

- _____ 5. It took almost eighteen days.
- _____ 6. Always trying to capture Kaw boys and girls during their endurance tests.
- _____ 7. Wasn't going to swallow a grasshopper, no matter what.
- _____ 8. A better place to sleep than under a pile of leaves.
- _____ 9. Mary was no longer frightened.
- _____ 10. Went into the woods and watched the animals and picked flowers.

EXERCISE 2

Understanding Sentences and Their Basic Parts

Some of the following groups of words are missing a subject or predicate or both. Tell what part is missing, and then revise the sentence to include the missing part. If the group of words contains a subject and a predicate and expresses a complete thought, write *sentence*.

EXAMPLE

Break the sound barrier. (subject missing; *Jets* break the sound barrier.)

- 1. Stood in the center of the dining room.

- 2. Faster than most other animals.

- 3. Performed in the center ring of the circus.

- 4. The sweaty children dived into the water.

- 5. Twelve sparkling jewels.

- 6. The cowhands and the herd of cattle.

- 7. We could see the game perfectly from our seats.

- 8. Everyone except Phil and Kevin.
