

TRANSITIVE AND INTRANSITIVE VERBS

Verb is a transitive verb if a sentence with complete meaning is the form of a noun or pronoun to complete its meaning. This subject answers for the question "Whom or what?"

Example: The students **admire** computers.

Verb is intransitive verb if a sentence

Example: They

What do they do? They stop.

Formula: Subject + Verb + Object

Verb is an **intransitive verb** if a sentence with it does not need any object to complete its meaning. The sentence may end with the verb, an adjective, or an adverb.

Put a dot if you can identify the verb in the following examples. Write a number for each verb in the blank space, write transitive or intransitive.

1. My mother **loves** to read the novel. _____
2. I **love** my cat very much. _____
3. Many students **sleep** late on the weekend. _____
4. I **love** to go to the cinema. _____
5. She **studies** hard in class. _____
6. My cat **likes** to eat fish. _____
7. My mother **gives** me a gift for my birthday. _____