### Complete and Incomplete Sentence Review

Study tonight for your Quiz tomorrow!

See the Weebly for resources.

# How can I tell if a sentence is complete?

Use The Four Step Formula!

1.Identify the verb (simple predicate).

2. Identify the do-er (simple subject).

3. Ask yourself, is it a complete thought? Is there essential information missing?

4. Is it a sentence? Yes or No

## 1. Identify the verb ( simple predicate).

•The verb is the action!

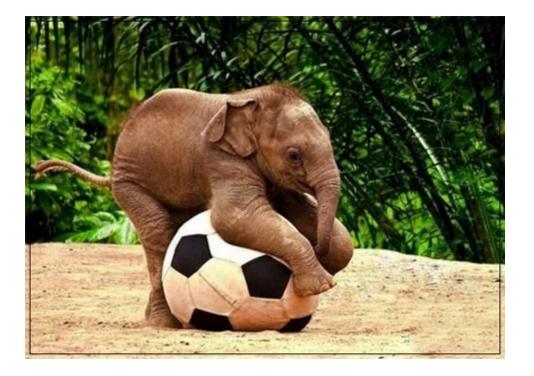
### What is our simple predicate in the following sentences?

<u>Tricky verbs:</u> is, was, are, were. States of being are verbs!

# 2. Identify the do-er (simple subject).

- The subject is the person, place, or thing (noun) that the sentence is about.
- This is the do-er. Who or what is doing the action?

### Identify the predicate!



The baby elephant practiced his soccer skills.

Identify the subject!

### Identify the predicate!



The double rainbows brightened the stormy, grey sky.



Albert and Ernest enjoyed their Halloween costumes.



#### Because they were waiting for treats.



#### Looking even more sad than usual.

My basset hounds have big personalities, they also have large ears.





Trotted around the house to show off their costumes.



#### The sound basset hounds make when they howl.

### Albert, Ernest, and Miss Lehman would like you to study tonight!



Use the quizzes on the <u>Weebly</u> and study your <u>notes</u> and <u>Bell Ringers</u> from class!

**\*\*** I have added more to help you identify incomplete sentences!

### Fall Paragraph

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