

**ACTIVITY 20**  
**Participle Clauses**

**DIRECTIONS:**

\*Complete these sentences with a present participle, a past participle or a perfect participle.

\*Type the correct participle clause. Include capitalisation if required. Look at the example for further guidance.

**eat**

- 1 Eaten in moderation,  
chocolate is good for you.
- 2 \_\_\_\_\_ in restaurants all week,  
Lucy prefers to cook for herself  
at the weekends.
3. After \_\_\_\_\_ such a big lunch earlier  
that day, I didn't feel like any  
dinner.

**see**

- 4 \_\_\_\_\_ the film three times  
already, she decided to give it  
a miss.
- 5 \_\_\_\_\_ her ex-boyfriend  
approaching, she ran and hid.
- 6 \_\_\_\_\_ from a distance, she  
looks like a 20-year-old!

**read**

7. By \_\_\_\_\_ the instructions twice,  
I began to assemble the desk.
- 8 \_\_\_\_\_ out loud, the poem  
sounded much better.
- 9 \_\_\_\_\_ the report so quickly,  
I missed a lot of mistakes.

**give**

- 10 \_\_\_\_\_ the chance, I'd love to  
learn how to ski.
- 11 \_\_\_\_\_ the job to Fred, she  
immediately regretted her  
decision.
- 12 \_\_\_\_\_ myself an extra day, I  
should be able to finish the job.