

Sentences or fragments?

Grade 3 Sentences Worksheet

Write "S" if the group of words is a sentence and "F" if it is a fragment.

S 1. Lorna wants a new bicycle.

2. The flowers in the garden.

3. The cat jumped on the bed.

4. More sugar in the recipe.

5. There are three green cushions on the couch.

6. The waterfall at the top of the creek.

7. James ate all the soda crackers.

8. Ran down the street.

A full sentence has a subject, a verb and expresses a complete thought.

Julie ate an apple.



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S	_ 7.	James ate all the soda crackers.		
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Rewrite the fragments into complete sentences. Answers will vary. Here are samples of possible answers.

- 1. **The flowers in the garden** need more water.
- 2. You should add more sugar in the recipe.
- 3. The waterfall at the top of the creek does not freeze over in winter.
- 4. The boy ran down the street.