

# Sentences for Practice

## Predicate Verbs & Direct Objects

ANSWERS

Analyze the following sentences.

1. The October air blew.  
adj adj adv

2. Aunt Bea was pruning the roses.  
adj hv PV  
do

3. Several children are helping now.  
adj hv adv PV

4. Uncle Roy was planting a tiny maple tree.  
adj adj adv PV  
do

5. The boys were digging a deep hole.  
adj hv PV  
do

6. Suddenly, two boys discovered a heavy brick.  
adv adj PV  
do

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7. One boy used the big shovel.  
S PV  
|adj| adj |adj| adj ↑ do

8. Then, Otis lowered the tree down.  
S PV  
|adv| ↑ |adj| do  
adv

9. Later, the bell rang loudly.  
S PV  
|adv| |adj| ↑ ↑ |adv|  
adv

10. The whole family gave thanks together.  
S PV  
|adj| |adj| ↑ ↑ do  
adv



# Sentences for Practice—Tale Predicate Verbs & Direct Objects

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Analyze the following sentences, which summarize “A Missing Man Found.”

1. The twelve men had supplies.  
S PV  
|adj |adj ↑ do

**From the Sideline:** These extra practice sentences are a synopsis of the folktale “A Missing Man Found.” The folktale and the extended lesson notes are on the following pages.

2. The first man fished alone.  
S PV  
|adj |adj ↑ ↑ adv

3. Another fisherman went upstream.  
S PV  
|adj ↑ ↑ adv

4. The foolish men counted the men.  
S PV  
|adj |adj ↑ |adj ↑ do

5. Unfortunately, the fishermen did not count every man.  
S hv PV  
|adv |adj ↑ |adv ↑ |adj ↑ do

6. A stranger helped the fools.  
S PV  
|adj ↑ |adj ↑ do

7. The wise stranger had a clever idea  
 S PV  
 |adj |adj ↑ |adj |adj ↑ do

8. Slowly, each fisherman received a number.  
 S PV  
 |adv |adj ↑ ↑ |adj ↑ do

9. Each fisherman also received a switch.  
 S PV  
 |adj ↑ |adv ↑ |adj ↑ do

10. The stranger found the lost fisherman.  
 S PV  
 |adj ↑ |adj |adj ↑ do

