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L-3 Sentences and their types (Ex 1,2 and 3)

In this lesson we will learn how to change a positive sentence into a negative sentence. (Statements and Commands)

1.Statements

Rule 1: Sentences which have is, am, are, was, were, has, have or had as the main verb ,are made negative by <u>just putting 'no' or 'not'</u> after the verb.

Examples

Positive Negative

Main verb

a)She <u>is</u> a good girl. - She is <u>not</u> a good girl.

Main verb

b) We <u>are</u> happy. - We are <u>not</u> happy.

Main verb

c) He <u>has</u> money. - He has <u>no</u> money.

Look, in the above examples, only one word (is, are, has) is used as verb for each sentence. So, to make them negative, we have only put no or not after the verb.

Now let's do Exercise 1

Positive Negative

1. He has some sense. - He has no sense.

2. She had a bungalow. - She had no bungalow.

3. They have an off day today. - They have no off day today.

4. We have food. - We have no food.

5. I am mad. - I am not mad.



Rule 2: When the verb is made up of two or more words, we put 'not' after the first verb, to make the sentence negative.

Examples

Negative Positive

(helping verb) (main verb)

- She can not help us. a)She can help us.

(helping verb) (main verb)

b) They were punished. - They were not punished.

(helping verb) (main verb)

taken the book. I have not taken the book. c) I have

(helping verb) (main verb)

d) He <u>is</u> He is <u>not</u> playing. playing.



She is not reading.

Look, in the above examples, two words (can and help, were and punished, have and taken, is and playing) are used as verb for each sentence. So, we have put 'not' after the first verb i.e can, were, have and is, to make them negative sentences.

Now let's do Exercise 2

Positive Negative

1.We are watching television. - We are not watching television.

2. You have done your work. - You have not done your work.

3. She can solve this sum. She cannot solve this sum.

4. You should take this medicine. - You should not take this medicine.

5. They will arrive tomorrow. — They will not arrive tomorrow.

2. Commands

Rule: Commands are made negative by putting '<u>Do</u> <u>not'</u> <u>in</u> <u>the</u> <u>beginning of the sentence</u>.

Examples

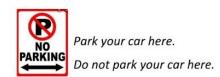
Positive Negative

a)Speak loudly. – <u>Do not</u> speak loudly.

b) Stop here. $-\underline{Do}$ not stop here.

c) Open the windows. – <u>Do not</u> open the windows.

d) Go outside. – <u>Do not go outside.</u>



Now let's do Exercise 3

Positive Negative

- 1. Open the door. Do not open the door.
- 2.Rohini has left. Rohini has not left.
- 3.Copy these sentences. Do not copy these sentences.
- 4. Ruble has been selected. Ruble has not been selected.
- 5. Discuss your problem with Somesh. Do not discuss your problem with Somesh.
- 6.My mother is preparing pizza. My mother is not preparing pizza.
- 7. The teacher is satisfied with your answer. The teacher is not satisfied with your answer.
 - 8. Cut the fruit. Do not cut the fruit.
 - 9. Your answer is correct. Your answer is not correct.
 - 10. They have class today. They have no class today.
 - 11. She is in the kitchen. She is not in the kitchen.

- 12. The river is flooded. The river is not flooded.
- 13. My mother is very strict. My mother is not very strict.
- 14. English is a difficult language. English is not a difficult language.
- 15. Watch this serial. Do not watch this serial.

Home work: Read the given work thoroughly and then do exercise 1 and 2 in your English Language book and exercise 3 in English Language copy.

