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## Simple and Compound Sentences 2

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- A **simple sentence** has one main thought. (Although it may have two subjects or two verbs.)

Jerry wrote a poem.

(This simple sentence has one subject and one verb.)

Jerry and Talia wrote a poem.

(This simple sentence has two subjects and one verb.)

Jerry wrote a poem and drew a picture.

(This simple sentence has one subject and two verbs.)

- A **compound sentence** is two simple sentences joined by a comma and a connecting word.

Jerry and Talia wrote a poem, and I read it.

(This compound sentence expresses two thoughts.)

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Carefully read each sentence. Write an **S** in the blank for each simple sentence and a **C** for each compound sentence. (Hint: A compound sentence must have a comma and a connecting word such as *and*, *or*, *but*, or *so*.)

- \_\_\_\_\_ 1. Marisa and Tom read the same book.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 2. Charlie drew a picture and gave it to me.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 3. I cleaned the hamster cage, and Anthony watered the plants.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 4. The teacher and parents had a meeting.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 5. Brittany forgot her sweater, so I loaned her mine.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 6. It started to rain, and we closed the windows.