

Intransitive Verbs Quiz

English Grammar · Answer Key · 10 Questions

1. What is an intransitive verb?

- A) A verb that always has a direct object.
- B) An action verb that does not pass its action to a direct object.**
- C) A verb that describes a state of being.
- D) A verb that connects a subject to a noun or adjective.

2. In the sentence 'The student laughed,' is 'laughed' an intransitive verb?

- A) Yes**
- B) No
- C) Maybe
- D) Uncertain

3. In the sentence 'The rain fell,' does 'fell' have a direct object receiving the action?

- A) Yes
- B) No**
- C) It has an indirect object.
- D) It has a predicate nominative.

4. Identify the intransitive verb in the following sentence: 'The dog barked loudly.'

- A) dog
- B) barked**
- C) loudly
- D) The

5. Which sentence contains an intransitive verb?

- A) She slept on the cozy sofa.**
- B) He read the book.
- C) They built a house.
- D) We ate pizza.

6. In the sentence 'The birds flew away during the storm,' identify the intransitive verb.

- A) birds
- B) flew**
- C) away
- D) storm

7. Are intransitive verbs followed by a direct object?

A) Yes, always.

B) No, never.

C) Sometimes.

D) Only if the object is a pronoun.

8. Which of these verbs is typically intransitive?

A) give

B) send

C) arrive

D) write

9. Does the sentence need a direct object for an intransitive verb to be complete?

A) Yes, it's required.

B) No, the sentence is complete without one.

C) Only if the subject is singular.

D) Only if the verb is in the past tense.

10. In the example 'the student laughed', what questions can be asked about the verb 'laughed' to determine if it's intransitive?

A) Laughed what? Laughed who?

B) Who laughed? When did they laugh?

C) What did they laugh at? Where did they laugh?

D) Why did they laugh? How did they laugh?