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Section A: Advanced Word Classes & Clauses

1. Identify the subject and the object in this sentence: The dog chased the ball.

2. Combine these two sentences using a subordinating conjunction: She was tired. She kept working.

3. Write a sentence containing a relative clause, a fronted adverbial, and correct use of a semi-colon.

4. What is the correct term for a word that modifies a noun? (Clue: it often comes before the noun.)

5. Explain the difference between a main clause and a subordinate clause, using an example.

Section B: Voice, Formality & Punctuation

1. Rewrite this in the passive voice, keeping the meaning the same: The council will repair the road next month.

2. Explain why writers sometimes choose the passive voice over the active voice.

3. Rewrite this informal sentence to make it formal: "Gonna be late, sorry!"

4. Add correct punctuation, including a colon and semi-colons, to this list: we need eggs milk and bread

5. Explain the difference between a colon and a semi-colon, with one example of each.

