

## LINKERS: INTRODUCTION

### ► Practice 1. Adverb clauses. (Chart 17-1)

Underline the adverb clause in each sentence.

1. Sue dropped a carton of eggs as she was leaving the store.
2. Tomorrow, we'll all take a run in the park before we have breakfast.
3. Since Douglas fell off his bicycle last week, he has had to use crutches to walk.
4. Because I already had my boarding pass, I didn't have to stand in line at the airline counter.
5. Productivity in a factory increases if the workplace is made pleasant.
6. After Ceylon had been independent for 24 years, its name was changed to Sri Lanka.
7. Ms. Johnson regularly returns her email messages as soon as she receives them.
8. Tarik will be able to work more efficiently once he becomes familiar with the new computer program.

### ► Practice 2. Periods and commas. (Chart 17-1)

Add periods and commas as necessary. Do not change, add, or omit any words. Capitalize as necessary.

1. The lake was calm. Tom went fishing.
2. Because the lake was calm Tom went fishing.
3. Tom went fishing because the lake was calm he caught two fish.
4. When Tom went fishing the lake was calm he caught two fish.
5. The lake was calm so Tom went fishing he caught two fish.
6. Because the lake was calm and quiet Tom went fishing.
7. The lake was calm quiet and clear when Tom went fishing.
8. Because Mr. Hood has dedicated his life to helping the poor he is admired in his community.
9. Mr. Hood is admired because he has dedicated his life to helping the poor he is well known for his work on behalf of homeless people.
10. Microscopes automobile dashboards and cameras are awkward for left-handed people to use they are designed for right-handed people when "lefties" use these items they have to use their right hand to do the things that they would normally do with their left hand.

## CHAPTER 17: ADVERB CLAUSES

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#### *Adverb Clauses*

1. as she was leaving the store
2. before we have breakfast
3. Since Douglas fell off his bicycle last week
4. Because I already had my boarding pass
5. if the workplace is made pleasant
6. After Ceylon had been independent for 24 years
7. as soon as she receives them
8. once he becomes familiar with the new computer program

### PRACTICE 2, p. 170

1. . . . calm. Tom . . . .
2. . . . calm, Tom . . . .
3. . . . calm. He . . . .
4. . . . fishing, the lake was calm. He . . . .
5. . . . calm, so Tom went fishing. He . . . .
6. . . . quiet, Tom . . . .
7. . . . calm, quiet, and clear . . . .
8. . . . poor, he . . . .
9. . . . poor. He . . . .
10. Microscopes, automobile dashboards, and cameras  
. . . people to use. They are designed . . . people.  
When "lefties" use these items, . . . .