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CLASS IX & X
ENGLISH GRAMMAR

PART II

LESSON 14

SENTENCE TYPES

MORE ABOUT TRANSFORMATION OF SENTENCES

SOLUTIONS

A. Do the exercises as directed:

Pick out the subordinate clauses in the following: (Page 99)

1. It is good that there is a bright sunshine.
2. Tamenglong is a district which produces oranges.
3. I went to Kachai which are full of lemons.
4. The girl sat in the examination hall which was very quiet.
5. Who did the work cannot be ascertained.
6. We do not know whether they really speak the truth.
7. We know that police should not disturb education.
8. The rumour that there is a war is wrong.
9. The hope that there will be peace is a dream.
10. The question is whether they are reliable.

(Note: The subordinate clauses are underlined)

B. Complete the following sentences by adding suitable Noun clauses. (Page 100)

1. Everyone desires that there is peace in the world.
2. The girl knew when the train would arrive.
3. She asked me why I was sad.
4. It is certain that he is successful.
5. No one knows who were involved in the robbery.
6. I do not believe that he cheated you.
7. The doctor hoped that the epidemic would end soon.
8. That was exactly what I wanted.
9. Everyone knows that honesty is the best policy.
10. I am sure that you will succeed.

(Note: The Noun clauses are underlined)



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C. Do the exercise as directed:

Change the following into a Complex Sentence using a Noun Clause: (Page 101)

1. **Nobody knows his birthplace.**

Ans: Nobody knows where he was born.

2. **I want to meet her.**

Ans: The person that I want to meet is she.

3. **She could not tell me her name.**

Ans: She could not tell me what her name was.

4. **He admitted his mistake.**

Ans: He admitted that he made a mistake.

5. **I wish you success.**

Ans: I wish that you succeed.

6. **We hope for better days.**

Ans: We hope that the days will be better.

7. **She confessed her guilt.**

Ans: She confessed that she was guilty.

8. **I heard of her success.**

Ans: I heard that she was successful.

9. **It is said to have been done by him.**

Ans: It is said that the work had been done by him.

10. **She does not remember her birthday.**

Ans: She does not remember when her birthday is.



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D. Do the exercises as directed:

Change the following Simple Sentences into Complex Sentences with a Noun Clause:

(Pg 103)

1. **They heard of their failure.**

Ans: They heard that they failed.

2. **No one knows the time of his coming.**

Ans: No one knows when he will come.

3. **She told me the truth.**

Ans: She told me what the truth was.

4. **I wish you success.**

Ans: I wish that you succeed.

5. **She admitted her guilt.**

Ans: She admitted that she was guilty.

6. **We hope for an early rain.**

Ans: We hope that there will be an early rain.

7. **The report of his illness is true.**

Ans: The report that he is ill is true.

8. **His hiding place was known to all.**

Ans: Where he hid was known to all.

9. **Deepak confessed his guilt.**

Ans: Deepak confessed that he was guilty.

10. **I believe in his honesty.**

Ans: I believe that he is honest.



E. Change the following Sentences into Complex Sentences by using Adjective Clauses: (Pg- 104)

1. **An honest man is the noble work of God.**

Ans: A man who is honest is the noble work of God.

2. **He was the first Manipuri to become a Minister.**

Ans: He was the first Manipuri who became a Minister.

3. **He did not get my letter.**

Ans: He did not get the letter which I sent.

4. **A brave man does not fear an animal.**

Ans: A man who is brave does not fear an animal.

5. **She is a beautiful girl.**

Ans: She is a girl who is beautiful.

6. **Hard working people shine in life.**

Ans: People who are hard-working shine in life.

7. **This is my house.**

Ans: It is this house which is mine.

8. **A university is a seat of learning.**

Ans: A university is a place where learning takes place.

9. **The teacher is a selfless person.**

Ans: The teacher is a person who is selfless.

10. **The parents are responsible people.**

Ans: The parents are people who are responsible.



F. Change the following Sentences into Complex Sentences by using Adverb Clauses:
(Pg- 104)

1. **She was too weak to climb the hill.**

Ans: She was so weak that she could not climb the hill.

2. **He is too lazy to do any work.**

Ans: He is so lazy that he does not do any work.

3. **No one can become rich without work.**

Ans: No one can become rich unless he works.

4. **You cannot pass the exam without reading.**

Ans: If you do not read, you cannot pass the exam.

5. **Having completed his studies, he joined service.**

Ans: After he had completed his studies, he joined service.

6. **On entering the kitchen, she found the vegetables.**

Ans: When she entered the kitchen, she found the vegetables.

7. **In the absence of a better alternative, he used the pen.**

Ans: As there was not a better alternative, he used the pen.

8. **Weather permitting; we shall go on a picnic.**

Ans: If the weather is fine, we shall go for a picnic.

9. **I would have failed without his help.**

Ans: I would have failed if you had not helped me.

10. **On receiving the letter, I came to know the truth.**

Ans: As soon as I received the letter, I came to know the truth.



Do the exercise as directed:

G. Change the following Simple Sentences into Compound Sentences: (Page- 106)

1. **In spite of his learning, his life is unhappy.**

Ans: He is learned but he lives an unhappy life.

2. **For all his riches, he is not happy.**

Ans: He is rich but he is not happy.

3. **To everyone's surprise, they won the election.**

Ans: They won the election and it surprised everyone.

4. **Rushing after the bus, he jumped on it.**

Ans: He rushed after the bus and jumped on it.

5. **You must read hard to pass the examination.**

Ans: You must read hard and you will pass the examination.

6. **The sun having set, darkness fell on the earth.**

Ans: Darkness fell on the earth for the sun had set.

7. **In the event of heavy demand, the people will flee the country.**

Ans: There will be heavy demand and the people will flee the country.

8. **In addition to being lonely, he is weak.**

Ans: He is not only lonely but also weak.

9. **You must run away at once to escape being punished.**

Ans: You must run away at once and you will escape being punished.

10. **They must work hard to finish the book.**

Ans: They must work hard or they will not finish the work.



Do the Miscellaneous Exercises as directed:

H. Change the following Compound Sentences into Complex Sentences: (Page 107)

1. **Come here or you will not get it.**

Ans: If you do not come here, you will not get it.

2. **We respected her and she was very happy.**

Ans: When we respected her, she was very happy.

3. **Kalam was an educated man and we respected him.**

Ans: As Kalam was an educated man, we respected him.

4. **The boy is a terrorist and everyone hates him.**

Ans: As the boy is a terrorist, everyone hates him.

5. **Spare the rod and spoil the child.**

Ans: If you spare the rod, you will spoil the child.

6. **He is poor but honest.**

Ans: Though he is poor, he is honest.

7. **Conquer thy desires or they will conquer thee.**

Ans: If thou do not conquer thy desires, they will conquer thee.

8. **They are evil and they are merciless.**

Ans: As they are evil, they are merciless.

9. **They demand freedom but they destroy freedom.**

Ans: Though they demand freedom, they destroy freedom.

10. **We know the danger but we go on.**

Ans: Although we know the danger, we go on.



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I. Change the Complex Sentences to Compound Sentences: (Page-107)

- 1. I am sure that they are destroying the country.**

Ans: They are destroying the country and I am sure of that.

- 2. Unless you stand up to fight, all will be lost.**

Ans: Stand up to fight or all will be lost.

- 3. I saw the boy who demanded it.**

Ans: A boy demanded it and I saw him.

- 4. As soon as I have money, I shall go there.**

Ans: I will have the money and I shall go there immediately.

- 5. She reads hard so that she will pass the examination.**

Ans: She must read hard or she will pass the examination.

- 6. If you trust in God, you will succeed.**

Ans: Trust in God and you will succeed.

- 7. He failed because he did not work hard.**

Ans: He did not work hard so he failed.

- 8. I am glad that I do not meet the villain.**

Ans: I do not meet the villain so I am glad.

- 9. When you are disturbed, you will not read.**

Ans: You are disturbed and you will not read.

- 10. We will have quality education only when we have peace of mind.**

Ans: We must have peace of mind and we will have quality education.
