

QUESTION TAG

1) Kranti repaired the clock.

Ans- Kranti repaired the clock, didn't she?

2) It is not dark.

Ans- It is not dark, is it?

3) They were going to the lake.

Ans-They were going to the lake, weren't they?

4) The bus left by the time we got there.

Ans-The bus left by the time we got there, didn't it?

5) You are trying to find out someone.

Ans- You are trying to find out someone, aren't you?

6) The bread will become soggy.

Ans- The bread will become soggy, won't it?

7) Pavan has not kept his word.

Ans- Pavan has not kept his word, has he?

8) His parents would not have left before yesterday.

Ans- His parents would not have left before yesterday, would they?

9) I can see how earnest you are.

Ans- I can see how earnest you are, can't I ?

10) Shanta loves ice-cream.

Ans- Shanta loves ice-cream, doesn't she?

11) The bus skidded on the wet road.

Ans- The bus skidded on the wet road, didn't it?

12) Vimala sells wooden toys.

Ans- Vimala sells wooden toys, doesn't she?

13) None of the workers left early.

Ans- None of the workers left early, did they?

14) You haven't left the door open.

Ans- You haven't left the door open, have you?

15) The clothes in the store are priced very high.

Ans- The clothes in the store are priced very high, aren't it?

SIMPLE, COMPOUND AND COMPLEX SENTENCES

Change the following simple sentences into compound sentences.

1. In spite of being new to the place, Tanu got everybody to support her cause.

Ans- Tanu was new to place **still** she got everybody to support her cause.

2. Having finished work for the day, we left the office.

Ans- We finished work for the day **and** left the office.

3. To my surprise, Mini arrived in the morning with a pup in her arms.

Ans- Mini arrived in the morning with a pup in her arms **and** I got surprise.

4. It was not dark even in the evening.

Ans- It was not dark **still** in the evening.

5. Walking down the road , Sam looked at the lovely houses on both sides.

Ans- Sam walked down the road **and** looked at the lovely houses on both sides.

6. Bored with the hostel food, the students decided to cook a meal for themselves.

Ans- Students bored with the hostel food **so** they decided to cook a meal for themselves.

7. All the flights have been canceled owing to the bad weather.

Ans- All the flights have been canceled **because of** the bad weather.

8. Madhu had the options of working or enrolling for an advanced course in computer application.

Ans- Madhu had the options **either** of working **or** enrolling for an advanced course in computer application.

9. Being exhausted after the climb, we rested on the hilltop for a while.

Ans- We exhausted after the climb **therefore / so** we rested on the hilltop for a while.

10. Seema called her uncle to ask him for an address.

Ans- Seema called her uncle **and** ask him for an address.

Combine each of the following pairs of simple sentences into a complex sentence.

1. Varkey took me out to lunch. I went to see Varkey.

Ans - Varkey took me out to lunch **when** I went to see him.

2. The woman put the bag down. The bag was very heavy.

Ans- The woman put the bag down **because** it was very heavy.

3. I would like to read the poem. My son wrote a poem for his school magazine.

Ans- I would like to read the poem **which** my son wrote for his school magazine.

4. The doctor will be able to make an accurate diagnosis. Get the tests done.

Ans- The doctor will be able to make an accurate diagnosis **since** the tests done.

5. The guavas are not sweet. The guavas are large.

Ans- The guavas are not sweet **though** that are large.

6. On hearing about his father's arrival, Kamal rushed home.

Ans- **As soon as** Kamal heard his father's arrival he rushed home.

7. It is our hope. The boy will grow up to be honest.

Ans- It is our hope **that** the boy will grow up to be honest.

8. You cannot reach the fan. Stand on a stool.

Ans- You cannot reach the fan **so** stand on a stool.

9. Ben peeped into the room. His brothers were sleeping in the room.

Ans- Ben peeped into the room **when** his brothers were sleeping in the room.

10. It is my opinion. The room needs to be painted.

Ans- It is my opinion **that** the room needs to be painted.

Do as directed.

1. Farid found the house locked, so he waited outside for his friend. (Change into a simple sentence)

Ans- **Being** found the house locked, Farid waited outside for his friend.

2. Even though we missed the bus, we got to office on time. (Change into a compound sentence)

Ans- We missed the bus **still** we got to office on time.

3. The squirrel hid the nuts at the usual place.(Change into a complex sentence)

Ans- The squirrel hid the nuts **where** it usually place.

4. Although the curry was too salty , Amit did not complain. (Change into a simple sentence)

Ans- **In spite of being** the curry was too salty, Amit did not complain.

5. The nurses decorated the ward with flowers and balloons to make it look bright and cheerful. (Change into a complex sentence)

Ans- The nurses decorated the ward with flowers and balloons **so that** it look bright and cheerful.

6.If you do not want to take the pink sari, you can take the white one. (Change into a compound sentence)

Ans- You can take **either** pink sari **or** white one.