

► Underline the simple subjects once. Underline the verbs twice. If the verb is a linking verb, draw an arrow linking the subject with the predicate noun or predicate adjective.

1. Victoria was queen of England from 1837 to 1901.
2. She had the longest reign of any British monarch.
3. She inherited the throne at age eighteen.
4. By that time, England was a constitutional monarchy.
5. Great Britain was a powerful empire during her reign.
6. Victoria married Prince Alfred at age twenty.
7. She was kind to her family.
8. Alfred shared her values.
9. Together they raised nine children.
10. They had concern for the welfare of the lower classes.



► Write the simple subject and verb on each diagram. Draw a vertical line to separate the subject and the verb. If the verb is a linking verb, draw a slanted line and write the predicate adjective or predicate noun.

11. London was a busy city in the 1850s.

12. The city smelled terrible.

13. Many people lived in poverty.

14. Conditions improved gradually during the 1800s.
