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Fragments				
7.	ence; it does not express a complete thought. eader "hanging," wondering exactly what the writer			
fragment leaves you with. A few	ving fragments, write down the question that the vexamples have been done for you. Note: There question that comes up for some fragments.			
Examples: After he left for school.	What happened (after he left for school)?			
Spilled milk on the table.	Who (spilled milk on the table)?			
1. When she left her room.				
2. Although he knew he needed	help.			
3. Since I turned fifteen.				
4. The black and white cat.				
5. Racing to the house.				
6. Unless you bring your lunch.				
7. Until you call home.				
8. During the afternoon.				
9 Recause he was older than m	ne.			

10. Which he brought from home.

12. Because of the weather.

15. Since it was a Thursday.

14. Her final answer.

13. Since my mom was so angry.

11. Screaming at the top of her lungs.

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Complete Sentences

Since a fragment is only part of a sentence and does not express a complete thought, it is important that we know how to fix fragments to make them complete sentences. To make a fragment a complete sentence, you will need to answer the question the fragment left you with. Using the worksheet and your answers on page 31, you will add to each fragment to make complete sentences.

Directions: For each of the following fragments, use the worksheet and your answers on page 31 to make the fragment a complete sentence. A few examples have been done for you. Note: There are many ways you can make a sentence complete. Sometimes you will add to the end of the fragment; sometimes you will add to the beginning. As long as you answer the question the fragment left you with, you will have a complete sentence!

Examples:

After he left for school	he realized that he forgot his backpack.
The baby cried when he	spilled milk on the table.
1. When she left her room	
2. Although he knew he needed help	
3. Since I turned fifteen	
4	the black and white cat.
5. Racing to the house	
6	unless you bring your lunch.
7	until you call home.
8	during the afternoon.
9. Because he was older than me	
10	which he brought from home.
11. Screaming at the top of her lungs	
12	because of the weather.
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Punctuating Sentences I		
Now that you have worked with both fragments at that your sentences are punctuated so that they m		
Commas (,) are <i>sentence separators</i> , and for this <i>separate</i> many of your fragments from the rest of		
To know when to insert commas, you will need to they have been divided on page 32. If <i>one</i> part of it needs a comma. If <i>both</i> parts of the sentence ar need a comma.	the sentence is NOT a fragment, then	
 Here is an easy way to remember this rule: 1 fragment = comma More than 1 fragment ≠ comma 		
Directions: Use the lines below to copy your senter sentence part, write whether the phrase is a fragm above to decide whether your sentences must use to separate your sentence, write a comma in the b fragment, use a comma; if there is more than 1 fragment the box blank. Some examples have been do	nent or complete. Use the comma rule a comma. If a comma should be used ox provided. Remember, if there is 1 agment, do not use a comma, and	
Examples: [fragment] After he left for school , he realized that he for	- -	
(Notice that there is ONE fragment and one comple Therefore, a comma has been added.)	ete phrase in the example above.	
[fragment] The baby cried when he spilled milk on the	table.	
(Notice that there are two fragments in the examp added.)	le above. Therefore, no comma was	
1. When she left her room		

2. Although he knew he needed help

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3. Since I turned fifteen	
4	the black and white cat.
5. Racing to the house	
6	unless you bring your lunch.
7	until you call home.
8	during the afternoon.
9. Because he was older than me	
10	which he brought from home.
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