



English Exercises: Part 1

Key vocabulary:

- Simplification
- Clarity
- Syntax
- Merge

Stitching:

August. Trip. Australia.
Next week. Buy. Tickets.
Plan. Visit. Sydney. Melbourne.
Arrive. Hotel. Relax. Ocean.
Hope. Interesting people.
Beginning of September. Fly. Work.

In August, I'm going on a solo trip to Australia, for vacation. Next week I need to make my itinerary and buy my plane tickets. I plan to visit Sydney first, and then go to Melbourne. As soon as I arrive at my hotel and check in, all I want to do is find a place to relax by the ocean and read. That's what vacation is all about! I really hope I can meet a lot of interesting people while I'm there. At the beginning of September, I need to fly back home and return to work.

Simplification:

Original:

It was Christmas. I spent the day with my family. We opened presents together and ate a big meal. The meal was delicious. We had a great day together. Christmas is my favorite holiday.

Simplified versions:

I spent this Christmas with my family. After a huge meal, we all had a great time opening presents together.

My family and I had a great time opening presents together on Christmas after a big delicious meal. It's my favorite holiday.

Assignment:

Practice stitching with the following:

Can't.
Believe.
Bought.
Without.
Permission.

Do you.
borrow.
Car.
Next?

Still.
Can't.
Why.
You.
Tell.

Would.
Have.
Italian.
Chinese.
Dinner?