

Sentence Structure Quiz



QUIZ

Name: _____ Hour: _____

Directions: Identify each of the following sentences as simple, compound, complex, or compound-complex. Write your answer on the blank next to each number.

1. _____ Since they had so much fun at the party, Shay and Tony stayed late, but they were tired in the morning.

2. _____ Although he was a new driver, Tyler drove through heavy traffic in Atlanta, yet he remained calm.

3. _____ Audrey, who is one of the best spellers in the class, missed a tricky word in one of the first rounds of the spelling bee.

4. _____ Elmer and Aaron found toys and old clothes in the house.

5. _____ My friend Sheila is a vegetarian, so we serve meatless meals and desserts whenever she comes for dinner.

6. _____ We sang in the choir, and we played in the orchestra.

7. _____ My friends went to the party after they finished their work.

8. _____ My favorite ice cream is vanilla with chocolate syrup on top.

9. _____ Swimming and soccer are both offered in the summer.

10. _____ I am happy to be here, but I would love to be in the other class.



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11. _____ My friend, who loves to play the clarinet, practices often, and she is a wonderful musician.

12. _____ Preheat the oven before you bake the cookies.

13. _____ Whenever you sing that song, I feel like dancing.

14. _____ When we go to the library, I will read for an hour, and you can sit back and relax.

15. _____ Because we were already tired, we didn't go to the game.

16. _____ Caitlin had a great time visiting the art museum.

17. _____ Some of the homework was pretty easy, and we had gone over it twice.

18. _____ Provided you have the time, you can play that online game.

19. _____ Although I love strawberries and oranges, my sister will not eat them, but she loves cake.

20. _____ Jamie and Kara both enjoy dancing and skiing.

