but she was not in the bed where she had seen her for the last time. _____
5. Her mother, drugged by Dr. Cuevas, was asleep, and her brothers and sisters and the servants were already in their rooms. _____

6. He must have felt sorry for the half-frozen madman who had spent the night among the livid ghosts of the graveyard. _____

D. Edit the following sentences to eliminate problems with subject-verb agreement and write the edited sentence. If a sentence is correct, write "correct."

1. The dead trees and peeling paint, along with the broken windows and flapping shutters, make everyone believe that evil spirits haunt the deserted Sinclair house.

2. None of this breakfast that you cooked is fit to eat.

3. Not only the Zorteks from Saturn but also the Martian ambassador disapprove of the unfriendly greeting from the United Nations.

4. Fifteen gallons of chocolate milk make Herbert the elephant a happy pachyderm.

5. Every cat hair, candy wrapper, and loose thread cling to the super-charged polyester pants that Theodora loves to wear.

6. Either the fried oyster sandwich or shrimp pizza is the best choice for lunch at Crusty's Seafood Restaurant.
