Term: “Simple Sentences”

Definition:

A simple sentence, also called an independent clause, contains a subject and a verb, and it expresses a complete thought. Simple sentences can also contain a compound subject or verb.

A. Juan and Arturo play football every afternoon. B. Alicia goes to the library and studies every day.

ANALYSIS: Note that sentence A contains a compound subject, and sentence B contains a compound verb, but both are still simple sentences.