

## Chapter 5: The Phrase, pp. 37–46

### The Phrase, pp. 37–38

#### EXERCISE A

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#### EXERCISE B

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### The Prepositional Phrase, pp. 39–40

#### EXERCISE A

1. Snowflakes swirled around my family.
2. Your estimate was right on the mark.
3. Far into the night they worked.

4. Mrs. Thomas, do you have a book about stars and planets?
5. Someone with a camcorder could tape the show.

#### EXERCISE B

6. The paragraph after this one explains everything.
7. Jered tied the laces of his shoes.
8. Yes, the house down the street is his.
9. The path through the forest was well marked.
10. I've written everyone except Grandma and Grandpa thank-you notes.

#### EXERCISE C

11. Would you jump off the high dive?
12. On most afternoons, she practices piano.
13. Does she come home on holidays?
14. Before breakfast, Marco usually helps his mother.
15. Are you curious about the surprise?

### The Participle and the Participial Phrase, pp. 41–42

#### EXERCISE A

1. A stacked pile of wood stood next to the back door.
2. We need written confirmation of our reservations.
3. Please put the book on the painted bookshelf.
4. The sound of running water was pleasant.
5. Blistering heat forced the hikers into the shade.
6. Have you sent your elected officials a letter about your concerns?
7. Everyone watched the prancing horses and their riders.

8. We gave the young actors a standing ovation.
9. Is their specialty baked goods?
10. The next scheduled train should be here any moment.

**EXERCISE B**

11. Listening intently, I heard several changes in her voice.
12. Fold two eggs beaten with milk into the mixture.
13. Her dream car was a convertible painted blue.
14. Topping the bright package, the ribbon curled and bounced.
15. We stayed in a room decorated with jungle scenes.
16. The deer returned to her baby cuddled in the grass.
17. He became an engineer known throughout the world.
18. Above us, soaring with perfect ease, a bald eagle circled.
19. Did you read the new book written by Gary Paulsen?
20. Puzzled by the noise, we just waited outside.

**The Infinitive and the Infinitive Phrase, pp. 43–44**

**EXERCISE A**

1. The baby wasn't so difficult to please.
2. Larry, the lawn needs to grow.
3. To succeed takes faith in oneself and the world.
4. This song is really not hard to play, Bill.
5. It's too soon to tell.

6. Since fourth grade, her one goal has been to fly.

7. Now is the time to decide!

8. To write, one must think.

9. Am I the last to know?

10. In this race Tom Harold is the one to watch.

**EXERCISE B**

11. What's the best way to take notes in class?

12. To learn fine carpentry, you should study with an expert.

13. Would you like to become a biologist?

14. It's somewhat early to predict the election results.

15. Be the first to sign up for our new club!

16. It's too hot to play soccer.

17. To learn Spanish well is one of my goals.

18. The senators asked for time to discuss the matter.

19. I just called to tell you about the party this weekend.

20. The explorers' purpose was to blaze a trail for others.

**Appositives and Appositive Phrases, pp. 45–46**

**EXERCISE A**

1. The track coach, Mrs. Terry, runs with the team on Fridays.

2. The Appalachian Trail runs through this area, Shenandoah National Park.

3. Sorry, but the only ones still available are these, the leftovers.

4. Careful and precise was the lab assistant, Jane.

5. I would like to introduce our mayor, Mr. Carlos Winter.

6. To what does the word californium refer?

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7. Surely, they, the founders, would agree.
  8. Have you read the novel Hatchet?
  9. If you students can assist us, please call our toll-free number.
  10. This play, A Raisin in the Sun, has endured.
- EXERCISE B**
11. Thank our sponsor, the very generous Gadgets Company.
  12. I'm inviting everyone, every family at Hideaway Apartments.
  13. Charlotte Forten, a famous African American educator in the nineteenth century, was published in *Atlantic Monthly*.
  14. We must study and protect these, the only traces of that mysterious civilization.
  15. The research team needs an assistant, someone with a background in chemistry.
  16. A student of classical music, Nina Simone made popular music her realm.
  17. Frankincense, a substance from African or Asian trees, has been a valuable item for more than two thousand years.
  18. Honor and a sense of duty, those are the qualities of a great leader.
  19. Harry gave me his new number, a cell phone out of this area code.
  20. The best one, the only practical product on the market, is our Widget 3000.