

Clause:

A clause is a set of words containing a subject and a predicate.

Examples:

1. He plays cricket regularly.

Subject = He

Predicate = plays cricket regularly

2. He is a wise man.

Subject = He

Predicate = is a wise man

3. We ate.

Subject = We

Predicate = ate

4. The dog ran quickly.

Subject = The dog

Predicate = ran quickly

5. Wherever you want.

Subject = You

Predicate = want

6. Because I love to dance.

Subject = I

Predicate = love to dance

 **Clauses can be independent or complete like example no. 1,2,3,4.**

 **Or, Clauses can be dependent or incomplete like example no. 5 & 6.**

**** *Every complete sentence has at least one clause, many sentences have two or more clauses.**

Example:

- I never miss dance class. = One clause
- I never miss dance class because I love to dance. = Two clauses

[I never miss dance class because I love to dance]

1

2

Question:

1. Studies regularly
2. Likes flowers
3. Went home

Are these statement Clause? Why or Why not?

Types of Clause:

There are 2 types of clauses. They are:

1. Main/ Independent Clause
2. Subordinate/ Dependent Clause