

## ANSWERS PRASES AND CLAUSES – 17092024

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#### Module 1: Phrases &Clauses [Practice Sheet]

##### A. Choose the most appropriate option:

1. The boy has been living **in the city of Delhi** for a long time.

A. Noun phrase

B. **Prepositional phrase**

C. Adjective phrase

D. Adverb phrase

E. None of these

2. Ask me a **slightly easy** question and I will be happy to answer.

A. Noun phrase

B. Prepositional phrase

C. **Adjective phrase**

D. Adverb phrase

E. None of these

3. The woman said that she got **the most delicious cake**.

A. **Noun phrase**

B. Adjective phrase

C. Prepositional phrase

D. Adverb phrase

E. None of these

4. The **brown-eyed** lady is a stranger at the party.

- A. Adverb phrase
- B. Verb phrase
- C. Clause
- D. Noun phrase
- E. **Adjective phrase**

5. She is **amazingly fast** at replying to emails from imaginary people.

- A. Adverb phrase
- B. **Adjective phrase**
- C. Prepositional phrase
- D. Noun phrase
- E. Verb phrase

6. Shree and Shilpi **are doing** household chores together.

- A. Noun phrase
- B. **Verb phrase**
- C. Prepositional phrase
- D. Adverb phrase
- E. Adjective phrase

7. He was a writer and **a professor of English in this college**.

- A. **Noun phrase**
- B. Verb phrase
- C. Prepositional phrase
- D. Adverb phrase
- E. Adjective phrase

8. Laufey is **an extremely talented musician**.

- A. Prepositional phrase

B. Verb phrase

C. **Noun phrase**

D. Adverb phrase

E. Clause

9. The mission is listed at **the centre of the environmental conservation organisation.**

A. Prepositional phrase

B. **Noun phrase containing a prepositional phrase**

C. Adjective phrase containing a noun phrase

D. Adverb phrase

E. Clause

10. **These people** are organising a charity event.

A. Prepositional phrase

B. Verb phrase

C. **Noun phrase**

D. Adverb phrase

E. Adjective Phrase

11. These travel brochures provide information **on places which are exotic.**

A. **Prepositional phrase**

B. Verb phrase

C. Noun phrase

D. Adverb phrase

E. Adjective Phrase

12. I witnessed **how the accident happened.**

A. Prepositional phrase

B. **Subordinate clause**

C. Noun phrase

D. Main clause

E. Adjective phrase

13. **I do it** because I choose to.

A. Subordinate clause

B. **Principal clause**

C. A sentence

D. A phrase

E. None of the above

14. **You should wait till I return.**

A. Dependent clause

B. Independent clause

C. It does not have any clause.

D. **There are two clauses in it.**

E. None of the above

15. **When she arrived in Mumbai,** she was scared.

A. **Subordinate clause**

B. Principal clause

C. A sentence

D. A phrase

E. None of the above

16. Amidst the labyrinth of thoughts, she wondered if the answers she sought could be found.

**Identify the subordinate clause.**

A. Could be found at all

B. She wondered if

C. **If the answers she sought could be found**

D. Amidst the labyrinth of thoughts

E. None of the above

17. She returned to a place where few women live by the mountains.

**Identify the main clause.**

A. **She returned to a place**

B. Where few women live

C. By the mountains

D. Where few women live by the mountains

E. She returned

18. **As I came closer**, I saw a horrific sight that was beyond imagination.

A. **Subordinate clause**

B. Principal clause

C. Adverb phrase

D. Adjective phrase

E. None of the above

19. He began to laugh **quite loudly**.

A. Prepositional phrase

B. Verb phrase

C. Noun phrase

D. **Adverb phrase**

E. Adjective Phrase

20. He is **the toughest to beat**.

A. Prepositional phrase

B. Verb phrase

C. Noun phrase

D. Adverb phrase

E. **Adjective Phrase**

21. She went there **very quickly**.

A. Prepositional phrase

B. Verb phrase

C. Noun phrase

D. Adverb phrase

E. Adjective Phrase

22. He thinks that he is **the best person to ever walk the earth**.

A. Prepositional phrase

B. Verb phrase

C. **Noun phrase**

D. Adverb phrase

E. Adjective Phrase

23. Your words are **quite hurtful**.

A. Prepositional phrase

B. Verb phrase

C. Noun phrase

D. Adverb phrase

E. **Adjective Phrase**

24. Serena Williams defeats her competitors **with unmatched skill**.

A. **Prepositional phrase (functioning as an Adverbial)**

B. Verb phrase

C. Noun phrase

- D. Adverb phrase
- E. Adjective Phrase

25. **Since she didn't want to become a homemaker**, she ran away.

- A. **Subordinate clause**
- B. Principal clause
- C. Adverb phrase
- D. Adjective phrase
- E. None of the above

26. He vanished and **she fell unconscious**.

- A. Subordinate clause
- B. **Independent clause**
- C. Adverb phrase
- D. Adjective phrase
- E. None of the above

27. Fools rush in **where angels fear to tread**.

- A. **Subordinate clause**
- B. Independent clause
- C. Adverb phrase
- D. Adjective phrase
- E. None of the above

28. Any person, **who is like you**, can succeed.

- A. Main clause
- B. **Dependent clause**
- C. Adverb phrase
- D. Adjective phrase

E. None of the above

31. **She slept like a log** while they burned the midnight oil.

A. **Main clause**

B. Dependent clause

C. Adverb phrase

D. Adjective phrase

E. None of the above

**B. Instructions: Complete the following sentences by inserting an appropriate phrase (Noun Phrase, Prepositional Phrase, Verb Phrase, Adjective Phrase, or Adverb Phrase). The phrase you choose should fit logically within the context of the sentence. After completing the sentences, identify the type of phrase you used.**

**Example:** Sentence: The professor delivered his lecture \_\_\_\_\_, emphasizing the importance of precision in engineering.

**Phrase:** with unwavering confidence / confidently

**Type:** Prepositional Phrase functioning as an Adverbial / Adverb Phrase

1-The success of the project depends on identifying \_\_\_\_\_, which the team must address before proceeding further.

Type: \_\_\_\_\_

2- The manuscript was carefully edited by \_\_\_\_\_ ensuring that all grammatical standards were met.

Type \_\_\_\_\_

3-\_\_\_\_\_ was signed, the terms were reviewed by the diplomatic committee to ensure adherence to international law.



Type \_\_\_\_\_

4- Despite \_\_\_\_\_, the experiment yielded unexpected results that could revolutionize the industry.

Type: \_\_\_\_\_

5- Engineers must approach complex problems \_\_\_\_\_ to ensure that no aspect is overlooked.

Type: \_\_\_\_\_

6- The final exhibit was \_\_\_\_\_ by the museum's art director, ensuring that each piece was displayed in harmony.

Type \_\_\_\_\_

7- The final design was reviewed by \_\_\_\_\_, ensuring that all safety protocols were met.

Type: \_\_\_\_\_

8- The novel's themes \_\_\_\_\_ through the protagonist's journey of self-discovery.

9- The therapy session \_\_\_\_\_ by the psychologist, ensuring that every detail of the patient's progress was documented.

Type: \_\_\_\_\_

10- After the lecture, the students were encouraged \_\_\_\_\_ to clarify any doubts they had about the topic.

Type: \_\_\_\_\_

11- The workshop was designed to provide teachers \_\_\_\_\_ .

Type: \_\_\_\_\_

12- The research paper, \_\_\_\_\_, was published in a leading journal and has gained significant attention.

Type: \_\_\_\_\_

13- The components were assembled \_\_\_\_\_, ensuring that the final product met all the design specifications.

Type: \_\_\_\_\_

14-The international conference \_\_\_\_\_ highlighted the urgency of addressing climate change.

Type: \_\_\_\_\_

15-The film's success can be attributed to its \_\_\_\_\_ plot, which captivated audiences from start to finish.

Type: \_\_\_\_\_

### **Sample Answers:**

1-Phrase: potential risks

Type: Noun Phrase

2-Phrase: the senior editor

Type: Noun Phrase

3-Phrase: A compromise treaty

Type: Noun Phrase

4-Phrase: numerous obstacles

Type: Noun Phrase

5-Phrase: in a systematic manner / **very systematically**

Type: Prepositional Phrase functioning as an Adverbial / **Adverb Phrase**

6-Phrase: meticulously curated

Type: verb phrase

7-Phrase: a panel of experts

Type: Noun Phrase

8-Phrase: are explored

Type: verb Phrase

9-Phrase: was conducted

Type: verb Phrase

10-Phrase: to ask question.

Type: Infinitive Phrase

11.Phrase: with innovative teaching strategies

Type: prepositional Phrase

12.Phrase: meticulously written and thoroughly researched

Type: Adjective Phrase

13.Phrase: with absolute precision / **very precisely**

Type: Prepositional Phrase functioning as an Adverbial / **Adverb Phrase**

14.Phrase: on climate action

Type: prepositional Phrase

15.Phrase: intricately woven

Type: Adjective Phrase

**16.Which of the following sentences contains an adverb clause?**

- a "The book that you gave me was fascinating."
- b "**Because she was late, she missed the bus.**"
- c "He is the person who can solve this problem."
- d "The idea, which was proposed by the committee, was approved."

**17.Which sentence correctly integrates a dependent clause into a complex sentence?**

- a "She is the best candidate, who applied for the job." (best among the candidates who ... )
- b "**Although it was raining, they decided to go for a hike.**"
- c "The man whom she met him at the conference was very interesting." (incorrect because of 'him')
- d "I will call you when I will arrive." (incorrect because of 'will arrive')

**18. Which of the following sentences is an example of combining independent clauses with a dependent clause?**

- a "The sun was setting, and the sky turned orange."
- b "He was late because he missed the bus."
- c "She wanted to stay home, but she had to go to work because she had a meeting."
- d "The movie, was boring and ended after two hours."

**19. In the sentence, "If you want to succeed, you must work hard," the dependent clause serves to**

- a Provide additional information about "succeed"
- b Introduce a condition for the action in the main clause
- c Functions as the subject of the sentence
- d Explain why the action in the main clause is happening

**20. Which of the following sentences contains both a relative clause and an adverbial clause?**

- a "The book that you recommended was very interesting."
- b "He left the party early because he was tired."
- c "The house, which is on the hill, was built before the war."
- d "I will call you when I arrive at the hotel that we booked."

**21. Which sentence contains a noun clause that acts as the subject?**

- a "What he said surprised everyone in the room."
- b "She didn't know where the keys were."
- c "He gave whoever needed it a helping hand."
- d "They are unsure about what they should do next."

**22. Choose the sentence that combines the following idea in the best suited manner:**

"He was tired. He decided to go for a run."

a "Although he was tired, he decided to go for a run."

b "He was tired; he decided to go for a run."

c "He was tired and decided to go for a run."

d "He was tired, so he decided to go for a run."