

Subject-Verb and Pronoun Agreement Quiz

A 1. Which sentence shows correct subject/verb agreement?

S	Is the subject S or P?	Is the verb S or P?	✓ or *	
a. The <u>governor</u> , as well as her advisors, is going to speak.	Governor S	is - S	✓	
b. An <u>elephant</u> with long tusks pose for the picture.	elephant S	pose P	x	poses
c. The <u>judge</u> , along with the jury members, are somber.	Judge S	are P	x	is
d. An <u>apple</u> with peanut butter make a tasty snack.	apple S	make P	x	makes

B 2. Which sentence shows correct subject/verb agreement?

a. <u>Mimi and Ginger</u> , my two hamsters, eats lettuce.	Mimi & Ginger P	eats S	x	eat
b. <u>Maomi Nye</u> , my favorite poet and essayist, lives in Texas.	Maomi Nye S	lives S	✓	
c. The <u>laundry basket</u> next to the pile of clothes are full of socks.	basket S	are P	x	is
d. <u>Glue sticks, pens, markers, and paper</u> was at the top of the supply list.	Glue pens paper P markers	was S	x	were

D 3. Which sentence shows correct subject/verb agreement?

a. <u>Many</u> of the animals at the Washington Zoo has been born there.	Many P	has S	x	have
b. The <u>largest</u> of the wolves are usually the leader of the pack.	largest S	are P	x	is
c. <u>Vince</u> , like most of the other freshmen, are riding a bus to school.	Vince S	are P	x	is
d. The <u>table</u> , which comes with four chairs, is in good condition.	table S	is S	✓	

D 4. Which sentence shows correct subject/verb agreement?

a. <u>Many</u> people, I was told by my mother, enjoys ketchup on their meat loaf.	Many P	enjoys S	x	enjoy
b. <u>Frida</u> , who performs in two different groups, play several instruments.	Frida S	play P	x	plays
c. The <u>farms</u> , which are in a remote part of the state, stretches for miles.	Farms P	stretches S	x	stretch
d. <u>Walter</u> , packing box after box of supplies, complains that he needs help.	Walter S	complains S	✓	

C 5. Which sentence shows correct subject/verb agreement?

a. <u>One</u> thing were remarkable in his appearance.	One S	Were P	x	was
b. The delicate <u>nerves</u> of one woman was so frazzled that she was forced to leave.	Nerves P	was S	x	were
c. The preacher steps into the room where the corpse was laid.	Preacher S	steps S	✓	
d. <u>Eating</u> well are a great way to lose weight.	Eating S	are P	x	is