Fragments and Run-On Sentences

Grade 5 Grammar Worksheet - Building Confidence

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Write each fragment or run-on as a complete sentence.

1. The dog barked at the mail carrier it ran back to the porch.

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2. Planting beans in the garden.

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3. My sister found a shell on the beach she put it in her pocket.

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4. Stopping near the library.

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5. Ben built a tall tower of blocks it fell over.

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6. Making a loaf of warm bread.

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7. A small bird sat on the fence it sang a happy song.

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8. Practicing every afternoon.

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Answer Key - Grade 5 Grammar Worksheet - Building Confidence

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1. The dog barked at the mail carrier it ran back to the porch.

Two sentences, for example "The dog barked at the mail carrier. It ran back to the porch."

2. Planting beans in the garden.

A full sentence with a subject and a verb, for example "Our class planted beans in the garden."

3. My sister found a shell on the beach she put it in her pocket.

Two sentences, for example "My sister found a shell on the beach. She put it in her pocket."

4. Stopping near the library.

A full sentence with a subject and a verb, for example "The bus stopped near the library."

5. Ben built a tall tower of blocks it fell over.

Two sentences, for example "Ben built a tall tower of blocks. It fell over."

6. Making a loaf of warm bread.

A full sentence with a subject and a verb, for example "The baker made a loaf of warm bread."

7. A small bird sat on the fence it sang a happy song.

Two sentences, for example "A small bird sat on the fence. It sang a happy song."

8. Practicing every afternoon.

A full sentence with a subject and a verb, for example "The team practiced every afternoon."