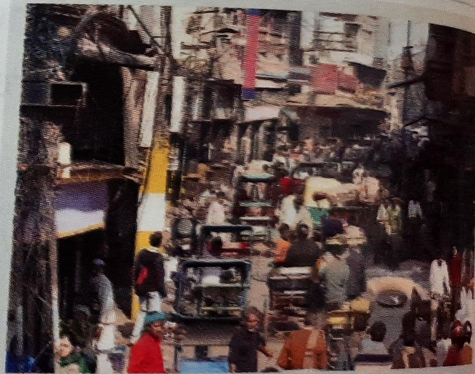


1. Underline the verb phrases in the following sentences.

- (a) She will graduate next year.
- (b) The food must have been served in the dining hall.
- (c) The library has replaced all the old books with new ones.
- (d) Sahil is planning a world tour with his cousins.
- (e) The girls are rehearsing for their finale performance.
- (f) Waseem's family has been living in this area for three generations.
- (g) They had tried to contact the fire department.
- (h) We would have been here sooner if the traffic had not been so bad.



■ Verb phrases are of two kinds

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

- (a) Sunil's primary interest is working with children. P
- (b) I usually use GPS to navigate around the city. I
- (c) I decided to bring my niece along with me for the picnic. I
- (d) Falling sick changed Divya's outlook towards studying throughout the night. GI
- (e) Having broken the window, the ball fell inside the library. GI
- (f) Remember to leave for the airport on time as we have a flight at 8 p.m. I
- (g) We planned to perform a play for the annual function. I
- (h) Injured during the practice match, the captain couldn't participate in the finals. _____

4. Complete the sentences given below with appropriate verb phrases from the box.

had eaten ^c

is waiting ^d

will have received ^a

will depart ^f

had been closed ^p

was feeling ^e

had woken up ^g

were donated ^h

- (a) He _____ the letter by the time he reaches home.
- (b) The library _____ for several months.

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

Rita had been writing a speech since 2 hours

(c) listen

The class was listening to the teacher with full concentration.

(d) watch

The children were watching television after their classes.

(e) pick

The colony helped to pick up the litter from the roads.

(f) break

Many people were breaking the rules at Bangalore

(g) assemble

The principal ordered everyone to assemble at the emerald hall.

Identify the errors in the given sentences and rewrite them correctly.

(a) We gotten not have a lot of rainfall lately.

have not got

b Phrase

- (b) Krish need might some help with his homework.
- (c) They waiting ^{might need} have been for you for over an hour.
- (d) We go will to the library again tomorrow.
- (e) She has making ^{will go} been snacks for everyone all day.
- (f) I write ^{has been making} to them will tomorrow.
- (g) I been had ^{will write} thinking about her when she called.
- (h) By next year, we have will been ^{had been} working here for five years.
- ^{will have been}