



Grammar

Word order in statements – Exercises

Make sentences by putting the words in the right order. Always start with WHO.

Example:

yesterday / Jane / a newspaper / bought / in the shop

... **Jane bought a newspaper in the shop yesterday.** ...

1. I / on the radio / heard / last week / this song

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2. flew / to Madrid / Tim / to visit his friend

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3. because of bad weather / we / our holiday / cancelled

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4. came here / Bob / yesterday / to see me

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5. couldn't sleep / I / last night / because I wasn't tired

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6. in Paris / attended / a conference / they / many years ago

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7. people / come here / to see this monument / from all over the world

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8. is improving / his health / quickly / thanks to the medicine

.....

9. because she was tired / Jane / didn't watch / last night / television

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10. to the shop / she / went / to buy a magazine / yesterday

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11. later / I'll / check / in my phone book / his number

.....



12. to improve her French / Sarah / went / last summer / to France

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13. are rising / profits / sharply / because of the new product

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14. the packet / he /slowly / opened / in his room

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15. doesn't remember / Sally / very well / names

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16. to avoid confusion / she / clearly / explained / the situation

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17. they / confirmed / yesterday / in writing / their order

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18. your help / we / a lot / appreciated / yesterday

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19. everyone / the movie / last night / very much / enjoyed

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20. he / a letter / his boss / wrote / last week

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21. the problem / I / briefly explained t/ o him

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22. was reading / to her class / the teacher / a story

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23. cannot commute / by car / I / to London / because of the cost

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24. Dan / by train / goes / every day / to work

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25. home / we / last night / went / by bus

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