

2. Underline the verb phrase and mention its function as predicate (P) or noun phrase modifier (NPM).

(a) The dog has eaten all the biscuits.

P

(b) The building has been rebuilt as a library.

P

(c) The boy jumping on the sofa is my younger nephew.

NPM

(d) That man standing near the pillar is a famous author.

NPM

(e) The girls have ordered five cups of coffee and three pancakes.

P

(f) The woman wearing the blue blazer is my favourite lecturer.

NPM

(g) The four people arrested for theft were chased by the police for hours.

NPM

(h) The organisation started by these two young girls has won many accolades.

NPM

3. Underline the non-finite verb phrases and mention their types in the blanks.

(a) Sunil's primary interest is working with children. *Gerund* _____

(b) I usually use GPS to navigate around the city. *Infinitive* _____

5. Frame a verb phrase by adding an auxiliary verb to the following main verbs. Then, make a sentence using the verb phrase. One has been done for you.

(a) make

They could make ten cupcakes in less than thirty minutes.

(b) write

They could write 20 pages in less than ~~an~~
1 or half hour

(c) listen

They could listen us if they would

(d) watch

They could watch the show

(e) pick

They could pick the key

(f) break

They could break the chocolate

(g) assemble

They could assemble

(h) swim

They could swim