

Independent and Dependent Clauses – Practice Worksheet

Name: _____

Instructions: Read each sentence carefully. Identify whether the underlined clause is an independent clause or a dependent clause. Then rewrite the sentence correctly, if needed.

1. Because I finished my homework

2. I stayed inside during recess

3. When the bell rang

4. She smiled at the audience

5. Although it was raining

6. We decided to keep playing

7. If you study carefully

8. You will improve your grades

9. While the movie was playing

10. The lights suddenly went out