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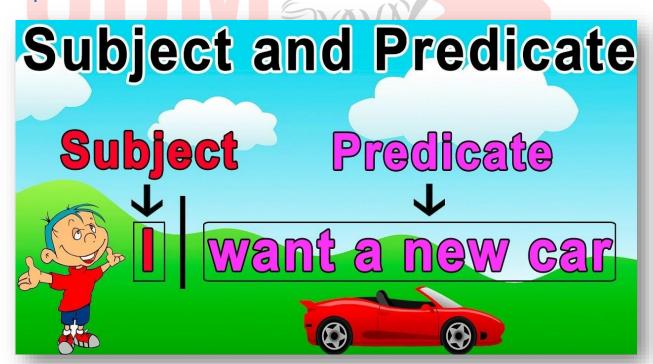
# Parts of a Sentence

## Subject and Predicate

### **STUDY NOTES**

## At a glance:

- A sentence is a group of words that makes complete sense by itself.
- The naming part of a sentence is called the <u>subject</u>. The subject is the person, animal, thing or place that the sentence is about. It can be a noun, a pronoun or a group of nouns.
- The telling part of a sentence is called the predicate. The Predicate is the part of the sentence that contains a verb and gives information about the subject.
- Example:



## Answer key:

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- 1. Look at the groups of words. Tick the ones that are sentences.
- a) My favourite cartoon is Shaun the Sheep. 🗸
- b) Dosas for breakfast
- c) Ravi and Mona
- d) Please do not disturb them. ✓
- e) Could you please shut the door? ✓

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- 2. Circle the subject and underline the predicate in the sentences given below.
- a (She) went shopping yesterday.
- b) My uncle is a doctor.
- c) My grandparents are visiting us next week.
- d(We)waited a long time for the bus.
- e (Her mother and aun) are making cakes for everyone.
- 3. Read each of the sentences given below. Write whether the underlined part of the sentence is the subject or the predicate.
- a) I need your help to move the box. predicate
- b) My favourite colour is yellow. subject
- c) The teacher gave the students their report cards. subject
- d) Reading is an important skill. predicate
- e) Thousands of people watched the parade. subject
- f) Mitali is my best friend. predicate
- g) Auroville is a calm, peaceful place. subject
- h) My father works on his laptop. predicate

- 4. Provide a suitable subject or predicate to complete the sentences.
- a) Rahul saw an owl outside the window.
- b) Red is my favourite colour.
- c) The playground is very big.
- d) Mohit frequently visits their house.
- e) My friend was waiting for me in school.
- f) Shantanu is an intelligent boy.
- g) Sanaya bought a dozen apples.
- h) Madhurima and Jayant were flying kites.





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