

Types of sentences:

Simple sentence

Compound sentence

Complex sentences

Compound-Complex sentence

Simple Sentence

Great words **develop** great sentences.

Subject + **Verb** = Sentence.

Compound Sentence

Silly words develop silly sentences, but the essay required serious sentences.

Sentence + FANBOYS + Sentence = CS

Complex Sentence

Has a subordinate (can't stand alone) clause(s)

Opener, Sentence.

Sentence, Closer.

Sent, INTERRUPTER, ence.

EXAMPLES

Opener, Sentence.

In rainy weather, the streets turn to red slop.

To Kill a Mockingbird

Examples

Sentence, Closer.

Polyphemus ravenously chomped the soldiers, spewing bits of flesh out of his mouth like a geyser.

Examples

Sent, INTERRUPTER, ence.

Polyphemus, one of the monsters in The Odyssey, does not exhibit the norms of Greek society.

How do you craft great sentences?

Use your tools!

FANBOYS & AAWWUBBIS

FANBOYS FANBOYS FANBOYS

FOR

AND

NOR

BUT

OR

YET

SO

What the heck is AAAWWUBBIS

(Subordinating Conjunctions: introduces a sub. clause)

After

Although

As

When

While

Until

Before

Because

If

Since

Compound-Complex

The granddaddy of all sentences, the compound-complex sentence contains 2 complete sentences joined by a FANBOYS...BUT it also has a subordinate clause in one of the sentences....ooooohhh fancy!

Compound Complex Example

Although it was messy in the muddy streets, Jem and Scout enjoyed playing in the rain, but Cal would send them straight to the shower when they were finished.

Break It Down- Sentences

Although it was messy in the muddy streets, Jem and Scout enjoyed playing in the rain, but Cal would send them straight to the shower when they were finished.

Break it Down- FANBOYS

Although it was messy in the muddy streets,
Jem and Scout enjoyed playing in the rain,
but Cal would send them straight to the
shower when they were finished.

Break it Down- AAAWWUBBIS

Although it was messy in the muddy streets, Jem and Scout enjoyed playing in the rain, but Cal would send them straight to the shower when they were finished.

Break it Down-Subordinate Clause

Although it was messy in the muddy streets,
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shower when they were finished.

YOUR TURN

With your group:

Find or craft one of each sentence type using “The Most Dangerous Game” as your inspiration.

If you copy a sentence from the text, it must be in quotations with the page number cited: “Rainsford had fought his way through the bush for two hours” (23).

Ideas: the hunt, Zaroff, Rainsford, setting, Ivan, the dogs, cannibals, etc.

Sentence type Sent, Interrupter, ence.

Sentence Your sentences, on a sheet of paper, will look like

You must have:

1 Simple

1 Compound with FANBOYS

3 complex: 1 opener, sentence, 1 sentence,
closer, 1 sent, interrupter, ence

1 Compound Complex