

Simple/Complete Subjects and Predicates

Circle the simple subject and underline the complete predicate

1. The happy dog with the red collar runs fast.
2. My best friend and I went to the zoo.
3. The large, old oak tree in the backyard needs to be trimmed.
4. Several colorful birds perched on the tree branches.
5. The teacher with the red glasses explained the math problem clearly.

Circle the simple predicate and underline the complete predicate

6. The cat slept on the warm windowsill all afternoon.
7. The children built a sandcastle at the beach.
8. My mom baked cookies in the kitchen.
9. The squirrel quickly ran up the tree.
10. The gardener waters the plants every morning.

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Answers:

1. Simple Subject: dog

Complete Subject: The happy dog with the red collar

2. Simple Subject: friend

Complete Subject: My best friend and I

3. Simple Subject: tree

Complete Subject: The large, old oak tree in the backyard

4. Simple Subject: birds

Complete Subject: Several colorful birds

5. Simple Subject: teacher

Complete Subject: The teacher with the red glasses

6. Simple Predicate: slept

Complete Predicate: slept on the warm windowsill all afternoon

7. Simple Predicate: built

Complete Predicate: built a sandcastle at the beach

8. Simple Predicate: baked

Complete Predicate: baked cookies in the kitchen

9. Simple Predicate: ran

Complete Predicate: quickly ran up the tree

10. Simple Predicate: waters

Complete Predicate: waters the plants every morning