

Name _____



Simple, Compound, Complex

Directions: Below is a list of sentences. Read each one carefully and decide whether it is **Simple, Compound, or Complex**. Write **S** for Simple, **D** for Compound, and **X** for Complex in the blanks.

1. The sun sets in the west. _____
2. I wanted to go for a walk, but it started to rain. _____
3. Because I studied hard, I passed the test. _____
4. The children laughed and played in the park. _____
5. I was tired, yet I kept working on my project. _____
6. While the dog barked, the baby continued to sleep. _____
7. She enjoys swimming and hiking. _____
8. I stayed home because I was sick. _____
9. We can order pizza, or we can cook pasta. _____
10. Although it was cold outside, we went to the beach. _____
11. The phone rang loudly. _____
12. I like apples, and my brother likes oranges. _____
13. After the movie ended, we went out for ice cream. _____
14. The car broke down on the way to work. _____
15. She studied for the exam, but she forgot her notes at home. _____
16. When the bell rang, the students lined up quietly. _____
17. We visited the museum and saw the dinosaur exhibit. _____
18. He can join us for dinner, or he can meet us afterward. _____
19. Since it was raining, we stayed inside and played board games. _____
20. The teacher smiled and nodded at the students. _____