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1. Recognizing Sentence from Fragments

A. Read and analyze the statements below. Identify whether the second statement is a fragment or a sentence. Write frag fragment, S for sentence in the blank provided before the number.

- _____ 1. Looking up at a sacred stage.
- _____ 2. Christmas time in prison is a sad time.
- _____ 3. The cry for law and order has changed nothing.
- _____ 4. The smart students bragged about their grades.
- _____ 5. Interested only in money.
- _____ 6. To take over his father's business.
- _____ 7. The story begins like a typical short story.
- _____ 8. Sander simply could not satisfy anybody's standards.
- _____ 9. Mario has never washed a dish in his life.
- _____ 10. Daring him to risk all to sail the seas.

B. Eliminate ineffective fragments (1) by combining them with the main clause or (2) by making them in complete sentence.

1. The twins are almost identical. The only difference being a small mole on Joanne's cheek,

2. We had a wonderful vacation. Chiefly because the fishing was good.

3. No rain for a month. The streams were beginning to dry up.

4. Susan was constantly making suggestions to her husband. Such as how much soap he should use in the dishwater.

5. In spite of the fact that Dennis was able to explain clearly almost every phenomenon of the supernatural. He was afraid of the dark.
