**Identifying Action Verbs and Subjects 2C-F Name:**

**Directions:**  Mark each verb with a ***V***. Mark each subject with an ***S***.

1. The ant climbed the hill.
2. Jesse shot a basket.
3. Jesse won the game.
4. The people cheered loudly.
5. Karen thought deeply.
6. Katie has shoes.
7. Sometimes she wears them.
8. I chew crayons.
9. He needs some help.
10. Jim drives the car.
11. I like skiing.
12. Mike hates the movie.

**Actions Verbs and Subjects (The challenge!) Name:**

**Subject—**the who or what the sentence is mostly about; what or who is doing the action. A subject must be a noun or pronoun.

**Action verb--**a word that shows an action.

**Direction object--** The person or thing that is being acted upon; the person or thing that receives an action. To find a direct object, ask yourself *who* or *what*? Hint: The direct object must be a noun or pronoun BUT not every sentence has a direct object.

**Example:**

Bo threw the cat.

What did Bo throw? The cat!

*Cat* is the direct object.

**Indirect object--** Who or what receives the direct object. You can find an indirect object by asking *to who* or *for whom*? Or *to what* or *for what*? Hints: Not all sentences have an indirect object, but if they do, they come after the verb and before the direct object.

**Example:**

Bo threw Timmy the cat.

To whom was the cat thrown? To Timmy!

*Timmy* is the indirect object.

**Directions:** Mark subjects with an ***S***, verbs with a ***V***, direct objects with a ***DO*** and indirect objects with an ***ID.*** Hint: all sentences will have a subject and verb, but not all will have a direct object and/or indirect object.

1. Mike fell.
2. Mike needed stitches.
3. Helga likes singing.
4. Helga sings a song.
5. People leave the room.
6. The children play soccer.
7. The boy kicked the girl the ball.
8. The girl flattened the ball.
9. My teacher read me the book.
10. I closed my eyes.
11. I snored very loudly.
12. She gave him a brand new car.
13. Somehow Timmy lost the car.
14. Mike saved his friend some cake.
15. His sister ate the cake.

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