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# The Comma

Read the sentences and place commas where you think they should be.

## Worksheet # 5

1. A simple sentence also called an independent clause contains a subject and a verb and it expresses a complete thought.
2. The most basic type of sentence is the simple sentence which contains only one clause.
3. My friend invited me to a party but I do not want to go.
4. A story plot is a planned logical series of events having a beginning middle and end.
5. Using original figures of speech in our writing is a way to convey meanings in fresh unexpected ways.
6. You may be disappointed if you fail but you are doomed if you don't try."
7. This song is dedicated to Moe Larry and Curly.
8. The meal consisted of soup salad and macaroni and cheese.
9. After you have completed the exercises compare your results with a classmate.
10. On warm summer nights after supper mother would sit on the front porch and tell us stories about ghosts and witches.
11. Don't get me wrong I just don't like running.
12. To get exercise I run with my new dog Ollie.
13. It's challenging but you have to at least try to eat right and exercise.
14. Like most people I can be lazy so it's nice to have a goal or deadline or reason to work out.
15. I feel better when I get to exercise or when I'm outdoors.
16. I like to hike swim and run and I love to play soccer.
17. If you develop a passion for learning you will never cease to grow.
18. Benefits of regular activity are better posture self-esteem and weight management and improved energy levels.

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## Worksheet # 5 ANSWERS

1. A simple sentence, also called an independent clause, contains a subject and a verb, and it expresses a complete thought.
2. The most basic type of sentence is the simple sentence, which contains only one clause.
3. My friend invited me to a party, but I do not want to go.
4. A story plot is a planned, logical series of events having a beginning, middle, and end.
5. Using original figures of speech in our writing is a way to convey meanings in fresh, unexpected ways.
6. You may be disappointed if you fail, but you are doomed if you don't try."
7. This song is dedicated to Moe, Larry, and Curly.
8. The meal consisted of soup, salad, and macaroni and cheese.
9. After you have completed the exercises, compare your results with a classmate.
10. On warm summer nights after supper, mother would sit on the front porch and tell us stories about ghosts and witches.
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