The **subject** of a sentence tells who or what the sentence is about. The **predicate** of a sentence tells what the subject does or is.

**example:** The woman with the green hat ate lunch.

The woman with the green hat is the subject, and ate lunch is the predicate.

Draw one line under the subject of each sentence.  
Draw two lines under the predicate of each sentence.

6. Malcom is a very thoughtful person.

7. The seagull’s feathers were white.

8. The moon shines down on the water.

9. The bicycle’s back tire needed air.

10. Bart, Mike, and Jim went bowling.

11. The fire truck sirens were very loud.

12. The giant oak tree is over a hundred years old.
Subjects & Predicates

Add a predicate to each sentence below.

13. The police officer ________________________________________________________________.

14. The boat captain ________________________________________________________________.

15. The rusty old car ________________________________________________________________.

18. _____________________________________________________ was singing a cheerful song.

19. _____________________________________________________ made a creaking sound.

20. _____________________________________________________ was old and dusty.

21. _____________________________________________________ wouldn’t eat her dinner.

22. _____________________________________________________ is the best restaurant in town.
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1. Three pelicans flew over the beach.
2. The children built a sandcastle.
3. Ben played chess with Alex.
4. Everyone in the stadium watched the game.
5. The microwave beeped.
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Note: Answers will vary for the second page.