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## Repetition Drill

Listen to the teacher and repeat the sentences.

- 1. He always bothers me with simple questions.
- 2. A house near a school should be a consideration.
- 3. A verb is defined as an action word.
- 4. The definition of the word "verb" is an "action word".
- 5. She always locks the door to ensure safety.
- 6. We will be expecting to see you on my birthday.
- 7. The expectation for the team to win is high.
- 8. My dad prefers wine instead of milk.
- 9. My preference is for ice cream, not chocolate.
- 10. It's time to go back home.
- 11. They badly need water now.
- 12. Those little boys like running around the park.

### **Basic Single-slot Substitution Drill**

Listen to the teacher and repeat the sentences.

- 1. They are bothering me to help them.
- 2. My friends are bothering me to help them.
- 3. My friends are expecting me to help them.
- 4. My friends are asking me to help them.
- 5. My parents are asking me to help them.
- 6. My parents are ordering me to help them.
- 7. My parents are encouraging me to help them.
- 8. My parents are encouraging me to promise them.

### **Intermediate Single-slot Substitution Drill**

Listen to the teacher and follow the instructions.

- 1. Maria expected a perfect summer vacation in Malibu. Repeat.
- 2. Maria expected a perfect summer vacation in Malibu. Change: great. --- [Maria expected a great summer vacation in Malibu.]
- 3. Maria expected a great summer vacation in Malibu. Change: preferred. --- [Maria preferred a great summer vacation in Malibu.]
- 4. Maria preferred a great summer vacation in Malibu. Change: Ana. --- [Ana preferred a great summer vacation in Malibu.]
- 5. Ana preferred a great summer vacation in Malibu. Change: ensured. --- [Ana ensured a great summer vacation in Malibu.]
- 6. Ana ensured a great summer vacation in Malibu. Change: the Philippines. --- [Ana ensured a great summer vacation in the Philippines.]

## **Intermediate Single-slot Substitution Drill**

Listen to the teacher and follow the instructions.

- 7. Ana ensured a great summer vacation in the Philippines. Change: they. ---[They ensured a great summer vacation in the Philippines.]
- 8. They ensured a great summer vacation in the Philippines. Change: Christmas. --- [They ensured a great Christmas vacation in the Philippines.]
- 9. They ensured a great Christmas vacation in the Philippines. Change: shopping. --- [They ensured a great Christmas shopping in the Philippines.]
- 10. They ensured a great Christmas shopping in the Philippines. Change: my family. --- [My family ensured a great Christmas shopping in the Philippines.]
- 11. My family ensured a great Christmas shopping in the Philippines. Change: promised. --- [My family promised a great Christmas shopping in the Philippines.]

## **Basic Sentence Expansion Drill**

Listen to the teacher and repeat the sentences.

- 1. The expectation of my brother is simple.
- 2. The expectation of my little brother is simple.
- 3. The expectation of my little brother is so simple.
- 4. The expectation of my dear little brother is so simple.
- 5. The expectation of my dear little brother is so simple and exact.

### **Intermediate Sentence Expansion Drill**

Listen to the teacher and follow the instructions.

- 1. Finding a house near a station is her consideration. Repeat.
- 2. Finding a house near a station is her consideration. Add: important. --- [Finding a house near a station is her important consideration.]
- 3. Finding a house near a station is her important consideration. Add: train. --- [Finding a house near a train station is her important consideration.]
- 4. Finding a house near a train station is her important consideration. Add: simple. --- [Finding a simple house near a train station is her important consideration.]
- 5. Finding a simple house near a train station is her important consideration. Add: now. --- [Finding a simple house near a train station is her important consideration now.]

#### **Mixed Drill**

Listen to the teacher and follow the instructions.

- 1. His food preference is simple. Repeat.
- 2. His food preference is simple. Change: clothes. --- [His clothes preference is simple.]
- 3. His clothes preference is simple. Change: nice. --- [His clothes preference is nice.1
- 4. His clothes preference is nice. Add: always. --- [His clothes preference is always nice.]
- 5. His clothes preference is always nice. Change: her. --- [Her clothes preference is always nice.]

#### **Mixed Drill**

Listen to the teacher and follow the instructions.

- 1. Emily wants to go there early. Repeat.
- 2. Emily wants to go there early. Add: back. --- [Emily wants to go back there early.]
- 3. Emily wants to go back there early. Change: she. --- [She wants to go back there early.]
- 4. She wants to go back there early. Change: around. --- [She wants to go around there early.]
- 5. She wants to go around there early. Add: badly. --- [She badly wants to go around there early.]

#### Transformation Drill

Listen to the teacher and follow the instructions.

- 1. We can see the definition of the words in a dictionary. Repeat.
- 2. We can see the definition of the words in a dictionary. Transform: where. --- [Where can we see the definition of the words?]
- 3. The painting was badly created. Repeat.
- 4. The painting was badly created. Transform: what. --- [What was badly created?]
- 5. Our teacher will define those words tomorrow. Repeat.
- 6. Our teacher will define those words tomorrow. Transform: when. --- [When will the teacher define those words?]
- 7. My friends will pass the food around. Repeat.
- 8. My friends will pass the food around. Transform: who. --- [Who will pass the food around?]
- 9. We are all bothered by this problem. Repeat.
- 10. We are all bothered by this problem. Transform: not. --- [We are not all bothered by this problem.]

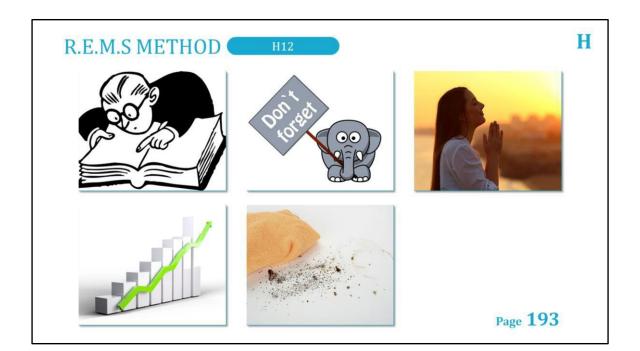
#### **JUMBLED SENTENCES**

Reorder the words to make a grammatical sentence.

- 1. mind / ensure / and / body / in / we / place / a / healthy / this.
- 2. is / neighbor / me / my / bothering.
- 3. home / the / awful / traffic / back / is.
- 4. parents / a / consideration / money / my / for / is / serious.
- 5. in / the / boss / company / that / ensured / my / are / we / happy.

- [1. We ensure a healthy mind and body in this place.]
- [2. My neighbor is bothering me.]
- [3. The traffic back home is awful.]
- [4. Money is a serious consideration for my parents.]
- [5. My boss ensured that we are happy in the company.]

Please refer to the definition files.



## **Repetition Drill**

Listen to the teacher and repeat the sentences.

- 1. I refer to the dictionary to know the meaning of a word.
- 2. My mom reminds me to take my medicine every day.
- 3. I hope that she will remember me.
- 4. He never loses hope.
- 5. We are watching the rise and fall of the waves.
- 6. The sun rises in the east.
- 7. Hopefully, they can finish that today.

### **Repetition Drill**

Listen to the teacher and repeat the sentences.

- 8. This basketball team is hopeless; they won't win the game.
- 9. I am certain that he will pass the exam.
- 10. Maria certainly didn't want to be late for work.
- 11. They removed the big mirror in the library.
- 12. She used my notes as a reference.
- 13. Please remove your shoes before you go inside the house.

### **Basic Single-slot Substitution Drill**

Listen to the teacher and repeat the sentences.

- 1. She was praying for the team to win the game.
- 2. Mary was praying for the team to win the game.
- 3. Mary was hoping for the team to win the game.
- 4. Mary was hoping for the group to win the game.
- 5. Mary was hoping for the group to win the competition.

### **Intermediate Single-slot Substitution Drill**

Listen to the teacher and follow the instructions.

- 1. He reminds me to clean the table. Repeat.
- 2. He reminds me to clean the table. Change: mom. ----[Mom reminds me to clean the table.]
- 3. Mom reminds me to clean the table. Change: paint. --- [Mom reminds me to paint the table.]
- 4. Mom reminds me to paint the table. Change: remove. --- [Mom reminds me to remove the table.]
- 5. Mom reminds me to remove the table. Change: Ana. --- [Ana reminds me to remove the table.]
- 6. Ana reminds me to remove the table. Change: book. --- [Ana reminds me to remove the book.]
- 7. Ana reminds me to remove the book. Change: told. --- [Ana told me to remove the book.]
- 8. Ana told me to remove the book. Change: destroy. --- [Ana told me to destroy the book.]
- 9. Ana told me to destroy the book. Change: get. --- [Ana told me to get the book.]
- 10. Ana told me to get the book Change: phone. --- [Ana told me to get the phone.]

## **Basic Sentence Expansion Drill**

Listen to the teacher and repeat the sentences.

- 1. John wanted to watch the game.
- 2. John certainly wanted to watch the game.
- 3. John certainly wanted to watch the last game.
- 4. John and Billy certainly wanted to watch the last game.
- 5. John and Billy certainly wanted to watch the last basketball game.

### **Intermediate Sentence Expansion Drill**

Listen to the teacher and follow the instructions.

- 1. My friend will refer to this book. Repeat.
- 2. My friend will refer to this book. Add: English. --- [My friend will refer to this English book.]
- 3. My friend will refer to this English book. Add: when speaking to Ana. --- [My friend will refer to this English book when speaking to Ana.]
- 4. My friend will refer to this English book when speaking to Ana. Add: old. --- [My friend will refer to this old English book when speaking to Ana.]
- 5. My friend will refer to this old English book when speaking to Ana. Add: hopefully. --- [Hopefully, my friend will refer to this old English book when speaking to Ana.]

#### **Mixed Drill**

Listen to the teacher and follow the instructions.

- 1. Mary will watch the sunrise. Repeat.
- 2. Mary will watch the sunrise. Add: lovely. --- [Mary will watch the lovely sunrise.1
- 3. Mary will watch the lovely sunrise. Change: she. --- [She will watch the lovely sunrise.]
- 4. She will watch the lovely sunrise. Add: certainly. --- [She will certainly watch the lovely sunrise.]
- 5. She will certainly watch the lovely sunrise. Change: nice. --- [She will certainly watch the nice sunrise.]
- 6. She will certainly watch the nice sunrise. Change: movie. --- [She will certainly watch the nice movie.]
- 7. She will certainly watch the nice movie. Add: tonight. --- [She will certainly watch the nice movie tonight.]
- 8. She will certainly watch the nice movie tonight. Change: exciting. --- [She will certainly watch the exciting movie tonight.]

#### **Transformation Drill**

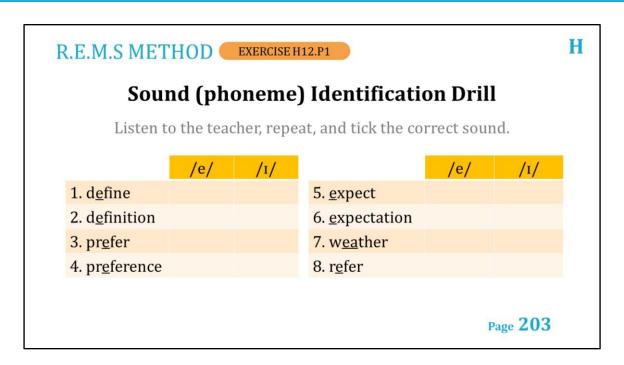
Listen to the teacher and follow the instructions.

- 1. Working late is our last hope. Repeat.
- 2. Working late is our last hope. Transform: what. --- [What is our last hope?]
- 3. Mary used my notes as a reference. Repeat.
- 4. Mary used my notes as a reference. Transform: who. --- [Who used my notes as a reference?]
- 5. We love watching the rise and fall of the waves. Repeat.
- 6. We love watching the rise and fall of the waves. Transform: why. --- [Why do we love watching the rise and fall of the waves?]

#### **Transformation Drill**

Listen to the teacher and follow the instructions.

- 7. She is very certain that she will go to London in spring. Repeat.
- 8. She is very certain that she will go to London in spring. Transform: when. --- [When is she very certain that she will go to London?]
- 9. I want to remove that painting on the wall. Repeat.
- 10. I want to remove that painting on the wall. Transform: not. --- [I don't want to remove that painting on the wall.]
- 11. She woke up very early in the city. Repeat.
- 12. She woke up very early in the city. Transform: where. --- [Where did she wake up very early?]



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[/I/ ---- define, prefer, expect, refer]

## **Correct or Incorrect Exercise**

Listen to the teacher and follow the instructions.

- 1. The exam was very certainly easy. --- [incorrect reorder "certainly very easy"]
- 2. John is hoping for her to come. --- [correct]
- 3. Mom certains about the weather today. --- [incorrect change "certains" into "is certain"]
- 4. Please don't forget to remind me! --- [correct]
- 5. I was refer that doctor to her. --- [incorrect I was referred to that doctor by her.]

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- 1. We completed all the needed materials to build this house.
- 2. She completely forgot their anniversary because she was so busy.
- 3. Our friend controls the plane.
- 4. The bridge was created five years ago.
- 5. The creation of this theater took three years to complete.
- 6. Little John threw a stone and killed the bird.

- 7. The fire destroyed the village.
- 8. Soldiers fought bravely in a war.
- 9. The fight between Manny Pacquiao and Floyd Mayweather was great!
- 10. A man was shot last night.
- 11. We generally don't like going to school.
- 12. Books are not fun. Let's play basketball instead.
- 13. Some parents try to control their children.

- 1. He always bothers me with simple questions.
- 2. A house near a school should be a consideration.
- 3. A verb is defined as an action word.
- 4. The definition of the word "verb" is an "action word".
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- 13. Please remove your shoes before you go inside the house.

# **Pronunciation Repetition Drill**

Listen to the teacher and repeat the words.

- 1. generally
- 2. completely
- 3. control
- 4. destroy
- 5. village
- 6. bird
- 7. three
- 8. theater
- 9. fairly
- 10. agreement

- 1. The creation of the city park took five years. Repeat.
- 2. The creation of the city park took five years. Transform: what. --- [What creation took five years?]
- 3. Little children sometimes fight at school. Repeat.
- 4. Little children sometimes fight at school. Transform: who. --- [Who sometimes fight at school?]
- 5. Many people were killed in the mountains. Repeat.
- 6. Many people were killed in the mountains. Transform: not. --- [Many people were not killed in the mountains.]

- 7. I loved the fight between those two teams yesterday! Repeat.
- 8. Hoved the fight between those two teams yesterday! Transform: when. --- [When was the fight between those two teams?]
- 9. Hike walking instead of driving anywhere in the town. Repeat
- 10. I like walking instead of driving anywhere in the town. Transform: where. --- [Where do you like walking instead of driving?]
- 11. Some parents try to control their children. Repeat.
- 12. Some parents try to control their children. Transform: not. --- [Some parents do not try to control their children.]

- 1. The man created the farm.
- 2. The young man created the farm.
- 3. The young man created the huge farm.
- 4. The young man completely created the huge farm.
- 5. The young man completely created the huge farm in the north.

- 1. Maria expected a perfect summer vacation in Malibu. Repeat.
- 2. Maria expected a perfect summer vacation in Malibu. Change: great. --- [Maria expected a great summer vacation in Malibu.]

- 3. Maria expected a great summer vacation in Malibu. Change: preferred. --- [Maria preferred a great summer vacation in Malibu.]
- 4. Maria preferred a great summer vacation in Malibu. Change: Ana. --- [Ana preferred a great summer vacation in Malibu.]
- 5. Ana preferred a great summer vacation in Malibu. Change: ensured. --- [Ana ensured a great summer vacation in Malibu.]
- 6. Ana ensured a great summer vacation in Malibu. Change: the Philippines. --- [Ana ensured a great summer vacation in the Philippines.]

- 7. Ana ensured a great summer vacation in the Philippines. Change: they. --[They ensured a great summer vacation in the Philippines.]
- 8. They ensured a great summer vacation in the Philippines. Change: Christmas. --- [They ensured a great Christmas vacation in the Philippines.]
- 9. They ensured a great Christmas vacation in the Philippines. Change: shopping. --- [They ensured a great Christmas shopping in the Philippines.]
- 10. They ensured a great Christmas shopping in the Philippines. Change: my family. --- [My family ensured a great Christmas shopping in the Philippines.]
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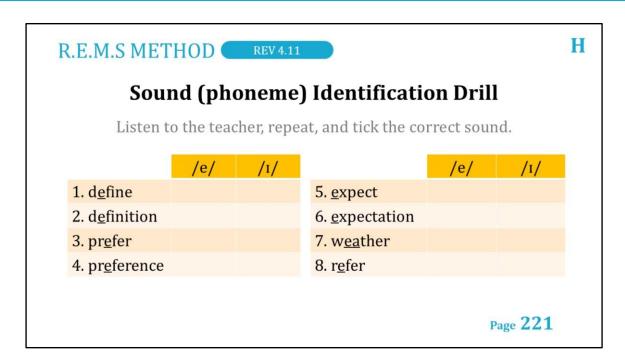
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- 9. I want to remove that painting on the wall. Repeat.
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- 11. She woke up very early in the city. Repeat.
- 12. She woke up very early in the city. Transform: where. --- [Where did she wake up very early?]

## **Basic Single-slot Substitution Drill**

Listen to the teacher and repeat the sentences.

- 1. They are bothering me to help them.
- 2. My friends are bothering me to help them.
- 3. My friends are expecting me to help them.
- 4. My friends are asking me to help them.
- 5. My parents are asking me to help them.
- 6. My parents are ordering me to help them.
- 7. My parents are encouraging me to help them.
- 8. My parents are encouraging me to promise them.



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- 1. She was praying for the team to win the game.
- 2. Mary was praying for the team to win the game.
- 3. Mary was hoping for the team to win the game.
- 4. Mary was hoping for the group to win the game.
- 5. Mary was hoping for the group to win the competition.

- 1. She likes books instead of movies. Repeat.
- 2. She likes books instead of movies. Change: Ana. --- [Ana likes books instead of movies.]
- 3. Ana likes books instead of movies. Add: reading. --- [Ana likes reading books instead of movies.]
- 4. Ana likes reading books instead of movies. Add: watching. --- [Ana likes reading books instead of watching movies.]
- 5. Ana likes reading books instead of watching movies. Change: films. --- [Ana likes reading books instead of watching films.]
- 6. Ana likes reading books instead of watching films. Add: in the theater. --- [Ana likes reading books instead of watching films in the theater.]
- 7. Ana likes reading books instead of watching films in the theater. Add: at home. --- [Ana likes reading books at home instead of watching films in the theater.]

- 1. Finding a house near a station is her consideration. Repeat.
- 2. Finding a house near a station is her consideration. Add: important. --- [Finding a house near a station is her important consideration.]
- 3. Finding a house near a station is her important consideration. Add: train. --- [Finding a house near a train station is her important consideration.]
- 4. Finding a house near a train station is her important consideration. Add: simple. --- [Finding a simple house near a train station is her important consideration.]
- 5. Finding a simple house near a train station is her important consideration. Add: now. --- [Finding a simple house near a train station is her important consideration now.]

## **Writing Exercise**

Listen to the teacher and type the sentences in the chat box.

- 1. They completed the books.
- 2. His food preference is simple.
- 3. Mary will watch the sunrise.
- 4. The creation of the city park took five years.
- 5. John wanted to watch the game.
- 6. Emily wants to go there early.

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# Repetition Drill

Listen to the teacher and repeat the sentences.

- 1. Don't lose your money!
- 2. They failed to pass the test.
- 3. The police did not allow us to get in.
- 4. Not studying results in failing.
- 5. He will succeed in this business.
- 6. Her success made her rich.
- 7. Bob slowly applied paint to the wall.
- 8. She didn't mean to hurt her friend.
- 9. She has a good memory.
- 10. The prince is very powerful.
- 11. I realized that I needed more money for today.
- 12. It occurred to me that he was the right man.

## **Pronunciation Repetition Drill**

Listen to the teacher and repeat the words.

- 1. lose
- 2. remove
- 3. result
- 4. apply
- 5. rise
- 6. refer
- 7. reference
- 8. allow
- 9. fail
- 10. realize
- 11. remind

## **Basic Single-slot Substitution Drill**

Listen to the teacher and repeat the sentences.

- 1. Mom lost the key yesterday.
- 2. Justin lost the key yesterday.
- 3. Justin lost the game yesterday.
- 5. Justin lost the paint yesterday.
- 6. Justin applied the paint yesterday.

## **Basic Single-slot Substitution Drill**

Listen to the teacher and repeat the sentences.

- 1. He realized he failed his team.
- 2. He realized he failed his exam.
- 3. Mr. Jones realized he failed his exam.
- 4. Mr. Jones realized he failed his children.
- 5. Mr. Jones realized he lost his children.
- 6. Mr. Jones knew he lost his children.
- 7. Mr. Jones knew he lost his memory.
- 8. Mr. Jones knew he lost his plan.
- 9. Mr. Jones knew he saved his plan.

## **Intermediate Single-slot Substitution Drill**

Listen to the teacher and follow the instructions.

- 1. She failed to pass the test. Repeat.
- 2. She failed to pass the test. Change: take. --- [She failed to take the test.]
- 3. She failed to take the test. Change: tried. --- [She tried to take the test.]
- 4. She tried to take the test. Change: forgot. --- [She forgot to take the test.]
- 5. She forgot to take the test. Change: paper. --- [She forgot to take the paper.]
- 6. She forgot to take the paper. Change: bring. --- [She forgot to bring the paper.]
- 7. She forgot to bring the paper. Change: dad. --- [Dad forgot to bring the paper.]
- 8. Dad forgot to bring the paper. Change: credit card. --- [Dad forgot to bring the credit card.]

## **Basic Sentence Expansion Drill**

Listen to the teacher and repeat the sentences.

- 1. Applying paint results in a beautiful room.
- 2. Applying green paint results in a beautiful room.
- 3. Applying green and white paint results in a beautiful room.
- 4. Applying green and white paint on the table results in a beautiful room.
- 5. Applying green and white paint on the center table results in a beautiful room.

### **Mixed Drill**

Listen to the teacher and follow the instructions.

- 1. A problem occurred before the conference. Repeat.
- 2. A problem occurred before the conference. Change: competition. --- [A problem occurred before the competition.]
- 3. A problem occurred before the competition. Add: little. --- [A little problem occurred before the competition.]
- 4. A little problem occurred before the competition. Change: existed. --- [A little problem existed before the competition.]
- 5. A little problem existed before the competition. Change: big. --- [A big problem existed before the competition.]
- 6. A big problem existed before the competition. Add: yesterday. --- [A big problem existed before the competition yesterday.]
- 7. A big problem existed before the competition yesterday. Change: class. --- [A big problem existed before the class yesterday.]
- 8. A big problem existed before the class yesterday. Add: geography. --- [A big problem existed before the geography class yesterday.]
- 9. A big problem existed before the geography class yesterday. Change: came. --- [A big problem came before the geography class yesterday.]
- 10. A big problem came before the geography class yesterday. Change: man. --- [A big man came before the geography class yesterday.]

### **Transformation Drill**

Listen to the teacher and follow the instructions.

- 1. Studying hard results in perfect scores on exams. Repeat.
- 2. Studying hard results in perfect scores on exams. Transform: what. --- [What results in studying hard?]
- 3. Maria means what she says. Repeat.
- 4. Maria means what she says. Transform: who. --- [Who means what she says?]
- 5. The film was a great success. Repeat.
- 6. The film was a great success. Transform: not. --- [The film was not a great success.]
- 7. A prince is powerful. Repeat.
- 8. A prince is powerful. Transform: why. --- [Why is a prince powerful?]
- 9. Father allowed us to play outside. Repeat.
- 10. Father allowed us to play outside. Transform: where. --- [Where did father allow us to play?]

### R.E.M.S METHOD EXERCISE H13.8

### **JUMBLED SENTENCES**

Reorder the words to make a grammatical sentence.

- 1. memory / what / has / she / of / clear / a / happened.
- 2. in / the / is / most / company / person / the / boss / powerful / the.
- 3. made / rich / her / her / success.
- 4. lose / don't / hope.
- 5. that / they / realized / they / time / needed / more.

- [1. She has a clear memory of what happened.]
- [2. The boss is the most powerful person in the company.]
- [3. Her success made her rich.]
- [4. Don't lose hope.]
- [5. They realized that they needed more time.]

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## **Talking About Current States or Events** Gerund

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A gerund is formed by adding "ing" to a verb. It is a noun which refers to an action, process, or state. For example 'running' and 'thinking'.

Gerunds function as nouns. They usually follow transitive verbs.

#### Examples:

- 1. He remembers playing soccer.
- 2. The doctor permitted drinking one glass of wine a day.
- 3. Fred advised buying the more expensive television.

## **Repetition Drill**

Listen to the teacher and repeat the sentences.

- 1. Actually, I need a shower now.
- 2. I don't ask for money, anyway.
- 3. She charged him \$20 for that bag.
- 4. He acted crazy in the bar!
- 5. The reply was short and direct.
- 6. She replied with a sweet smile.
- 7. They tried translating the words from English into French.
- 8. My mom hates shouting in the house.
- 9. I remember stepping on that small flower.
- 10. My sister advised helping other people.
- 11. My teacher permits talking for 30 minutes.
- 12. The job requires working six days a week.

## **Basic Single-slot Substitution Drill**

Listen to the teacher and repeat the sentences.

- 1. My dad permits studying English in the Philippines.
- 2. My dad permits studying English in London.
- 3. My mother permits studying English in London.
- 4. My mother permits studying English in New York.
- 5. My mother permits studying geography in New York.
- 6. My mother advises studying geography in New York.
- 7. My mother advises studying business in New York.
- 8. My mother advises doing business in New York.
- 9. My mother considers doing business in New York.
- 10. My mother prefers doing business in New York.

## **Basic Single-slot Substitution Drill**

Listen to the teacher and repeat the sentences.

- 1. That job actually requires working in Malaysia.
- 2. That show actually requires working in Malaysia.
- 3. That show actually requires acting in Malaysia.
- 4. That show actually requires singing in Malaysia.
- 5. That show actually requires singing in public.
- 6. That show actually enjoys singing in public.
- 7. That team actually enjoys singing in public.
- 8. That team actually enjoys shouting in public
- 9. That team actually enjoys acting in public.

## **Basic Sentence Expansion Drill**

Listen to the teacher and repeat the sentences.

- 1. I keep charging her.
- 2. Anyway, I keep charging her.
- 3. Anyway, I keep charging her for parking.
- 4. Anyway, I keep charging her \$5 for parking.
- 5. Anyway, I keep charging her \$5 every day for parking.
- 6. Anyway, I keep charging her \$5 every day for car parking.

### **Intermediate Sentence Expansion Drill**

Listen to the teacher and follow the instructions.

- 1. My friend prefers replying by a letter. Repeat.
- 2. My friend prefers replying by a letter. Add: short. --- [My friend prefers replying by a short letter.]
- 3. My friend prefers replying by a short letter. Add: dear. --- [My dear friend prefers replying by a short letter.]
- 4. My dear friend prefers replying by a short letter. Add: simple. --- [My dear friend prefers replying by a short and simple letter.]
- 5. My dear friend prefers replying by a short and simple letter. Add: to us. --- [My dear friend prefers replying by a short and simple letter to us.]

### **Mixed Drill**

Listen to the teacher and follow the instructions.

- 1. Mr. Miller enjoys reading the letter of his friend. Repeat.
- 2. Mr. Miller enjoys reading the letter of his friend. Change: reply. --- [Mr. Miller enjoys reading the reply of his friend.]
- 3. Mr. Miller enjoys reading the reply of his friend. Add: in Italian. --- [Mr. Miller enjoys reading the reply of his friend in Italian.]
- 4. Mr. Miller enjoys reading the reply of his friend in Italian. Change: book. ---[Mr. Miller enjoys reading the book of his friend in Italian.]
- 5. Mr. Miller enjoys reading the book of his friend in Italian. Change: he. --- [He enjoys reading the book of his friend in Italian.]
- 6. He enjoys reading the book of his friend in Italian. Change: keeps. --- [He keeps reading the book of his friend in Italian.]

### **Mixed Drill**

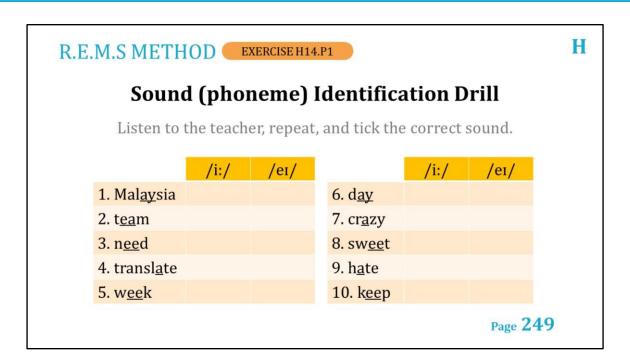
Listen to the teacher and follow the instructions.

- 7. He keeps reading the book of his friend in Italian. Change: French. --- [He keeps reading the book of his friend in French.]
- 8. He keeps reading the book of his friend in French. Change: advises. --- [He advises reading the book of his friend in French.]
- 9. He advises reading the book of his friend in French. Change: mentions. ---[He mentions reading the book of his friend in French.]
- 10. He mentions reading the book of his friend in French. Change: sending. ---[He mentions sending the book of his friend in French.]
- 11. He mentions sending the book of his friend in French. Add: actually. ---[Actually, he mentions sending the book of his friend in French.]

### **Transformation Drill**

Listen to the teacher and follow the instructions.

- 1. The little child continued stepping on the flowers. Repeat.
- 2. The little child continued stepping on the flowers. Transform: who. --- [Who continued stepping on the flowers?]
- 3. I forgot translating the sentence for her. Repeat.
- 4. I forgot translating the sentence for her. Transform: what. --- [What did you forget to do for her?]
- 5. She started acting crazy in the theater. Repeat.
- 6. She started acting crazy in the theater. Transform: where. --- [Where did she start acting crazy?]
- 7. The farmer prefers charging the man for the meat. Repeat.
- 8. The farmer prefers charging the man for the meat. Transform: not. --- [The farmer doesn't prefer charging the man for the meat.]
- 9. I began studying Chinese yesterday. Repeat.
- 10. I began studying Chinese yesterday. Transform: when. --- [When did you begin studying Chinese?]



[/i:/ ---- team, need, week, sweet, keep]

[/eɪ/ ---- Malaysia, translate, day, crazy, hate]

#### R.E.M.S METHOD EXERCISE H14.8

## **Verb-based Question Exercise**

Make sentences using the given verbs and gerunds.

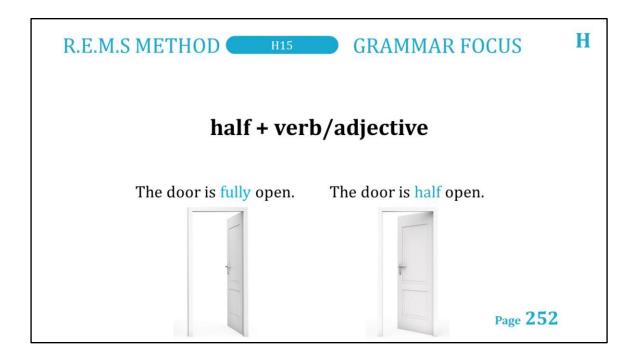
Example: like, dancing

Answer: Mark likes dancing.

- 1. permit, shopping
- 2. advise, sleeping
- 3. keep, shouting
- 4. enjoyed, driving
- 5. required, reading

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Please refer to the definition files.



Explanation: It means that the verb or adjective is half done, achieved.

#### More examples:

The chicken is cooked. = the chicken is fully/properly cooked.

The chicken is half cooked. = the chicken is half cooked/not fully cooked.

The room is painted. = the room is completely painted.

The room is half painted. = the room is only half painted.

## **Repetition Drill**

Listen to the teacher and repeat the sentences.

- 1. The food was highly priced.
- 2. I am fully aware of the situation here in the office.
- 3. The meat was half cooked!
- 4. My daughter is jumping high with the other children.
- 5. The police did not allow us to see my favorite singer.
- 6. I bet they will win the match.

### **Basic Single-slot Substitution Drill**

Listen to the teacher and repeat the sentences.

- 1. A bird is slowly flying high in the sky.
- 2. A plane is slowly flying high in the sky.
- 3. A plane is successfully flying high in the sky.
- 4. A plane is successfully flying high in the air.
- 5. A plane is simply flying high in the air.

#### **Intermediate Single-slot Substitution Drill**

Listen to the teacher and follow the instructions.

- 1. I bet the window of the room is half open. Repeat.
- 2. I bet the window of the room is half open. Change: door. --- [I bet the door of the room is half open.]
- 3. I bet the door of the room is half open. Change: think. --- [I think the door of the room is half open.]
- 4. I think the door of the room is half open. Change: bedroom. --- [I think the door of the bedroom is half open.]
- 5. I think the door of the bedroom is half open. Change: realize. --- [I realize the door of the bedroom is half open.]
- 6. I realize the door of the bedroom is half open. Change: they. --- [They realize the door of the bedroom is half open.]
- 7. They realize the door of the bedroom is half open. Change: kitchen. --- [They realize the door of the kitchen is half open.]
- 8. They realize the door of the kitchen is half open. Change: office. --- [They realize the door of the office is half open.]
- 9. They realize the door of the office is half open. Change: expect. --- [They expect the door of the office is half open.]
- 10. They expect the door of the office is half open. Change: know. --- [They know the door of the office is half open.]

## **Basic Sentence Expansion Drill**

Listen to the teacher and repeat the sentences.

- 1. Artists are respected.
- 2. Artists are highly respected.
- 3. Artists are highly respected in France.
- 4. Artists are highly respected in Paris, France.
- 5. Artists are highly respected and paid in Paris, France.

#### **Intermediate Sentence Expansion Drill**

Listen to the teacher and follow the instructions.

- 1. Maria is allowed to go inside. Repeat.
- 2. Maria is allowed to go inside. Add: the studio. ---- [Maria is allowed to go inside the studio.]
- 3. Maria is allowed to go inside the studio. Add: not. ---- [Maria is not allowed to go inside the studio.]
- 4. Maria is not allowed to go inside the studio. Add: actually. ---- [Maria is actually not allowed to go inside the studio.]
- 5. Maria is actually not allowed to go inside the studio. Add: today. ---- [Maria is actually not allowed to go inside the studio today.]

#### **Mixed Drill**

Listen to the teacher and follow the instructions.

- 1. I bet he was permitted to drive. Repeat.
- 2. I bet he was permitted to drive. Add: the car. --- [I bet he was permitted to drive the car.]
- 3. I bet he was permitted to drive the car. Change: think. --- [I think he was permitted to drive the car.]
- 4. I think he was permitted to drive the car. Change: told. --- [I think he was told to drive the car.]
- 5. I think he was told to drive the car. Change: believe. --- [I believe he was told to drive the car.]
- 6. I believe he was told to drive the car. Add: strongly. --- [I strongly believe he was told to drive the car.]
- 7. I strongly believe he was told to drive the car. Change: promised. --- [I strongly believe he was promised to drive the car.]
- 8. I strongly believe he was promised to drive the car. Add: red. --- [I strongly believe he was promised to drive the red car.]
- 9. I strongly believe he was promised to drive the red car. Change: they. --[They strongly believe he was promised to drive the red car.]
- 10. They strongly believe he was promised to drive the red car. Change: buy. --[They strongly believe he was promised to buy the red car.]

#### **Transformation Drill**

Listen to the teacher and follow the instructions.

- 1. I am fully aware of the problems here. Repeat.
- 2. I am fully aware of the problems here. Transform: what. --- [What are you fully aware of here?]
- 3. The soldier did not allow us to go anywhere. Repeat.
- 4. The soldier did not allow us to go anywhere. Transform: who. --- [Who did not allow us to go anywhere?]
- 5. I only slept for half an hour last night. Repeat.
- 6. I only slept for half an hour last night. Transform: when. --- [When did you only sleep for half an hour?]
- 7. She bets it will rain tomorrow. Repeat.
- 8. She bets it will rain tomorrow. Transform: when. ---- [When does she bet it will rain?]
- 9. The clock is placed high on the wall. Repeat.
- 10. The clock is placed high on the wall. Transform: why. --- [Why is the clock placed high on the wall?]

# **Consonant Pronunciation Drill**

Listen to the teacher and repeat the words.

- 1. fully
- 2. forget
- 3. wave
- 4. food
- 5. vegetables
- 6. remove
- 7. half
- 8. advise
- 9. form
- 10. forget
- 11. view

#### R.E.M.S METHOD EXERCISE H15.8

#### **JUMBLED SENTENCES**

Reorder the words to make a grammatical sentence.

- 1. highly / as / Mr. Jones / here / is / the / man / powerful / most / considered.
- 2. half / he / American / is.
- 3. the / in / the / sky / plane / flew / high.
- 4. to / is / allowed / out / go / not / she?
- 5. fully / now / is / Maria / dressed.

- [1. Mr Jones is highly considered as the most powerful man here.]
- [2. He is half American.]
- [3. The plane flew high in the sky.]
- [4. Is she not allowed to go out?]
- [5. Maria is fully dressed now.]

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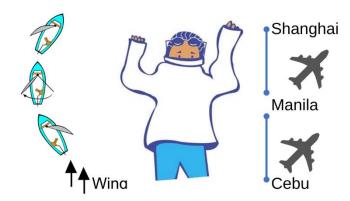


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## **Repetition Drill**

Listen to the teacher and repeat the sentences.

- 1. I changed the volume of the television.
- 2. Mary changed her direction to the north.
- 3. My brother went home and changed his clothes.
- 4. The weather changed from sunny to stormy.
- 5. The teacher changed some parts of the lesson because it was too difficult.
- 6. The basketball team changed their plan.
- 7. John changed planes in Chicago.
- 8. Seeds change into flowers.

### **Basic Single-slot Substitution Drill**

Listen to the teacher and repeat the sentences.

- 1. She changed the speed of her cute car.
- 2. She changed the speed of her cute bike.
- 3. Ana changed the speed of her cute bike.
- 4. Ana changed the wheel of her cute bike.
- 5. Ana changed the wheel of her old bike.
- 6. Ana changed the color of her old bike.

### **Intermediate Single-slot Substitution Drill**

Listen to the teacher and follow the instructions.

- 1. The little boy changed into a good man. Repeat.
- 2. The little boy changed into a good man. Change: kind. --- [The little boy changed into a kind man.]
- 3. The little boy changed into a kind man. Change: kid. --- [The little kid changed into a kind man.]
- 4. The little kid changed into a kind man. Change: father. --- [The little kid changed into a kind father.]
- 5. The little kid changed into a kind father. Change: my. --- [My little kid changed into a kind father.]
- 6. My little kid changed into a kind father. Change: child. --- [My little child changed into a kind father.]
- 7. My little child changed into a kind father. Change: parent. --- [My little child changed into a kind parent.]

## **Basic Sentence Expansion Drill**

Listen to the teacher and repeat the sentences.

- 1. Life changed her into a bad person.
- 2. Actually, life changed her into a bad person.
- 3. Actually, life changed her from a good into a bad person.
- 4. Actually, life in the city changed her from a good person into a bad person.

#### **Intermediate Sentence Expansion Drill**

Listen to the teacher and follow the instructions.

- 1. Maria changed the pictures in the room. Repeat.
- 2. Maria changed the pictures in the room. Add: big. --- Maria changed the big pictures in the room.]
- 3. Maria changed the big pictures in the room. Add: first. --- [Maria changed the big pictures in the first room.]
- 4. Maria changed the big pictures in the first room. Add: Aunt. --- [Aunt Maria changed the big pictures in the first room.]
- 5. Aunt Maria changed the big pictures in the first room. Add: quickly. --- [Aunt Maria quickly changed the big pictures in the first room.]
- 6. Aunt Maria quickly changed the big pictures in the first room. Add: yesterday. --- [Yesterday, Aunt Maria quickly changed the big pictures in the first room.]
- 7. Yesterday, Aunt Maria quickly changed the big pictures in the first room. Add: lights. --- [Yesterday, Aunt Maria quickly changed the big pictures and lights in the first room.1

## **Basic Multiple-slot Substitution Drill**

Listen to the teacher and repeat the sentences.

- 1. The new president promised to change the country.
- 2. The last president promised to change the company.
- 3. The old president tried to change the company.
- 4. The old man tried to change the office.
- 5. The old man wanted to change the information.

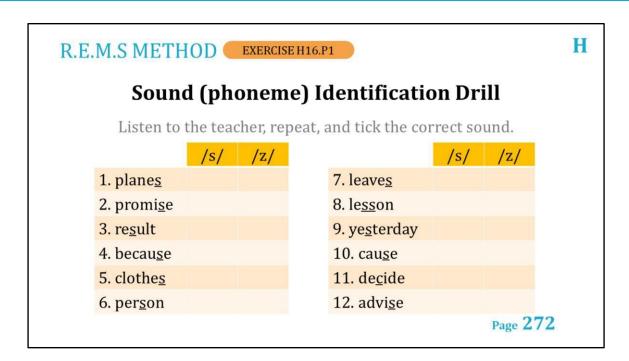
- 1. The life in the city changed quickly. Repeat.
- 2. The life in the city changed quickly. Change: people. --- [The people in the city changed quickly.]

- 3. The people in the city changed quickly. Change: town. --- [The people in the town changed quickly.]
- 4. The people in the town changed quickly. Add: next. --- [The people in the next town changed quickly.]
- 5. The people in the next town changed quickly. Change: badly. --- [The people in the next town changed badly.]
- 6. The people in the next town changed badly. Add: young. --- [The young people in the next town changed badly.]

#### Transformation Drill

Listen to the teacher and follow the instructions.

- 1. The color of the leaves changes in fall. Repeat.
- 2. The color of the leaves changes in fall. Transform: when. --- When does the color of the leaves change?]
- 3. Maria will change her plane ticket tomorrow. Repeat.
- 4. Maria will change her plane ticket tomorrow. Transform: what. --- [What will Maria change tomorrow?]
- 5. We decided to change seats. Repeat.
- 6. We decided to change seats. Transform: not. --- [We decided not to change seats.]
- 7. They want to change the time of the game. Repeat.
- 8. They want to change the time of the game. Transform: why. --- [Why do they want to change the time of the game?]
- 9. My cousin changed her hair color. Repeat.
- 10. My cousin changed her hair color. Transform: who. --- [Who changed her hair color?]



[/s/ ---- promise, person, lesson, yesterday, decide]

[/z/ ---- planes, result, because, clothes, leaves, cause, advise]

### **Open Questions Exercise**

Listen and answer the questions in complete sentences.

- 1. Is changing jobs a good idea?
- 2. What do you want to change in your life? Why?
- 3. Do you want to change your hair color? Why?
- 4. How often do you change your cellphone?
- 5. How many times do you change bus/train to go to work/school?

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- 1. Don't lose your money!
- 2. They failed the test.
- 3. The police did not allow us to get in.
- 4. Not studying results in failing.
- 5. He will succeed in this business.
- 6. Her success made her rich.

- - 7. Bob slowly applied paint to the wall.
  - 8. She didn't mean to hurt her friend.
  - 9. She has a good memory.
  - 10. The prince is very powerful.
  - 11. I realized that I needed more money for today.
  - 12. It occurred to me that he was the right man.

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- 1. Actually, I need a shower now.
- 2. I don't ask for money, anyway.
- 3. She charged him \$20 for that bag.
- 4. He acted crazy in the bar!
- 5. The reply was short and direct.
- 6. She replied with a sweet smile.

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- 7. They tried translating the words from English to French.
- 8. My mom hates shouting in the house.
- 9. I remember stepping on that small flower.
- 10. My sister advised helping other people.
- 11. My teacher permits talking for 30 minutes.
- 12. The job requires working six days a week.

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- 1. The food was highly priced.
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# **Pronunciation Repetition Drill**

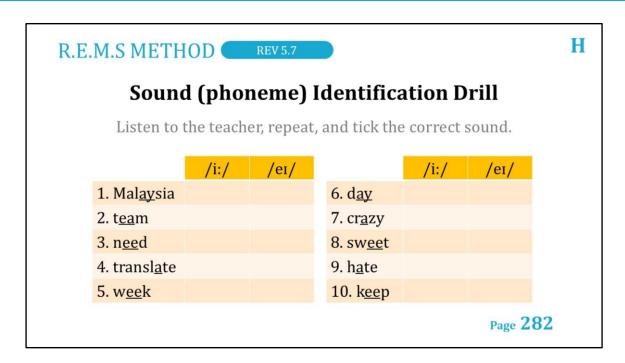
Listen to the teacher and repeat the words.

- 1. lose
- 2. remove
- 3. result
- 4. apply
- 5. rise
- 6. refer
- 7. reference
- 8. allow
- 9. fail
- 10. realize
- 11. remind

# **Basic Single-slot Substitution Drill**

Listen to the teacher and repeat the sentences.

- 1. He realized he failed his team.
- 2. He realized he failed his exam.
- 3. Mr. Jones realized he failed his exam.
- 4. Mr. Jones realized he failed his children.
- 5. Mr. Jones realized he lost his children.
- 6. Mr. Jones knew he lost his children.
- 7. Mr. Jones knew he lost his memory.
- 8. Mr. Jones knew he lost his plan.
- 9. Mr. Jones knew he saved his plan.



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[/eɪ/ ---- Malaysia, translate, day, crazy, hate]

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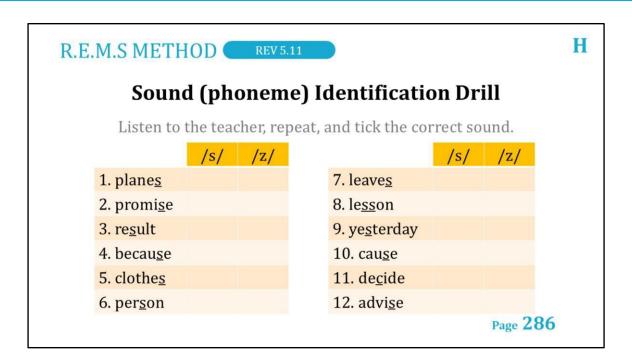
# **Consonant Pronunciation Drill**

Listen to the teacher and repeat the words.

- 1. fully
- 2. forget
- 3. wave
- 4. food
- 5. vegetables
- 6. remove
- 7. half
- 8. advise
- 9. form
- 10. forget
- 11. view

- 1. I am fully aware of the problems here. Repeat.
- 2. I am fully aware of the problems here. Transform: what. --- [What are you fully aware of here?]

- 3. The soldier did not allow us to go anywhere. Repeat.
- 4. The soldier did not allow us to go anywhere. Transform: who. --- [Who did not allow us to go anywhere?]
- 5. I only slept for half an hour last night. Repeat.
- 6. I only slept for half an hour last night. Transform: when. --- [When did you only sleep for half an hour?]
- 7. She bets it will rain tomorrow. Repeat.
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- 5. The people in the next town changed quickly. Change: badly. --- [The people in the next town changed badly.]
- 6. The people in the next town changed badly. Add: young. --- [The young people in the next town changed badly.]

#### **JUMBLED SENTENCES**

Reorder the words to make a grammatical sentence.

- 1. memory / what / has / she / of / clear / a / happened.
- 2. in / the / is / most / company / person / the / boss / powerful / the.
- 3. made / rich / her / her / success.
- 4. lose / don't / hope.
- 5. that / they / realized / they / time / needed / more.

- [1. She has a clear memory of what happened.]
- [2. The boss is the most powerful person in the company.]
- [3. Her success made her rich.]
- [4. Don't lose hope.]
- [5. They realized that they needed more time.]

- 1. Is changing jobs a good idea?
- 2. What do you want to change in your life? Why?
- 3. Do you want to change your hair color? Why?
- 4. How often do you change your cellphone?
- 5. How many times do you change bus/train to go to work/school?

## **Writing Exercise**

Listen to the teacher and type the sentences in the chat box.

- 1. Applying paint results in a beautiful room.
- 2. Mr. Miller enjoys reading the reply of his friend.
- 3. Artists are respected.
- 4. Maria changed the pictures in the room.
- 5. I bet he was permitted to drive.
- 6. The new president promised to change the country.