

Independent and Dependent Clauses Quiz

Instructions: Choose the correct answer (A, B, C, or D) for each question.

1. Which sentence is punctuated correctly? A) Because it was raining we stayed inside. B) Because it was raining, we stayed inside. C) Because it was raining we, stayed inside. D) Because, it was raining we stayed inside.

Answer: __

1. Which sentence contains one independent clause and one dependent clause? A) I finished my homework and I watched TV. B) Although I was tired, I finished my homework. C) I finished my homework, I watched TV. D) Finish your homework before dinner.

Answer: __

1. Choose the correct punctuation. A) She went home because, she felt sick. B) She went home, because she felt sick. C) She went home because she felt sick. D) She went, home because she felt sick.

Answer: __

1. Which sentence is a complex sentence? A) The bell rang loudly. B) The bell rang, and students left. C) When the bell rang, students left the classroom. D) The bell rang loudly, students left.

Answer: __

1. Identify the sentence where the dependent clause comes first. A) If you study hard you will pass. B) If you study hard, you will pass. C) You will pass, if you study hard. D) You will pass if, you study hard.

Answer: __

1. Which sentence is incorrect? A) After she finished her work, she went for a walk. B) She went for a walk after she finished her work. C) After she finished her work she, went for a walk. D) She went for a walk after she finished her work.

Answer: __

1. Which part of the sentence is the independent clause? "Because he missed the bus, he arrived late." A) Because he missed the bus B) missed the bus C) he arrived late D) Because he missed

Answer: __

1. Choose the sentence with correct comma usage. A) When the movie ended we clapped. B) When the movie ended, we clapped. C) When, the movie ended we clapped. D) When the movie, ended we clapped.

Answer: __

1. Which sentence correctly joins the clauses? A) Although she practiced daily she improved quickly. B) Although she practiced daily, she improved quickly. C) Although, she practiced daily she improved quickly. D) Although she practiced, daily she improved quickly.

Answer: __

1. Which sentence shows correct punctuation and clause structure? A) Because he was hungry he, made a sandwich. B) He made a sandwich, because he was hungry. C) Because he was hungry, he made a sandwich. D) Because, he was hungry he made a sandwich.

Answer: __