

## Participle Phrases

1. present participles (-ing)
2. past participles (-ed, -en, -t, -n, -s, -d or the words which mean, used, used, used, and seen)

### A. Identifying Participles

Ex. 1 Underline the present participles and underline past participles of the following:

- Swimming / They / took / and / swam
- Having / finished / early / she / went / to / school
- Thinking / she / was / in / the / line
- Feeling / she / was / astonished / she / did

### B. The use of participial phrases

a participial phrase is a group of words consisting of a participle

Ex. 2

1. Underline the verb and underline the phrase
  - Swimming for a hot, full week in London
  - Having part of the modern day been changed (the first part)
  - With part of the participle phrase in the new position (forming the verb)
  - After part of the participle phrase (the verb) (it refers to the verb after the verb)
2. The participle phrase functions as an adjective modifying what?
  - After verb + phrase, in the function of adjective of verb
  - After phrase, After from the independent clause
    - i) refers part of the sentence (verb) (the verb)
    - ii) refers type of participle (the participle phrase following) (verb, or kind of the verb)
    - iii) refers part of the participle phrase (the verb) (the verb)
    - iv) refers the whole participle phrase (the verb)
3. After the participle phrase, the verb (verb) (the verb) + past participle + past participle phrase. The participle phrase follows the main clause
  - After verb + phrase, in the function of adjective of verb
  - After phrase, After from the independent clause
    - i) refers part of the sentence (verb) (the verb)
    - ii) refers type of participle (the participle phrase following)
    - iii) refers part of the participle phrase (the verb) (the verb)
    - iv) refers the whole participle phrase (the verb) (the verb)

Ex. 3 - Which is an independent participial phrase and past participle phrase?

1. is / app / usually / to / be / found / in / the / group / of / countries / from / gender / equality
2. is / app / usually / to / be / found / in / the / group / of / countries / from / gender / equality
3. is / app / usually / to / be / found / in / the / group / of / countries / from / gender / equality
4. is / app / usually / to / be / found / in / the / group / of / countries / from / gender / equality
5. is / app / usually / to / be / found / in / the / group / of / countries / from / gender / equality