

Grammar, Sentence Structure & Paragraph Structure

Fill in each part when its number appears on the slide.

Name: _____ Date: _____

PART 1 · TARGET

I can write complete, correct sentences and organize them into a well-structured paragraph.

PART 2 · WARM-UP

1. Is "Because the bus was late." a complete sentence? Explain.

2. Choose the correct verb: "The group of students (is / are) ready." Why?

3. What are the three parts of a paragraph "sandwich"?

PART 3 · PREDICTION

"Went to the store. Bought apples we ate them." What is wrong?

Circle one: ☐ Missing subjects ☐ Sentences run together ☐ Both

PART 4 · VOCABULARY

Word	Meaning
Fragment	
Run-on	
Compound sentence	
Complex sentence	

PART 5 · GRAMMAR TUNE-UP

A singular subject needs a _____ verb. Use "I" when the pronoun is the _____.

Check: Choose the correct sentence.

Circle one: (A) I and my friend goes to the game. (B) My friend and I are going to the game. (C) Me and my friend is going to the game. (D) My friend and me are going to the game.

PART 6 · COMPLETE SENTENCES

A _____ is missing a subject, verb, or complete thought. A _____ jams two sentences together.

Check: Which is a run-on sentence?

Circle one: (A) When the rain stopped. (B) We went outside. (C) The rain stopped we went outside. (D) The rain stopped, so we went outside.

PART 7 • SENTENCE TYPES

A _____ sentence joins two independent clauses with a comma and a conjunction. A _____ sentence has a dependent clause.

Check: Which is a complex sentence?

Circle one: (A) We played outside. (B) It was cold we played outside. (C) Although it was cold, we played outside. (D) It was cold, but we played outside.

PART 8 • PARAGRAPH STRUCTURE

The _____ states the main idea. The _____ wraps it up.

Check: Which sentence is OFF topic in a paragraph about why reading is important?

Circle one: (A) Books help us learn about other places. (B) Reading every day improves focus. (C) My sister has a red bike. (D) Reading builds vocabulary.

PART 9 • WORKED EXAMPLE

Final answer from the example: _____

PART 10 • WE DO

Fix and combine: "The storm was loud. We stayed inside. Because we were scared."

Answer: _____

PART 11 • YOU DO

Which is the best topic sentence for a paragraph about school uniforms?

Circle one: (A) Some schools are big. (B) School uniforms can save families money and reduce distractions. (C) My shirt is blue. (D) In conclusion, uniforms are good.

PART 12 • WORK TIME: THE CASE OF THE RUNAWAY RUN-ONS

Write each code piece as you earn it: File 1: _____ File 2: _____ File 3: _____ File 4: _____ File 5: _____

Final code: _____

PART 13 • WRAP-UP

Was your prediction in Part 3 right? One thing I learned today:
