# PENANG SANGAM HIGH SCHOOL YEAR 12 ENGLISH WORKSHEET 11

Strand	WRITING AND SHAPING
Sub strand	3.2LANGUAGE FEATURES AND RULES EN12.3.2.1
Contentlearningoutcome	Select and use appropriate vocabulary, figurative and idiomatic expressions, linking devices and sentence structures to effectively convey meaningful information.

#### A. SENTENCE TYPE

#### Identify whether the given sentences are simple, complex or compound.

- 1. At no time was she aware of what was happening.
- 2. She sat facing me across the table.
- 3. Always check the oil before you start the car.
- 4. He worked hard but he could not pass the exam.

## **B.** CONFUSED PAIRS

# Choose the correct word from the pair given in the brackets to complete the sentences given below.

- 1. Robin Hood is said to have lived during the ..... (reigns/ reins) of King Richard Lionheart and King John.
- 2. The invaders ...... (ravished/ ravaged) the countryside.
- 3. The minister's ..... (aid/ aide) said that there was nothing to worry about.

# **B. SUBJECT - VERB AGREEMENT**

### Correctly apply subject verb agreement rule to the verbs in the brackets

- 1. My mentor and benefactor ..... (is/ are) no more.
- 2. Neither Rahul nor Rohan ...... (has/have) passed the exam.
- 3. Either Peter or James ...... (has/have) left his umbrella in the classroom.

## D. CONNECTIVES

#### Select the best option from the table given

Although	Should be	To see	In spite of
On seeing	Despite	However	be

- 1. ..... there are stringent antidrug laws, drug peddlers persist in selling narcotics.
- 2. ..... my request for support, he did nothing.
- 3. He insisted ..... his attorney.
- 4. I recommend that the highway ..... moved to another area.

#### E. PREFIXES

#### Provide a suitable prefix for the words given below

- a. Freeze \_\_\_\_\_
- b. Turn \_\_\_\_\_
- c. Field \_\_\_\_\_