

SENTENCE STRUCTURE THROUGH

DIAGRAMMING



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# Diagramming

## Sequence

Simple Sentences

Compound Subjects

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Adjective Prepositional Phrases

Adverb Prepositional Phrases

Subject Complements

Predicate Adjectives

Subject Complements

Predicate Nouns

Direct Objects

Indirect Objects

Objective Complements

# How to Use

The activities on these activity cards should be done as group activities. The instructor should divide the class into groups of no more than 4 children per group.

One activity card should be completed per week, for a total duration of two (2) years. Each group chooses a sentence on a card which they complete. At the end of the activity a designated individual from each group comes forth and presents their work on the board so that other groups can view and evaluate the work. The following directions apply to all activities on these cards.

## Card 1

Students should follow the example presented to diagram the given sentence they have chosen. Make sure they are able to identify the sentence parts before they diagram the sentence. (This part will not be addressed in the Answer Key.)

## Card 2

Students should follow the example presented to diagram the given sentence they have chosen. Make sure they are able to identify the sentence parts before they diagram the sentence. (This part will not be addressed in the Answer Key.)

## Card 3

This section will frustrate several students; however, it forces them to visualize groups of words that might function as units and provides opportunity for them to apply their higher level thinking skills in synthesis. (No key is available for this section since the diagrams themselves will indicate the correct sentence structure.)

## Card 4

This section provides students with the opportunity to creatively implement the specific diagramming structures they have just studied. Have students share their sentences with the rest of the class. Encourage them to have fun creating.

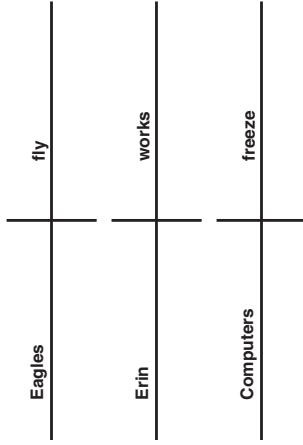
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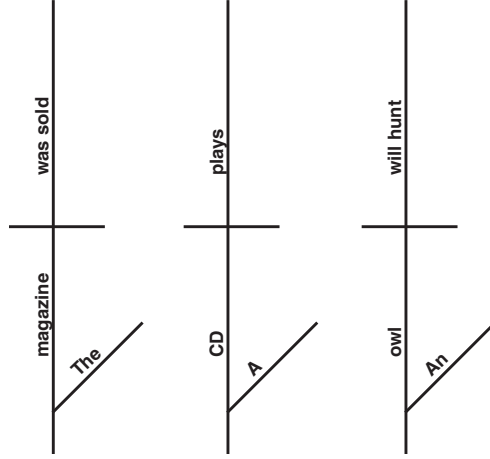
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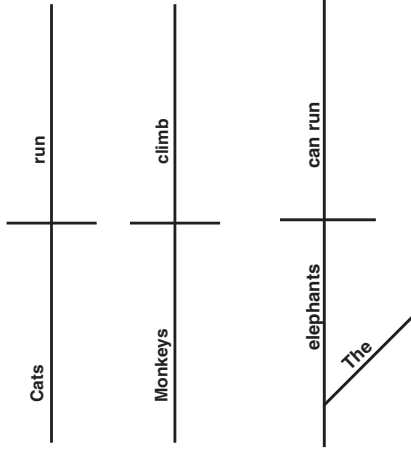
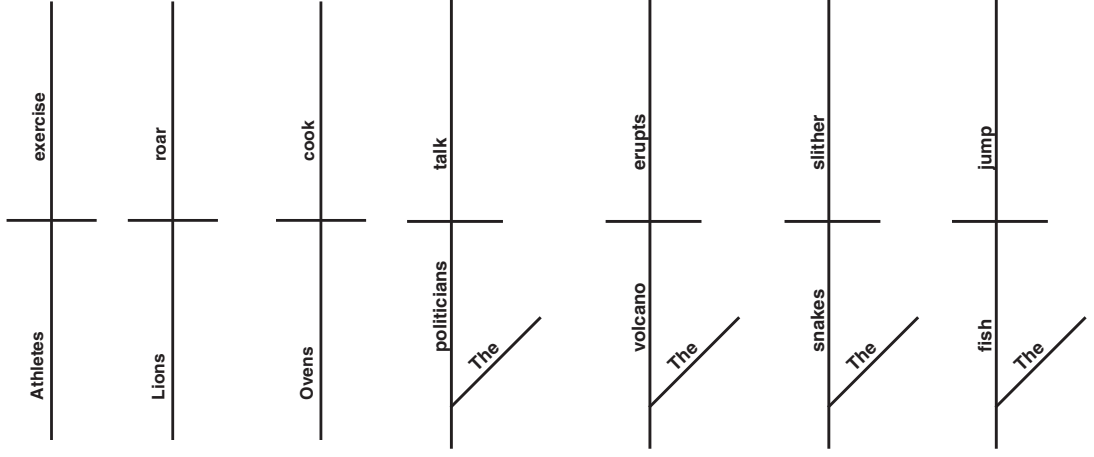
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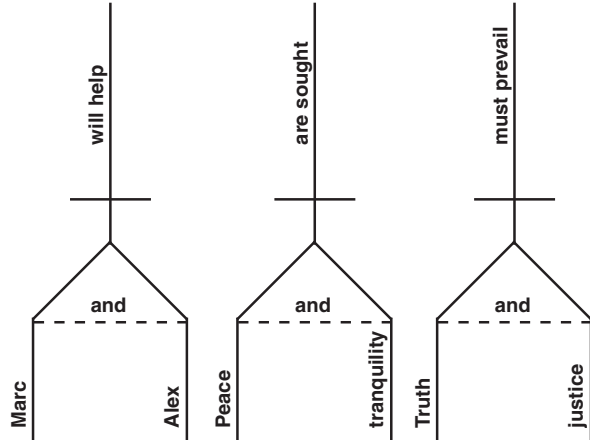


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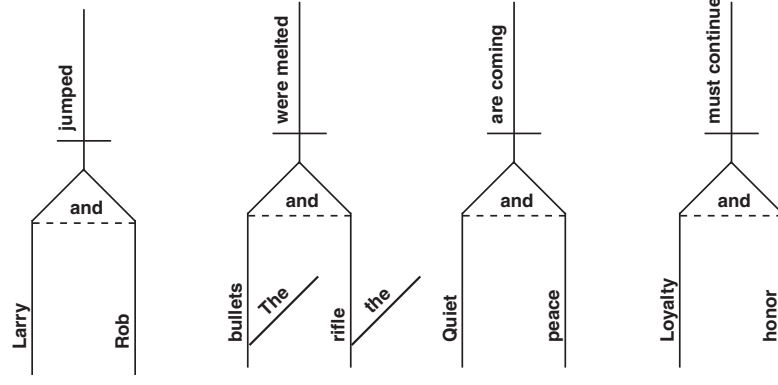
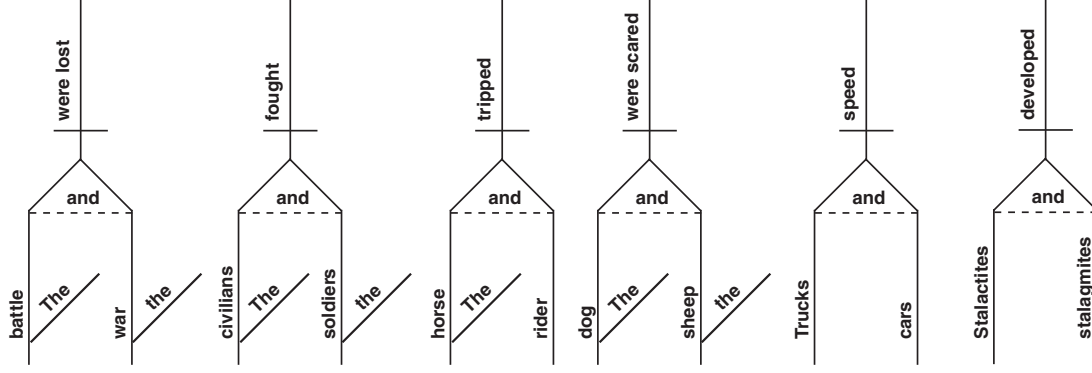
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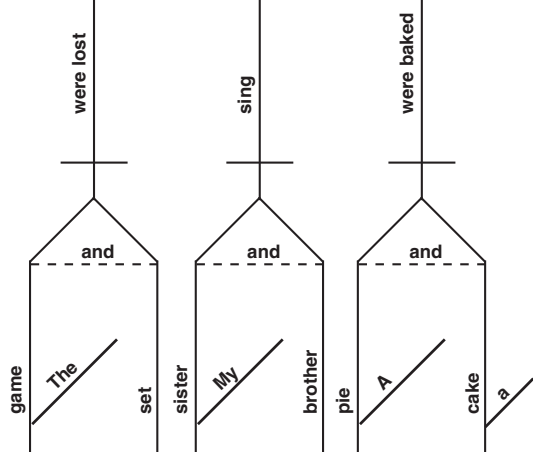
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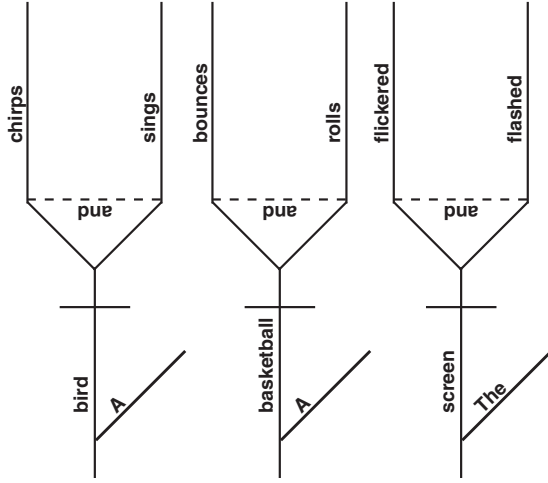


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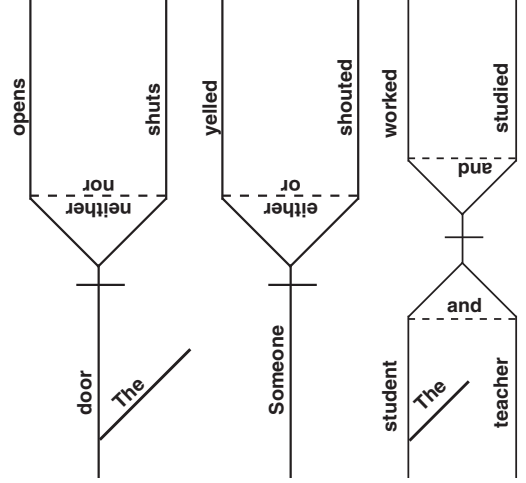
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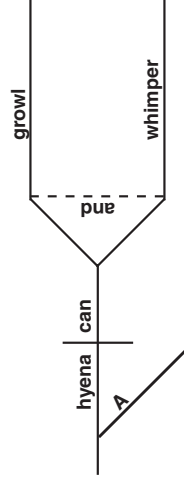
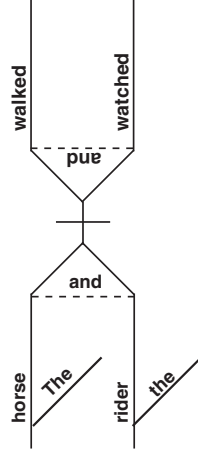
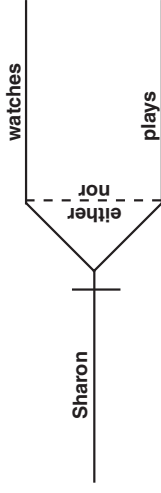
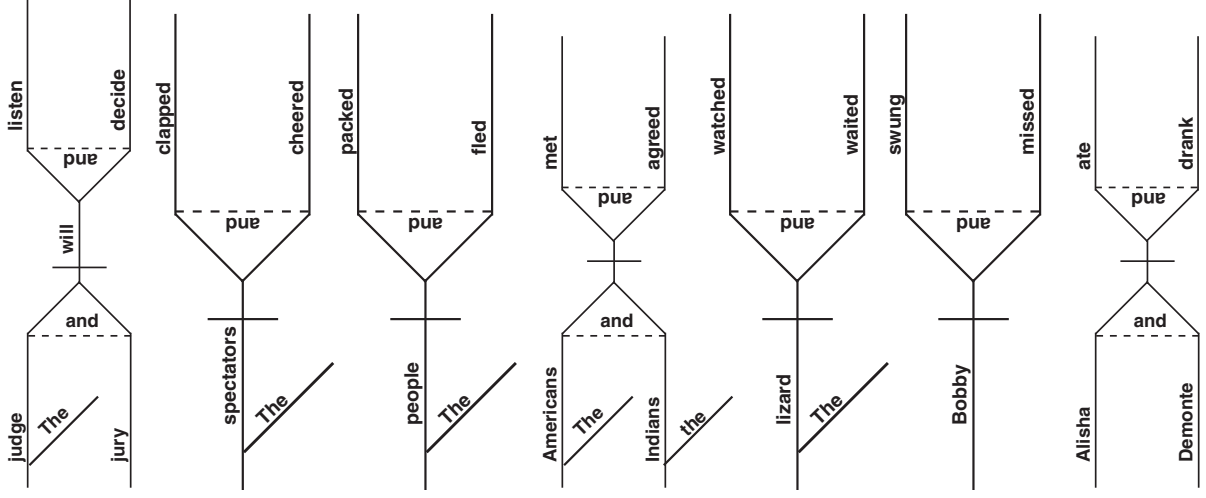
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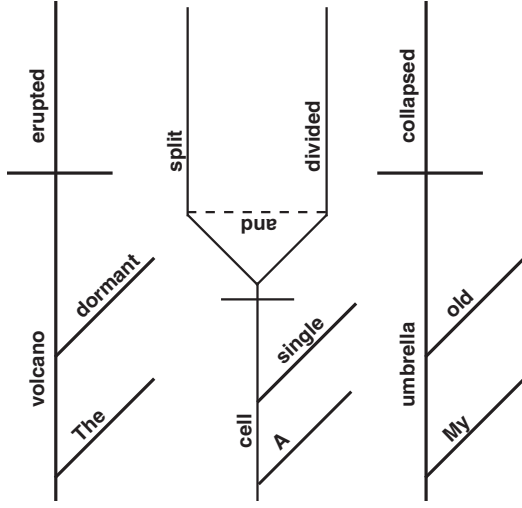


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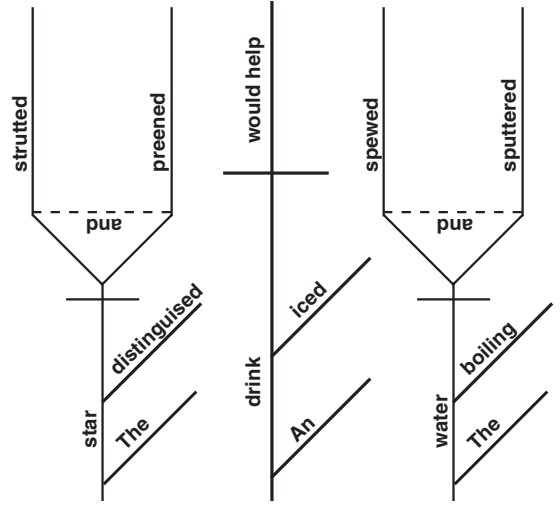
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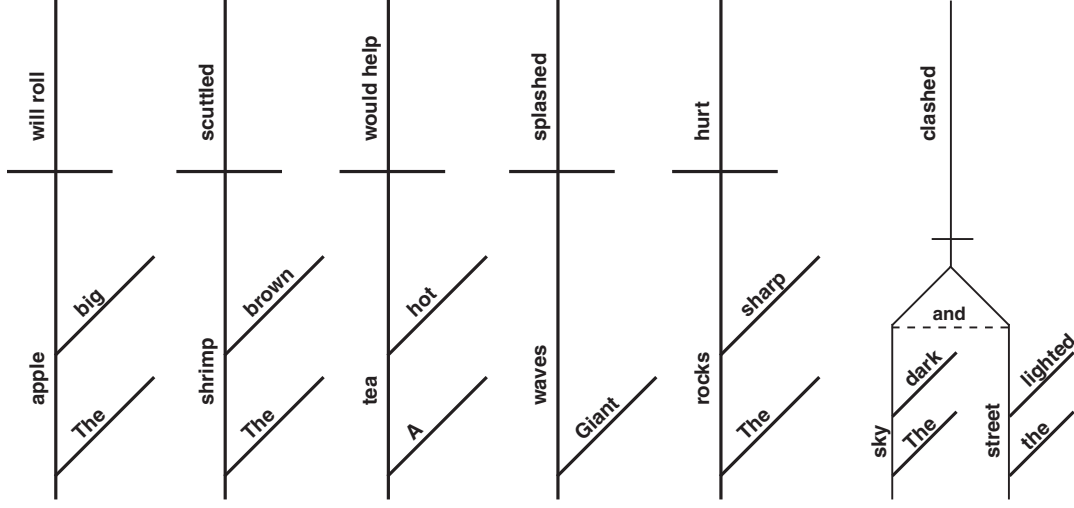
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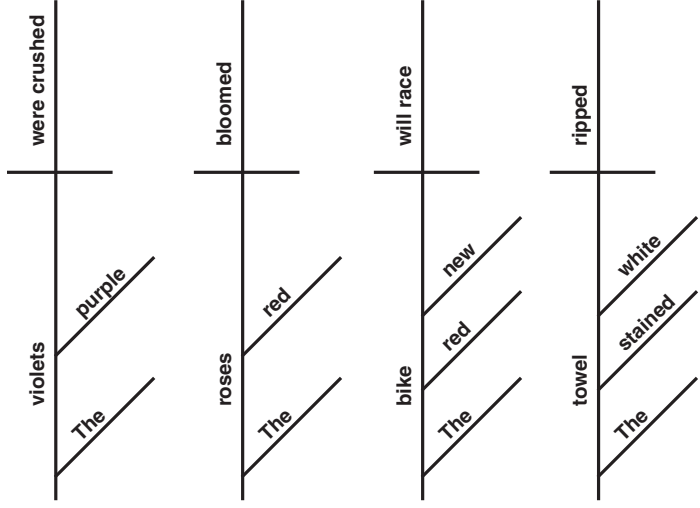
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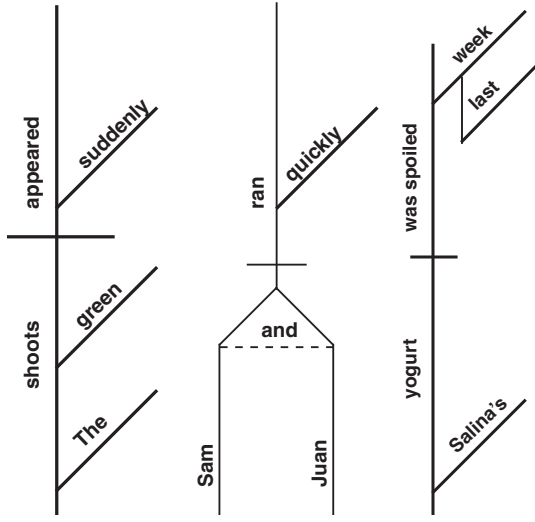


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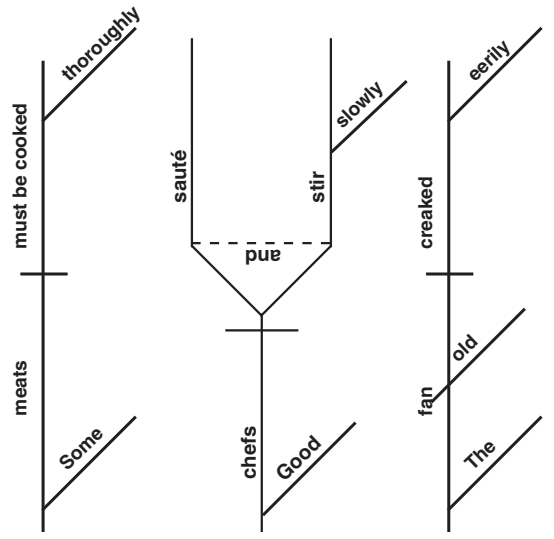
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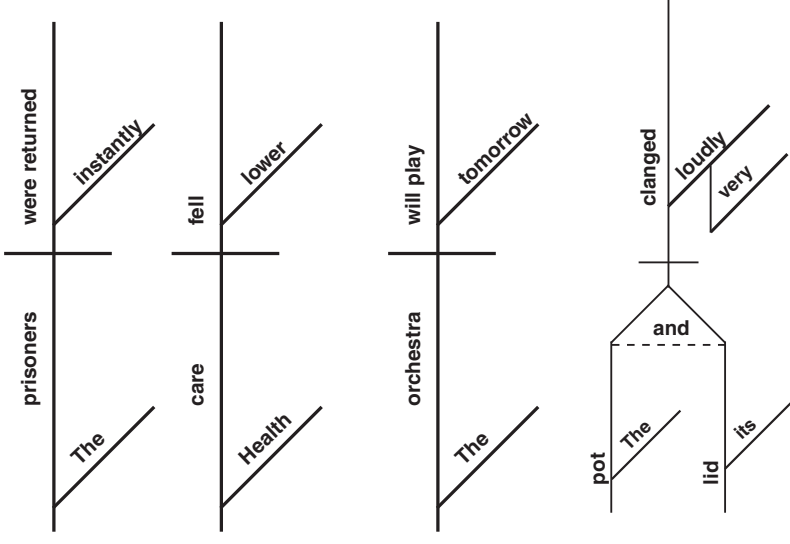
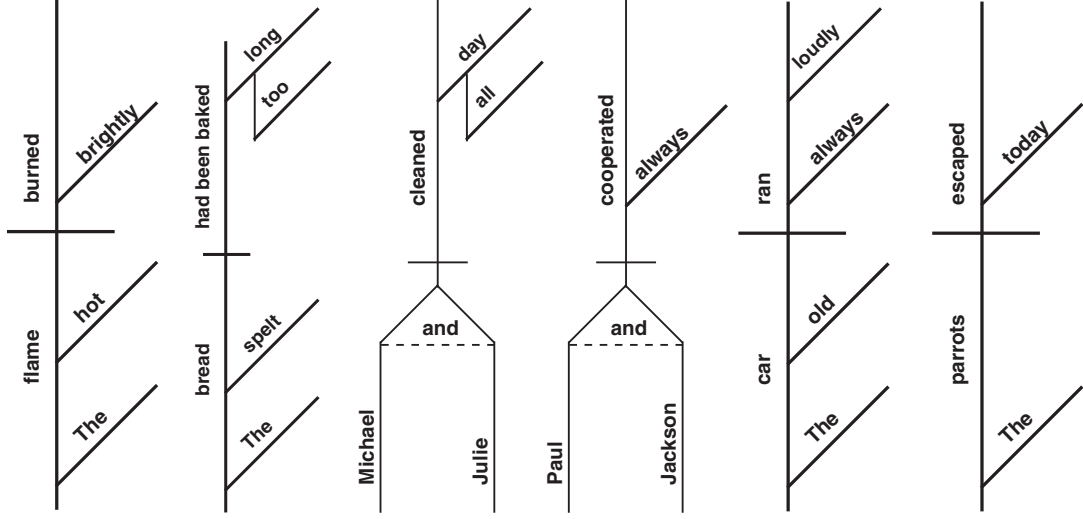
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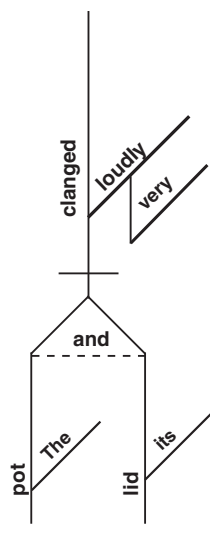
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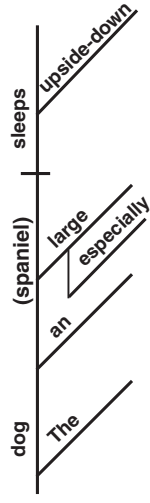
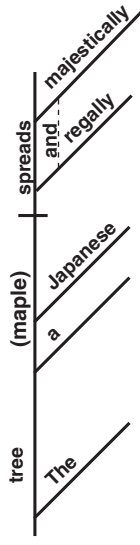
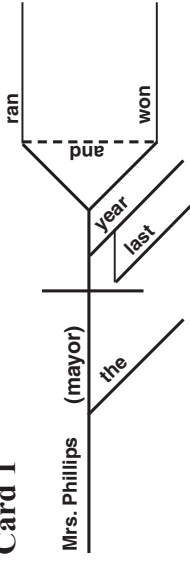
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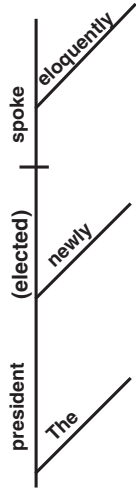
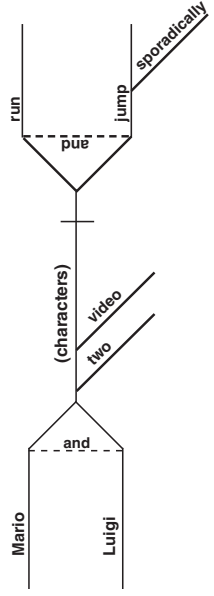
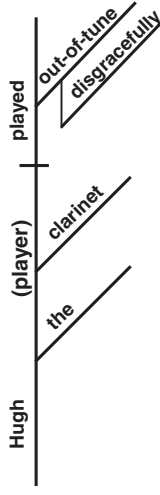
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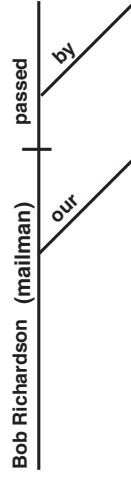
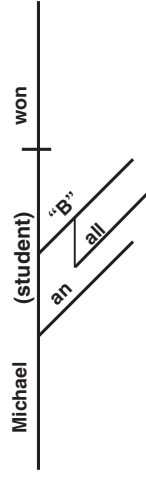
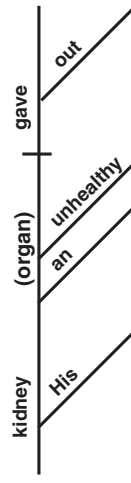
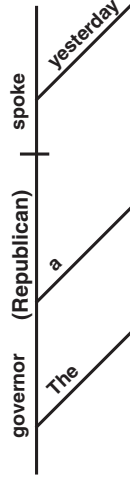
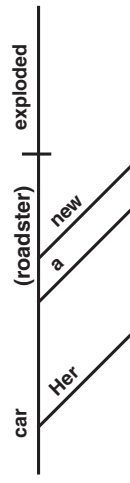
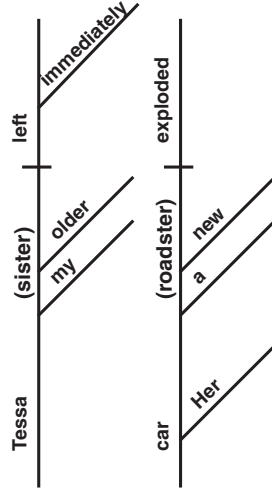
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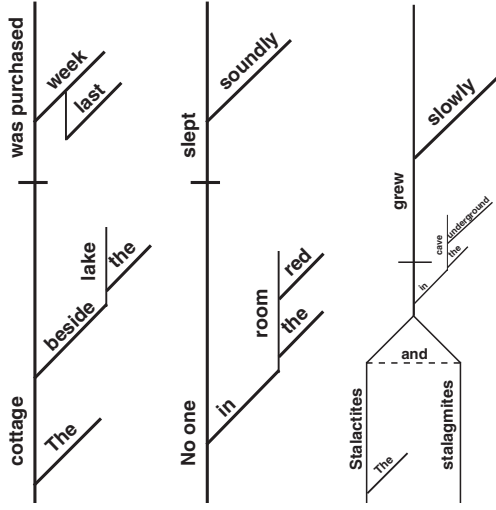


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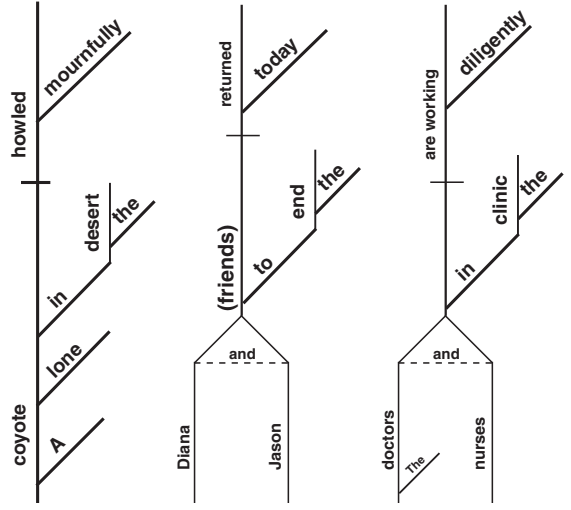
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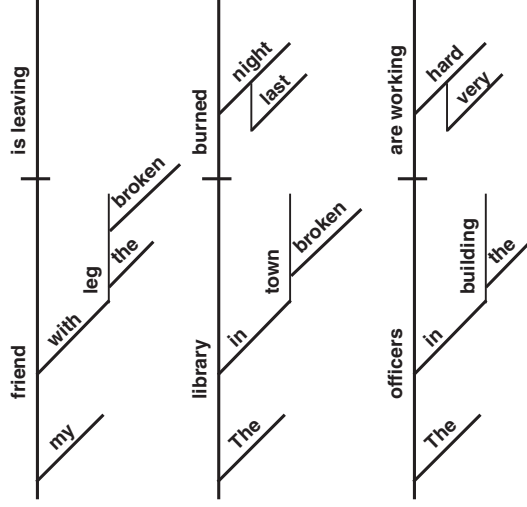
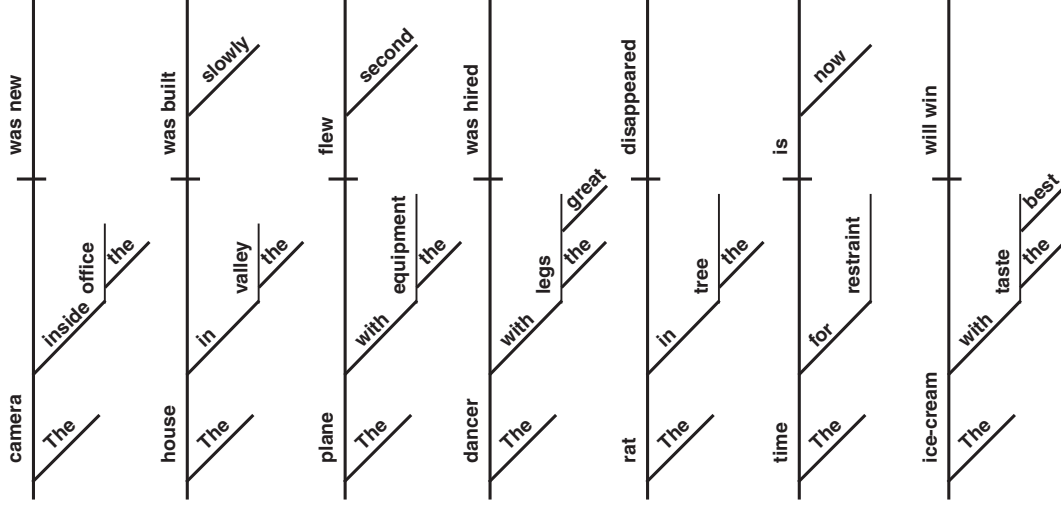
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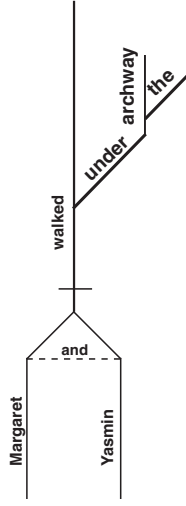
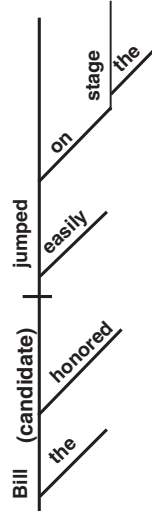
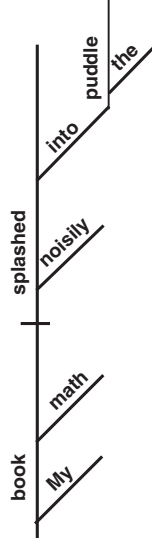


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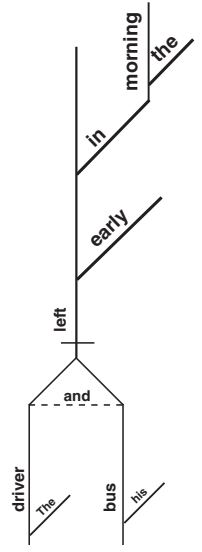
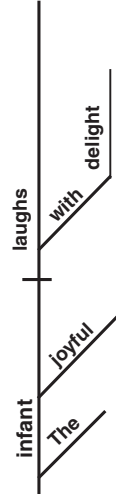
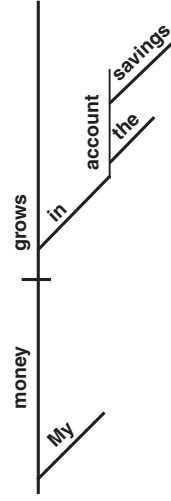
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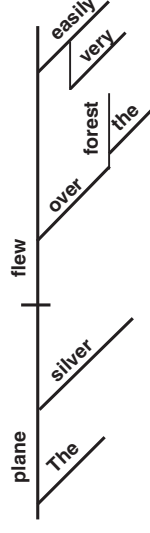
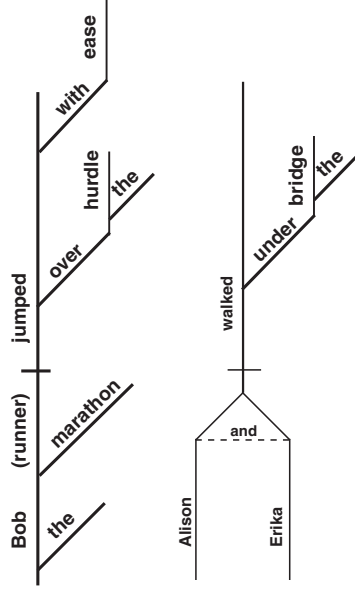
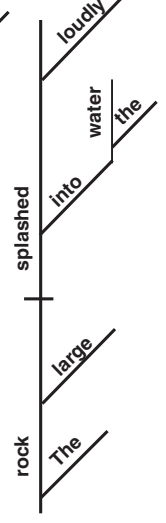
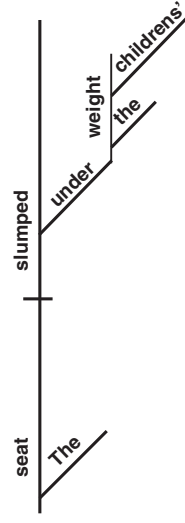
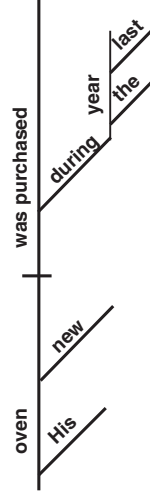
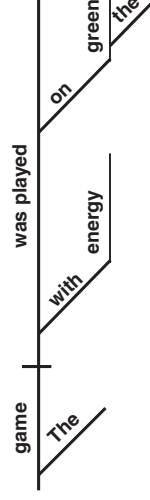
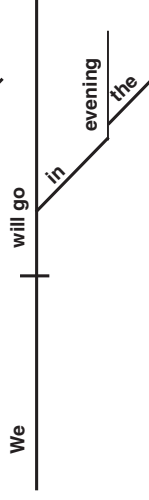
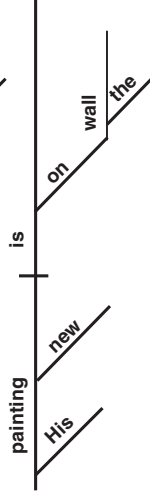
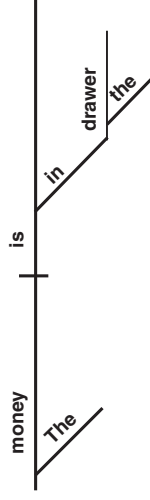
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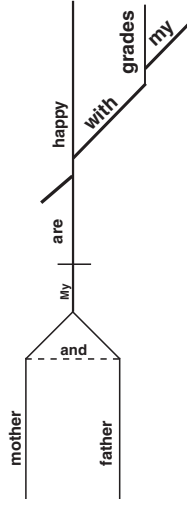
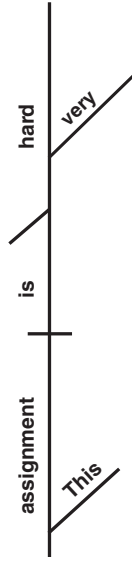
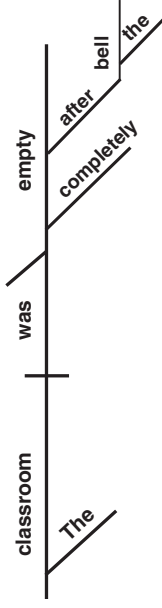


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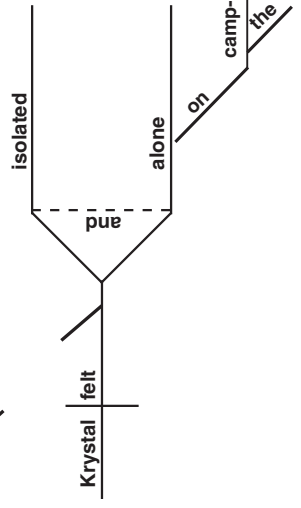
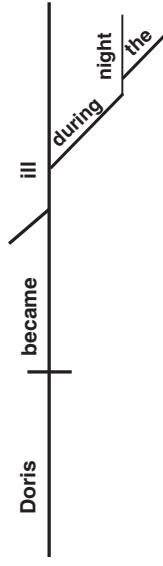
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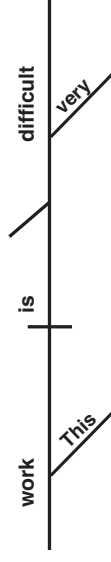
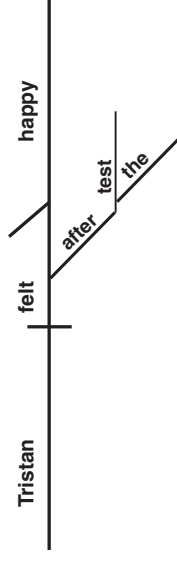
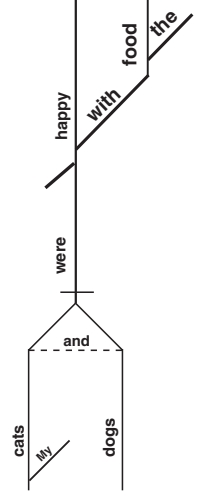
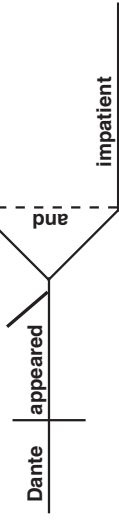
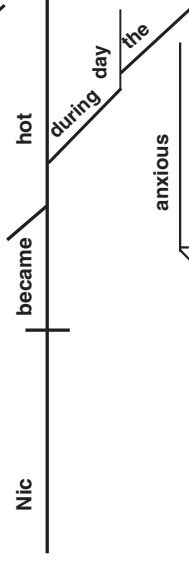
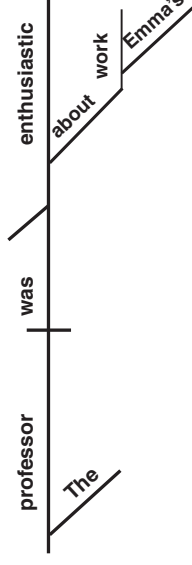
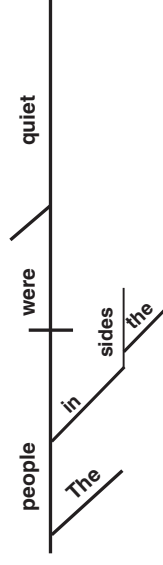
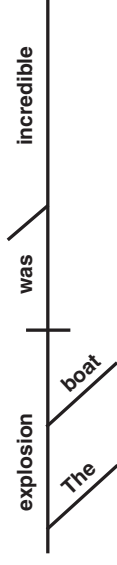
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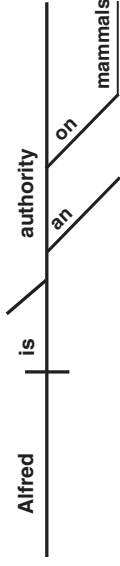
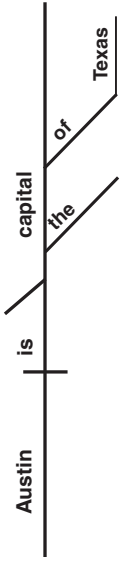
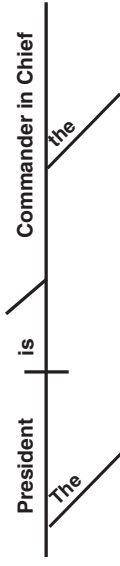


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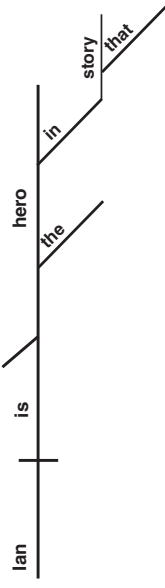
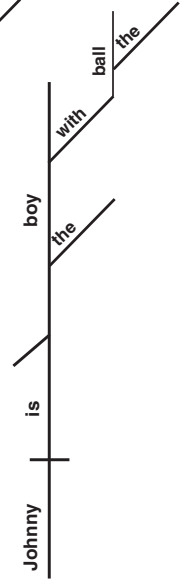
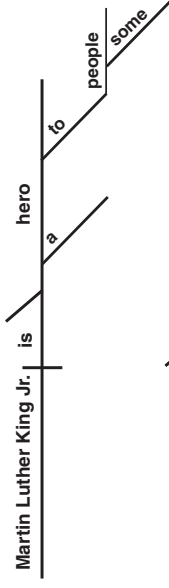
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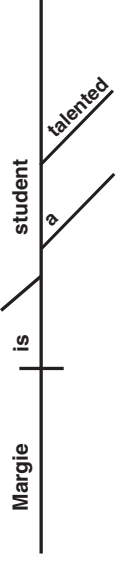
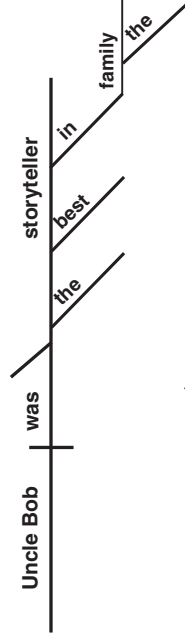
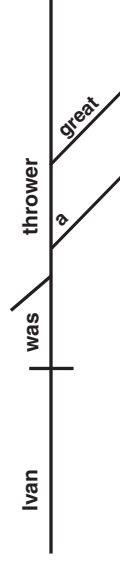
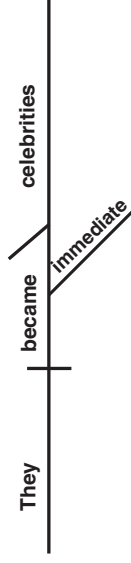
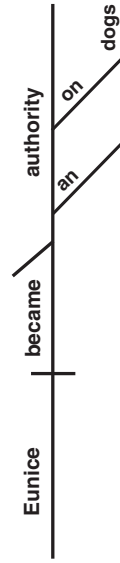
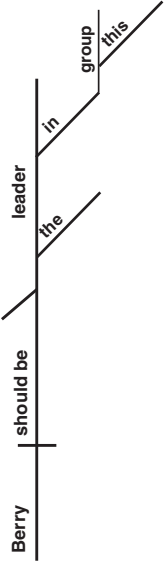
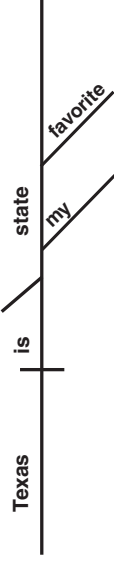
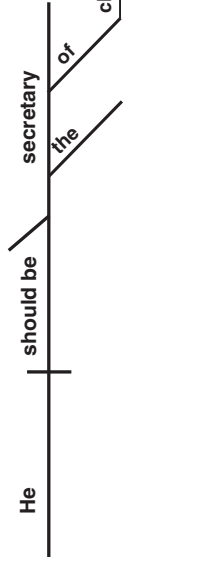
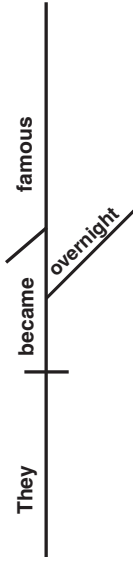
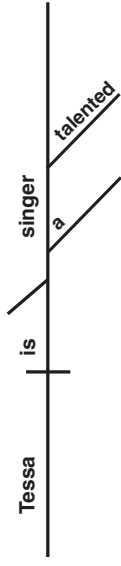
## Diagramming - Subject Complements- Predicate Nouns Card 1



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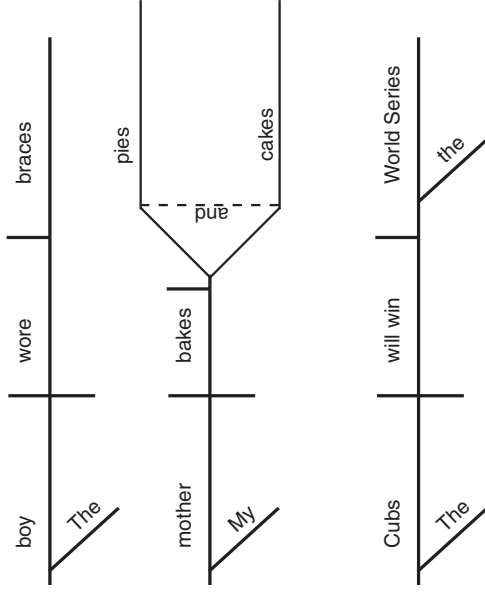


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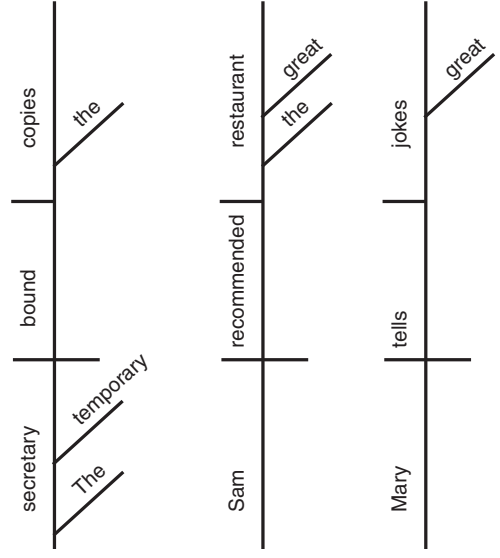
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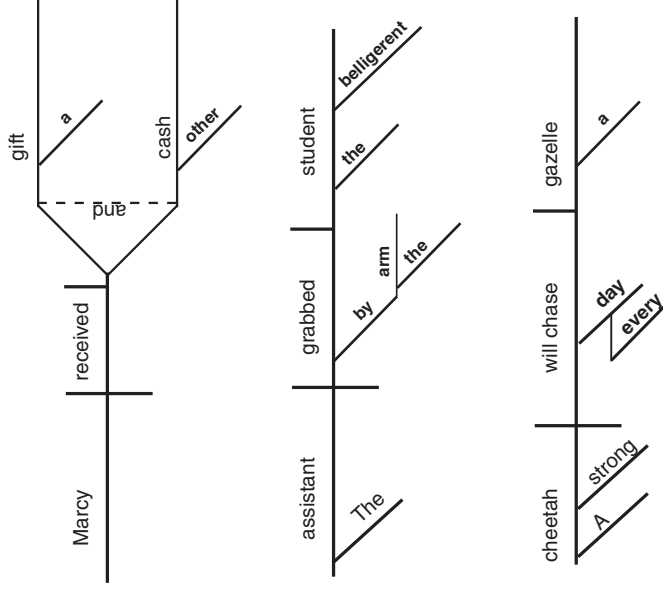
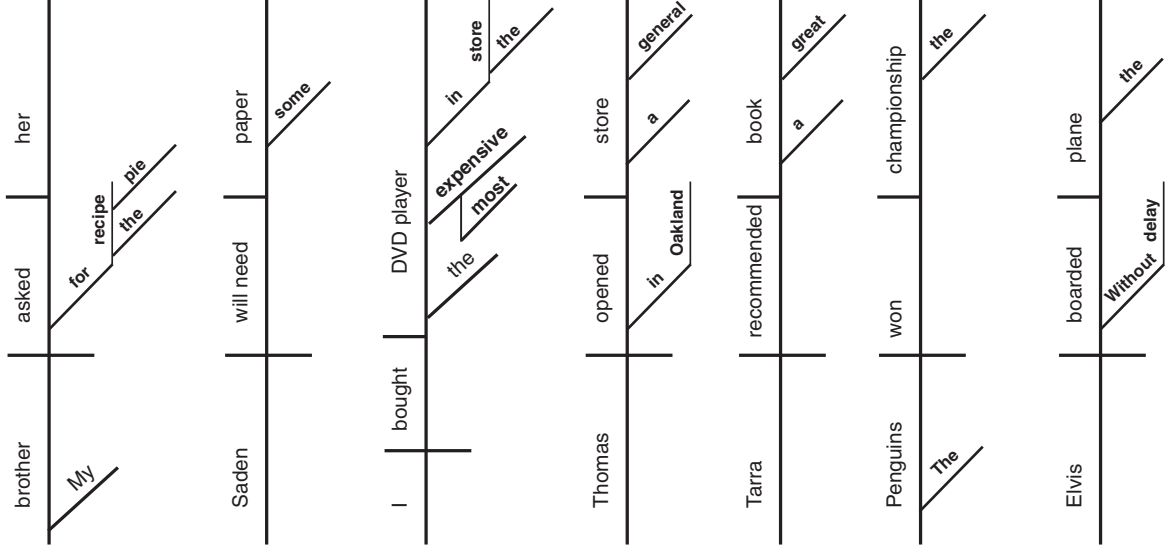
## Diagramming - Direct Objects Card 1



## Diagramming - Direct Objects Card 2



## Diagramming - Direct Objects Card 3

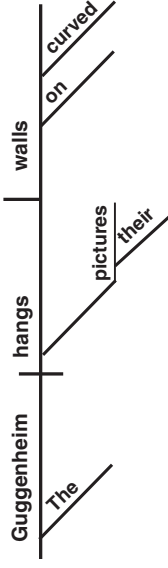
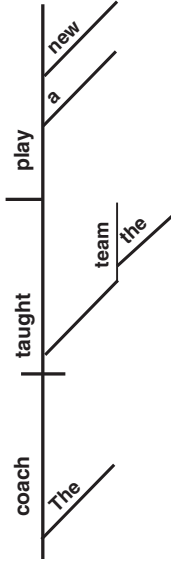


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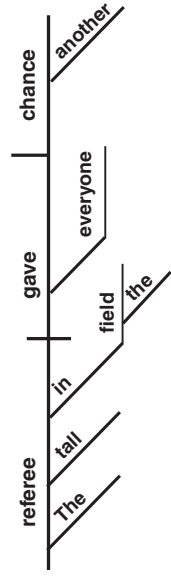
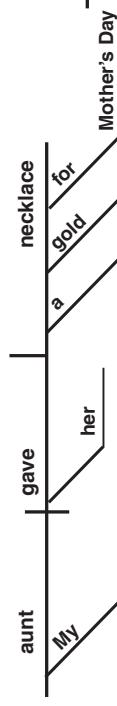
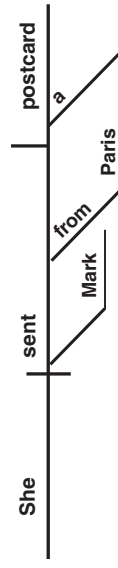
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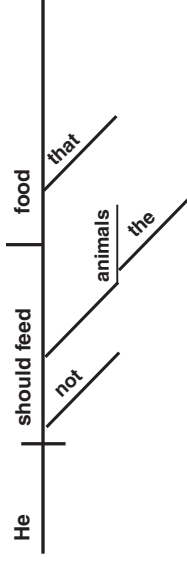
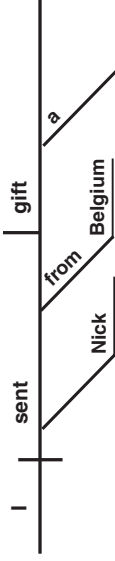
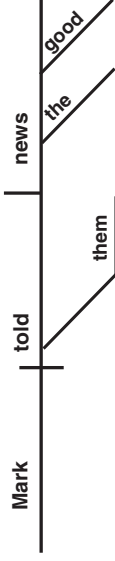
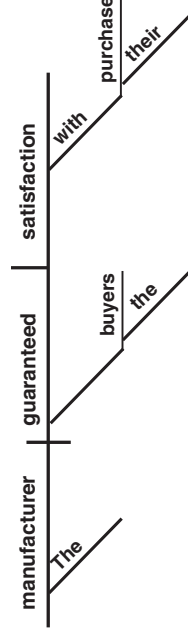
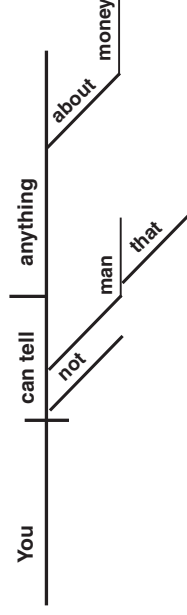
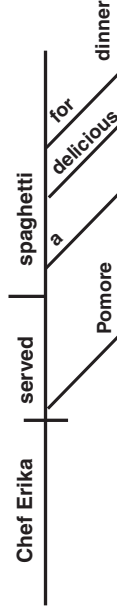
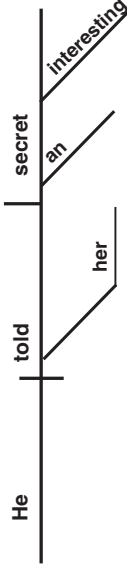
## Diagramming - Indirect Object Card 1



## Diagramming - Indirect Object Card 2



## Diagramming - Indirect Object Card 3

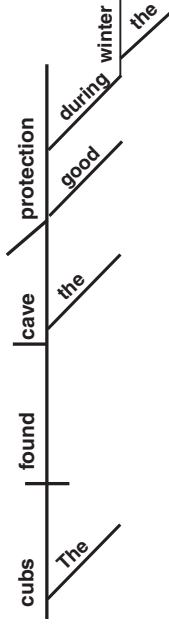
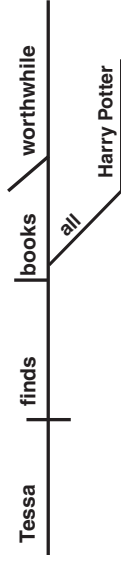


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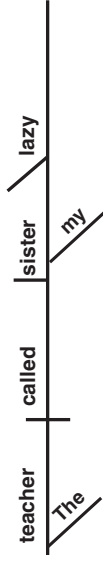
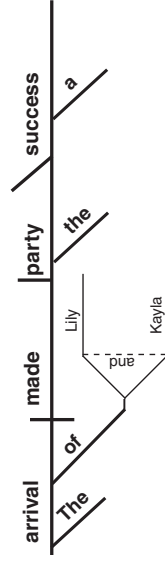
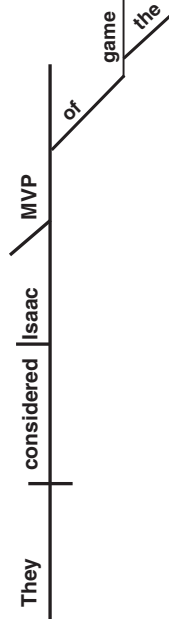
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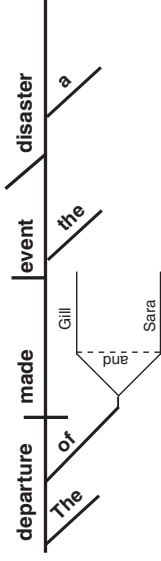
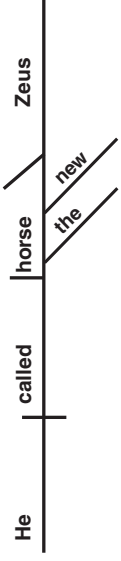
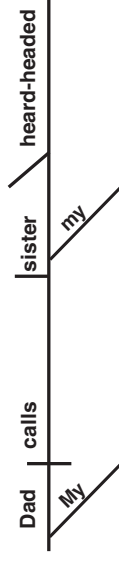
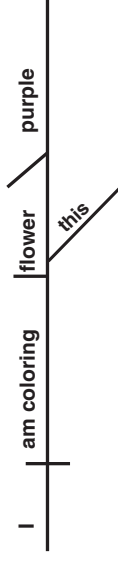
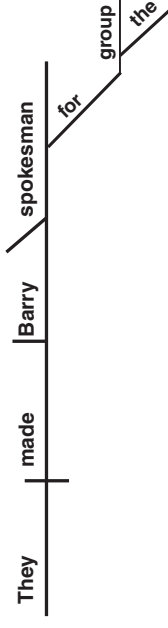
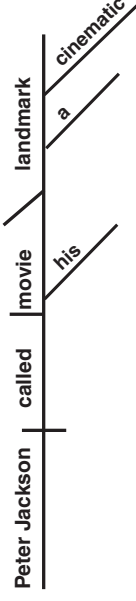
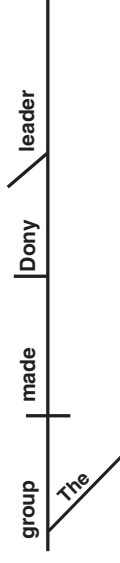
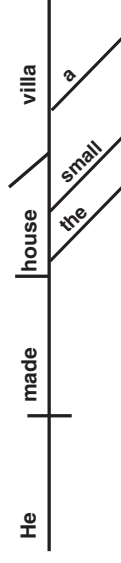
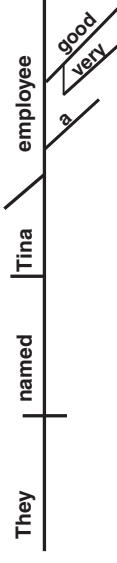
## Diagramming - Adjective Modifiers Card 1



## Diagramming - Adjective Modifiers Card 2



## Diagramming - Adjective Modifiers Card 3



## Diagramming - Compound Verbs Card 4

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