

KU33201-ENGLISH VI D3 TI and TK Reduced Clauses and Inverted Subject and Verbs

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- Structure and Written Expression: Reduced clause Inverted subject and verb
- Exercise

Review

Objective of the lesson

 You are able to determine the correct answer to the exercises (topics: Reduced clause and inverted subject and verb).

Reduced Clause

REDUCED ADJECTIVE CLAUSES				
with a be-verb in the adjective clause	(ADJECTIVE-CONNECTOR/SUBJECT) (who which that)	(BE)		
with no be-verb in the adjective clause	(ADJECTIVE-CONNECTOR/SUBJECT) (who which that)	(VERB + ING)		

- To reduce an adjective clause, omit the adjective clause connector/subject and the be-verb.
- If there is no be-verb, omit the connector/subject and change the main verb to the -ing form.
- Only reduce an adjective clause if the connector/subject is directly followed by the verb.
- If an adjective clause is set off with commas, the reduced clause can be moved to the front of the sentence.
- P.S.: Adjective clause connector followed by a subject/noun cannot be reduced.

Point 1:

The movie which was released yesterday attracted millions of people. (not reduced) not reduced

The movie <u>released yesterday</u> attracted millions of people. (reduced) reduced

Point 2:

The doctor who treated my uncle has moved to another country.

not reduced

The doctor treating my uncle has moved to another country. reduced clause

Point 3:

The taxi driver whom I just called does not have GPS. cannot be reduced

The book which I download from our library site cannot be opened.

cannot be reduced

Point 4:

The White House, which is located in Washington, is the home of the president.

not reduced

Located in Washington, the White House is the home of the president. Reduced and moved

Example:

the mayor of the town will face reelection next year.

- (A) Serve a term of four year
- (B) Who is serving a term of four year
- (C) Serving a term of a four year
- (D) Who serve

	RE	DUCED ADVER	3 CLAUSES			
with a be-verb in the adverb clause	(ADVERB CONNECTOR) (ADVERB CONNECTOR)		(SUBJECT) (VERB + ING)			
with no be-verb in the adverb clause						
	Time	Condition	Contrast	Place	Manner	
reduces in ACTIVE	after before since while	if unless whether	although though			
reduces in PASSIVE	once until when whenever	if unless whether	although though	where wherever	as	

- To reduce an adverb clause, omit the subject and the be-verb from the adverb clause.
- · If there is no be-verb, then omit the subject and change the verb to the -ing form.

Point 1:

If our help is needed, we will be available every Monday. not reduced

If needed, we will be available every Monday reduced

Point 2:

After you complete the quiz, you may continue the other task. not reduced

After completing the quiz, you may continue the other task. reduced

Example:

____, you should bring all required documents.

- (A) When you applying for the position
- (B) You apply for the position
- (C) When applying for the position (reduced)
- (D) If apply

Inverted Subject and Verb

Sentences with Inverted Subjects and Verbs

- Inverted subject and verb? What does that mean?
- It means the structure of subject and verb in a sentence is not like the "normal" structure.
- What is "normal" structure?
- The clothes are in the drawer —> "normal" structure
 V
- In the drawer <u>are</u> the clothes. —> inverted subject and verb
 V

Skill 15: Invert subject and verb with question words

	INVERTED SUBJECTS AND VERBS WITH QUESTION WORDS						
	who	what	when	where	why	how	
When th	ne question w	vord introduces	a question, th	e subject and v	erb are invert	ed.	
		que	estion word	V S ?			
			What	are they?			
When th	ne question w	vord connects to	vo clauses, the	subject and v	erb that follow	w are not inverted	
		s v	question v	vord) S	٧.		
		I know	what	they	are.		

Skill 15: Invert subject and verb with question words

Correct or incorrect:
 How new students can get their ID card?

- We were confused _____ the prize.
 - A. why she
 - B. why she didn't take
 - C. why did she take?
 - D. Didn't take

Skill 16: Invert subject and verb with place expression

INVERTED SUBJECTS AND VERBS WITH PLACE EXPRESSIONS

When a place expression at the front of the sentence is necessary to complete the sentence, the subject and verb that follow are inverted.

PLACE (necessary) V S
In the classroom were some old desks.

When a place expression at the front of the sentence contains extra information that is not needed to complete the sentence, the subject and verb that follow are not inverted.

PLACE (extra)

S

V

In the classroom,

I studied very hard.

*Note:

Subject and verb are inverted after a place expression or prepositional phrase Place expressions: *Nowhere, here, there.*

Prepositional phrases: In the house, around the yard, behind the door, etc.

Skill 16: Invert subject and verb with place expression

Below is the link to access the file. -> inverted place expression v

The link to access the file is below. -> not inverted v place expression

Skill 16: Invert the subject and verb with place expressions.

Example:

On the level of the parking lot _____

- (A) is empty
- (B) are empty
- (C) some empty stalls are
- (D) are some empty stalls

Skill 17: Invert subject and verb with negatives

	INVERTED	SUBJECTS AN	ID VERBS WITH	1 NEGATIVES	
no barely	not hardly	never	neither rarely	nor	seldom
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Skill 17: Invert the subject and verb with negatives

1. Negative expressions appear at the beginning of the sentence. Example:

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Not once did I miss a question. —> inverted Negative helping V S
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- 2. Negative expressions appear in the middle of then sentence. Example:
 - I did not miss a question, and <u>neither did she</u>. —> inverted Negative V S

Skill 17: Invert the subject and verb with negatives.

Example:

ignored us in every meeting.

- (A) Never the manager
- (B) Never did the manager
- (C) The manager did
- (D) Never has the manager

Skill 18: Invert the subject and verb with conditionals

Conditional type 2

Not inverted:

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If I were you, I would take the chance If S V/be S V
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I would do it if I were you S V/be
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Skill 18: Invert the subject and verb with conditionals

INVERTED SUBJECTS AND VERBS WITH CONDITIONALS				
	had should were			
When the verb in the conditions subject and verb.	al clause is had, should, or were, it is possible to omit if and inver-the			
(omitted if)	v s			
V	Vere he here, he would help.			
It is also possible to keep if. The	n the subject and verb are not inverted.			
if	S V			
If	he were here, he would help.			

Skill 18: Invert the subject and verb with conditionals

If I had known it, I would have told you.

Had I known it, I would have told you. (inverted)
I would have told you had I known it. (inverted)

If you should go, you may take my car.

Should you go, you may take my car. (inverted)

You take my car should you go. (inverted)

Skill 18: Invert the subject and verb with conditionals

Example:

They would definitely assist us do this project _____

- (A) were they in our department
- (B) if they are here
- (C) if they
- (D) if were they here

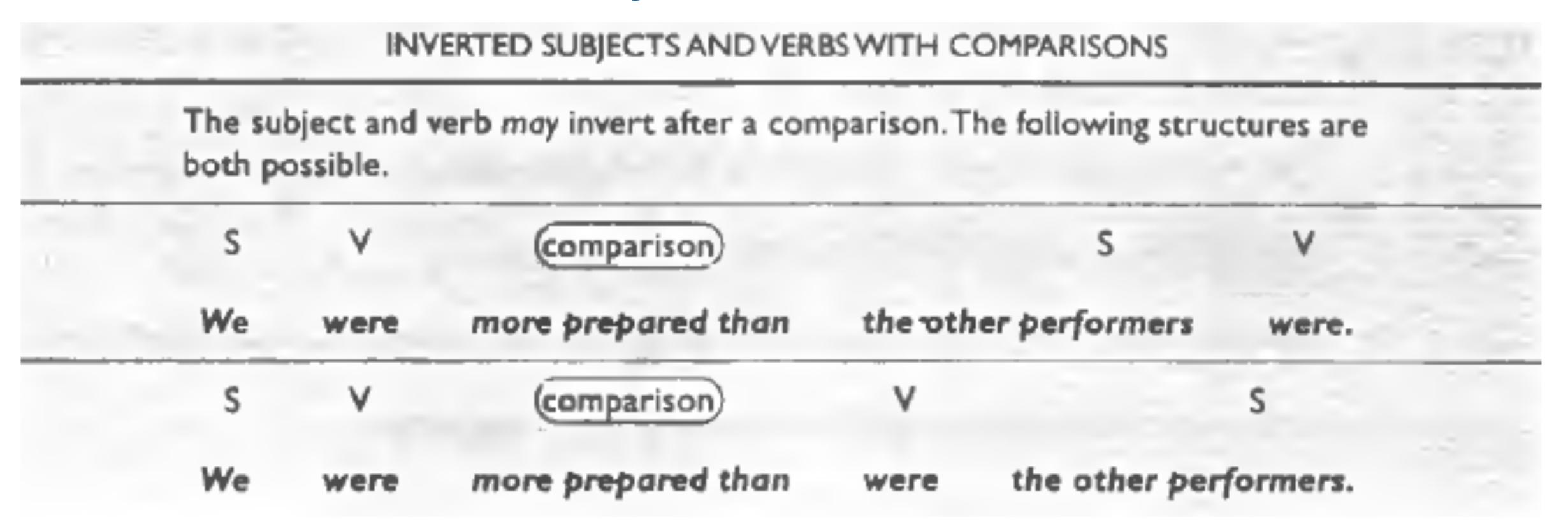
Skill 19: Invert the subject and verb with comparisons.

She has done the task faster than I.

She has done the task faster than I have.

She has done the task faster than have I.

Skill 19: Invert the subject and verb with comparisons.



*Note:

Subject and verb are inverted after the comparison.

Skill 19: Invert the subject and verb with comparisons.

Example:

The results of the current experiment appear to be more consistent than ____ the results of any previous tests.

- (A) **do**
- (B) were
- (C) they do
- (D) does

Exercises:

Exercises skills 13-19 (correct/incorrect) TOEFL Exercise 13-19

Week 2-Practicum Session: Reduced clauses and inverted subject and verb

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