

Compound to simple sentences

Grade 3 Sentences Worksheet

Split the compound sentences into two simple sentences.

1. Lenny went back to bed, for he was still tired.

2. Sheila had her first manicure, and she enjoyed it.

3. Malcolm does not like fruits, but he does like vegetables.

4. Karl tried his boots on, but they were too small.

5. Do you want lemonade, or do you prefer orange juice?

6. Jack finished all the math problems, but he got them all wrong.

7. They collected the tree sap, so it is time to boil it.

8. Celia needed new clothes, for hers were too old.

9. Jamie washed the dishes, and Claire dried them.

10. Rick does not like to read books, but he does like magazines.

11. Ellen is short, but she is a great basketball player.

12. Do you want a story about monsters, or do you prefer a story about princesses?

Mario finished his burger, but he did not eat all his fries.



Mario finished his burger. He did not eat all his fries.



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Answers

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Sheila had her first manicure. She enjoyed it.
3. Malcolm does not like fruits, but he does like vegetables.
Malcolm does not like fruits. He does like vegetables.
4. Karl tried his boots on, but they were too small.
Karl tried his boots on. They were too small.
5. Do you want lemonade, or do you prefer orange juice?
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6. Jack finished all the math problems, but he got them all wrong.
Jack finished all the math problems. He got them all wrong.
7. They collected the tree sap, so it is time to boil it.
They collected the tree sap. It is time to boil it.
8. Celia needed new clothes, for hers were too old.
Celia needed new clothes. Hers were too old.
9. Jamie washed the dishes, and Claire dried them.
Jamie washed the dishes. Claire dried them.
10. Rick does not like to read books, but he does like magazines.
Rick does not like to read books. He does like magazines.
11. Ellen is short, but she is a great basketball player.
Ellen is short. She is a great basketball player.
12. Do you want a story about monsters, or do you prefer a story about princesses?
Do you want a story about monsters? Do you prefer a story about princesses?