

Road Branch Elementary & Middle School

NTID/SNOW PACKET

RESOURCE CLASS

MRS. POWERS

4TH ELA

DAY 5

Complete Subjects and Predicates

The subject of a sentence tells whom or what the sentence is about. All the words that name the person or thing the sentence is about make up the **complete subject**. All the words that tell what the subject of the sentence is or does is the **complete predicate**.

**complete
subject**

**complete
predicate**

The new pet shop had many kinds of animals.

A dog that was whining became quiet when I picked him up.

Thinking Questions

Which words tell whom or what the sentence is about? What are all the words that tell what the subject does or is?

In each sentence, underline the complete subject and circle the complete predicate.

1. All the pets on our block are well behaved.
2. It is always fun to watch them play.
3. One little dog likes to chase sticks.
4. He scampers across Mrs. Parker's broad lawn.
5. Dr. James Moore owns a large German shepherd.
6. Dr. Moore's two daughters walk the dog every day.
7. The park down the street is a popular place for pets.
8. We often see the same dogs and people there every day.
9. My dog once saw a squirrel and ran away from me.
10. A girl who was jogging caught my dog before he got far.
11. I always wave hello to her now.
12. We make friends when we walk our dogs.