

INTRANSITIVE VERB

An intransitive verb is a verb that applies to finding the subject or aim of the event without a direct object, which is a pronoun, noun, or noun phrase. An intransitive verb is one whose meaning can be expressed without the aid of an object.

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Q1: Which of the following best defines an intransitive verb?

- A: A transitive verb is followed by an object
 - B: An intransitive verb is followed by an object.
 - C: An intransitive verb is not followed by an object.
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Q2: Which of the following is an example of an intransitive verb?

- A: Sarah laughed.
 - B: An apple is eaten by Arujun.
 - C: He was caught stealing an apple.
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Q3: Which of the following is an example of an intransitive verb phrase?

- A: The cake was cut by them.
 - B: They didn't climb the rope.
 - C: Aparna is telephoned by Murali.
 - D: I was lying down and fell asleep
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Q4: Choose a sentence that does not have an intransitive verb.

- A: The caller is answering the customer.
 - B: The caller is answering now.
 - C: He sleeps too much.
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Q5: Choose a sentence that does not have an intransitive verb.

- A: The boy is buying it this evening.
 - B: The boy is buying cakes.
 - C: They were laughing all day long.
 - D: She laughed at the joke.
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Q6: Choose a sentence that does not have an intransitive verb.

- A: I walk.
 - B: The child poops.
 - C: I saw a song.
 - D: She cries.
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Q7: Choose a sentence that does not have a transitive verb.

- A: The star shines.
 - B: I killed a cat.
 - C: I stole the boxes.
 - D: I recited a paragraph.
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Q8: Identify the sentence below that correctly uses an intransitive verb.

- A: The actresses loudly rehearse their lines backstage.
 - B: The group waited patiently, but Das never arrived.
 - C: The principal told the students to be active.
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Q9: Identify which sentence below correctly uses an intransitive verb.

- A: The airplane pilots gave a booklet to the passengers.
 - B: The pilots answered queries from the passengers.
 - C: The pilots are coming immediately.
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Q10: Which of the following sentences has an intransitive verb?

- A: The purr sound is made by the cat
 - B: The canary sings sweetly.
 - C: The actor buys a watch.
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Answers

Q1: C - An intransitive verb is not followed by an object.

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