Name: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Period: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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| ***Keywords*** | ***Notes and Examples*** |
| **Phrase** | **A phrase:**   * Has only \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ * Does not contain \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ * Is also called a \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_   Example 1: Sniffed at the cat food  Example 2: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ |
| **Clause** | A group of words containing \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_  Can be divided into independent clauses and dependent clauses, also known as subordinate clauses |
| **Independent Clause** | **An independent clause:**   * \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ * Can stand alone as a complete sentence   Example 1: Poe smelled the cat food.  Example 2: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ |
| **Dependent Clause** | **A dependent clause:**   * \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ * Cannot stand alone as a complete sentence * Has a \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_   Example 1: When Poe sniffed the cat food  Example 2: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ |

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| **Subordinating Conjunctions**:  Always begin a dependent clause | *After*  *Although*  *As*  *Because*  *Before*  *But that* | *If*  *In order that (to)*  *Lest*  *No matter*  *How*  *Since* | *When*  *Wherever*  *Where*  *Whereas*  *Whenever*  *Whether* | *Which*  *While*  *Who*  *Why*  *Even though* |

*Practice A:* Identify whether each is a phrase (P) or clause (C). They do not have punctuation, but that does not mean they are not clauses!

1. Stepping through the waterfall \_\_\_\_\_ 4. Because I said so \_\_\_\_\_
2. Carrying all of her groceries \_\_\_\_\_ 5. Since Bernie is super strong \_\_\_\_\_
3. Poe eats bugs \_\_\_\_\_ 6. The best month \_\_\_\_\_

*Practice B:* Identify whether each is an independent clause (I) or dependent clause (D). *Hint: if it has a subordinator, it is a dependent clause*.

7. After I ate prunes \_\_\_\_\_ 10. Prunes are shriveled plums \_\_\_\_\_

8. Prunes are delicious \_\_\_\_\_ 11. How the bag of prunes \_\_\_\_\_

9. My mom hates prunes \_\_\_\_\_ 12. When Grandma’s bag of prunes \_\_\_\_\_

*Practice C:* Circle the simple subject and underline the simple predicate in the following clauses. *Remember: the subject is the main noun of the sentence, and the predicate is what the subject is doing (or it is a linking verb)*

13. After the first bovine arrived 18. A cow can eat around 40 lbs of food a day

14. Cows make milk 19. Red is used to attract bulls in a bullfight

15. Although cows produce 25 gallons of saliva 20. Even though cows are colorblind

16. Pasteurization was introduced in 1895 21. Since they can walk upstairs

17. While cows cannot walk down stairs 22. When a cow smells odors five miles away

*Practice D:*  How can we use the following dependent clauses and make complete sentences? Complete the sentence by adding a ***relevant*** independent clause.

*Note how if the dependent clause is first, a comma follows the clause. When the dependent clause follows the independent clause, a comma is not needed.*

23. While Frank waited on Henrietta, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

24. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ since Frank was being grumpy.

25. Even though they were already late for Bingo, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

***Now add a dependent clause to complete the sentence. You will need to use a subordinator!***

26. Bernice was crabby \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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