EPISODE 13: WELDING

ACTIVITY SHEET

Practise and consolidate your learning about word form groups by completing our activities. Remember you can refer to the study notes if you need help.

ACTIVITY 1

Choose the correct function for the words highlighted in **bold** in the sentences below.

- 1. Is **the technician** servicing the computer today?
 - a. direct object
 - b. indirect object
 - c. subject
- 2. Harold has been appointed the new Head of Department.
 - a. direct object
 - b. subject complement
 - c. object complement
- 3. James **happens** to be waiting in the lobby.
 - a. intransitive verb
 - b. transitive verb
 - c. verb phrase
- 4. Mary sent **her sister** the band's latest CD.
 - a. direct object
 - b. indirect object
 - c. subject complement
- 5. The news of the engagement made the parents **very happy**.
 - a. indirect object
 - b. subject complement
 - c. object complement
- 6. I bought the latest gadget for my computer.
 - a. direct object
 - b. indirect object
 - c. subject complement



- 7. Because of the bus strike, Janet came **quite late** for the meeting.
 - a. indirect object
 - b. adverbial
 - c. subject complement
- 8. Kevin **heard** a faint sound from under the rubble.
 - a. transitive verb
 - b. intransitive verb
 - c. direct object
- 9. After a successful tennis career, Michael became **their mentor**.
 - a. direct object
 - b. subject complement
 - c. object complement
- 10. The flight departs in the afternoon from gate 15.
 - a. subject complement
 - b. indirect object
 - c. adverbial



ACTIVITY 2

Identify the word form group and function of the words highlighted in **bold** in the sentences below.

- 1. The mechanic used black **grease** to **grease** the cars.
- 2. It would be appropriate to **present** the **present** in the **present** time.
- 3. The man used his farm to **produce produce**.
- 4. Unfortunately, John will **object** to that **object** in the window.
- 5. Actually, Mary will **contest** the **contest**, which she feels was biased.
- 6. Conveniently, the Smiths **live** in the vicinity to take part in the **live** concert.
- 7. The scientist will **subject** the **subject** to DNA testing.
- 8. The council will not **permit** the use of an interstate **permit**.
- 9. Students' progress will need to progress faster to have an impact.
- 10. The southerly **wind** made it impossible to **wind** down the canvas awning.



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ANSWERS ACTIVITY 2

Identify the word form group and function of the highlighted words in the sentence.

1. The mechanic used black grease to grease the cars.

noun phrase verb phrase object verb
/gris/ /gris/ ~ /griz/

2. It would be appropriate to **present** the **present** in the **present** time.

verb phrase
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objectpreposition phrase
adverbial/prə'zɛnt//'prɛzənt/

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verb phrasenoun phraseverbobject/prə'djus//'prɒdʒus/

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verb phrasenoun phraseverbobject/pə'mɪt//'pamɪt/





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noun phrase verb phrase subject verb
/'proʊgrɛs/ /prə'grɛs/

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