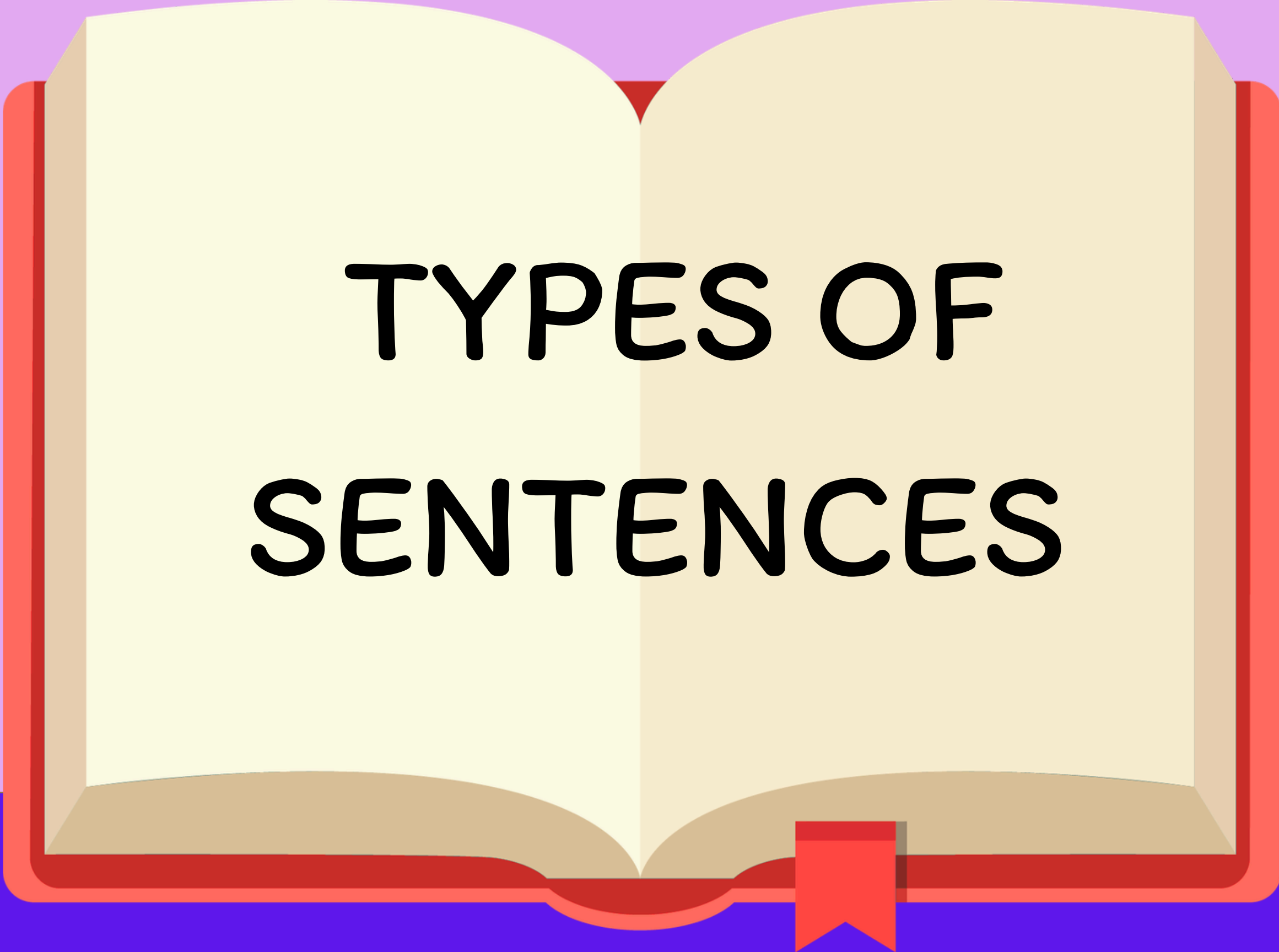




TYPES OF SENTENCES



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DEFINITION OF A SENTENCE



A sentence is the basic unit of written or spoken language that expresses a complete thought. It typically contains a subject and a predicate

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Simple Sentence

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Compound Sentence

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Complex Sentence

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Compound-Complex Sentence

TYPES OF SENTENCES

1 Simple Sentence

1 independent clause

2 Compound Sentence

2 independent clauses
Coordinating conjunctions (FANBOYS)
Conjunctive Adverbs

3 Complex Sentence

1 independent clause + at least 1 dependent clause

Subordinating conjunctions
Relative pronouns

TYPES OF SENTENCES

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Compound-Complex Sentence

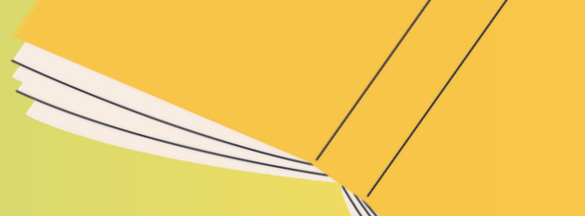
more than 2 independent clauses + at least 1 dependent clause

Coordinating conjunctions (FANBOYS)

Conjunctive Adverbs

Subordinating conjunctions

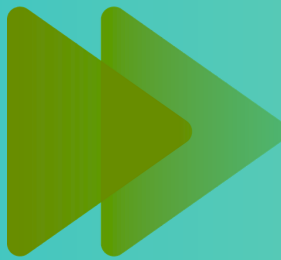
Relative pronouns



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Complex Sentence

A complex sentence is a sentence that contains one independent clause and at least one dependent clause, joined by subordinating conjunctions and relative pronouns.



1 independent clause + at least 1 dependent clause

- **Subordinating conjunctions**
- **Relative pronouns**

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Complex Sentence



Subordinating conjunctions

“depends on the main clause and shows time, reason, condition, etc.”



[Dependent Clause / Subordinate Clause]

[Independent clause / Main clause]



Although she was tired, she finished her assignment.



Subordinating
Conjunction

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Complex Sentence



Subordinating conjunctions

- because >> I stayed home because it was raining heavily.
- although >> Although she was tired, she finished all her homework.
- since >> Since the weather is nice today, we should have a picnic.
- if >> If you study hard, you will pass the exam.
- when >> When the teacher comes in, the students stand up.
- whenever >> Whenever I see a rainbow, I feel happy.

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Complex Sentence



Subordinating conjunctions

- while >> While I was walking to school, it started to rain.
- before >> I finished my project before the deadline.
- after >> After she ate lunch, she took a nap.
- so that >> I speak slowly so that everyone can understand me.
- unless >> You won't pass the test unless you study hard.
- as if >> He talks as if he knows everything.

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Complex Sentence



Relative pronouns

[Independent clause / main clause]

The student who won the scholarship is my friend.



Relative Pronoun



[Relative Clause]

describes or gives more
information about a noun.

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Complex Sentence



Relative pronouns

- who >> The teacher who helped me is very kind.
- whom >> The student whom I met yesterday was very polite.
- whose >> I know a girl whose father is a doctor.
- which >> I have a book which explains English grammar clearly.
- that >> The movie that we watched was amazing.

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Compound-Complex Sentence

A compound-complex sentence is a sentence that contains at least two independent clauses and at least one dependent clause.

more than 2 independent clauses + at least 1 dependent clause



- **Coordinating conjunctions (FANBOYS)**
- **Conjunctive Adverbs**
- **Subordinating conjunctions**
- **Relative pronouns**

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Compound-Complex Sentence



Although it was raining, I went outside,
and I took my umbrella.

Although >> Subordinating conjunction

and >> Coordinating conjunction (FANBOYS)

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Compound-Complex Sentence



I like pizza, but my brother prefers pasta because it tastes better to him.



but >> Coordinating conjunction (FANBOYS)

because >> Subordinating conjunction

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Compound-Complex Sentence

Although she was exhausted, she finished her project, and she submitted it on time; however, the professor, who appreciated her effort, suggested a few revisions.

Although	>>	Subordinating conjunction
and	>>	Coordinating conjunction
however	>>	Conjunctive adverb
who	>>	Relative pronoun



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Compound-Complex Sentence

Sentence 1

Because the weather was bad, the flight was delayed; therefore, the passengers, who had been waiting for hours, were offered refreshments, and some decided to rebook their tickets.



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Compound-Complex Sentence

Sentence 2

Although the team was inexperienced, they worked hard; consequently, the manager, who noticed their effort, praised them and promised a reward.



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Compound-Complex Sentence

Sentence 3

Despite the government's attempts to explain the purpose of this project, some people still did not grasp what the government has been trying to do and thought that this would create more problems.

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Compound-Complex Sentence

Sentence 4

Even though the scholars now know more about the Bronze Age Greeks, they are still struggling to understand exactly why these people arrived on the Greek mainland in the first place.



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Compound-Complex Sentence

Sentence 5

Home aquariums are nothing new, but now vast numbers of people are thinking about how nice these exotic fish would look in their living rooms.

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Compound-Complex Sentence

Sentence 6

The ministry made its stance known as consumer groups stepped up for more government transparency regarding its information on what had caused the death of hundreds of thousands of poultry in the country.



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Compound-Complex Sentence

Sentence 7

The fact that both Saddam and his weapons were still missing made for some uncomfortable conversations in Washington, particularly when Saddam popped up again on TV.



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Compound-Complex Sentence

Sentence 8

What attracts listeners to the Strokes, another movement leader, isn't that the band is sensual but that the guitar reminds them of the great '60s band, the Velvet Underground.



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Compound-Complex Sentence

Sentence 9

The question that burns in the heart of many people in the fashion and entertainment industry is whether a government ministry should have a monopoly over what constitutes obscenity or what is socially acceptable.



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Compound-Complex Sentence

Sentence 10

It is no small irony that George W. Bush has liberated both the Iraqis and the Democrats.



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Compound-Complex Sentence

Sentence 11

British astronomer Gerald Hawkins introduced what is now the most widely accepted explanation.



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Compound-Complex Sentence

Sentence 12

Other officials said that the report was incorrect, and that the arrests had not been confirmed.



TASK:



Mock Teaching: Sentence Structure

Choose one sentence structure topic from your lessons. Teach your classmate, create your own teaching materials, design interactive activities, and check whether your classmates can actually use the structure.



TASK:

Mock Teaching: Sentence Structure



Teaching



Activity



Media



Assessment

TASK: Mock Teaching: Sentence Structure



Best Grammar Teacher



Best Activity



Best Teaching Material



Most Creative Lesson



Most Fun Lesson



THANK YOU