

EXERCISE 19-1 Sentence Fragments

Repair any fragment by attaching it to a nearby sentence or by rewriting it as a complete sentence. If a word group is correct, write "correct" after it. Example:

One Greek island that should not be missed is Mykonos, ^a ~~A~~ vacation spot for Europeans and a playpen for the rich.

- a. The shock of bereavement is often followed by a succession of emotions. Denial, sorrow, anger, despair, guilt, remorse, and longing.
 - b. Cortés and his soldiers were astonished when they looked down from the mountains and saw Tenochtitlán. The magnificent capital of the Aztecs.
 - c. Although my spoken Spanish is not very good. I can read the language with ease.
 - d. There are several reasons for not eating meat. One reason being that dangerous chemicals are used throughout the various stages of meat production.
 - e. To give my family a comfortable, secure home life. That is my most important goal.
1. The panther lay quite motionless behind the rock. Waiting silently for its prey.
 2. Mother loved to play all our favorite games. Canasta, Monopoly, hide-and-seek, and even kick-the-can.
 3. With machetes, the explorers cut their way through the tall grasses to the edge of the canyon. Then they began to lay out the tapes for the survey.
 4. The geologists were interested in visiting the Seychelles. The only midocean islands in the world that are formed of granite.
 5. If a woman from the desert tribe showed anger toward her husband, she was whipped in front of the whole village. And shunned by the rest of the women.