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### Completing Dependent Clauses Worksheet

A clause is a group of words that contains a verb and its subject.

There are two kinds of clauses, *independent* and *dependent*.

An **independent clause** expresses a complete thought and can stand by itself as a sentence.

A **dependent clause** does not express a complete thought and cannot stand alone as a sentence.

Directions: Complete each dependent clause below by adding words to make it an independent clause.

*Example A: Unless you have the right size, \_\_\_\_\_.*

*Answer: Unless you have the right size, do not try it on.*

1. When my father arrives, \_\_\_\_\_.

2. Until the sun sets, \_\_\_\_\_.

3. Whenever you come to visit, \_\_\_\_\_.

4. No matter how you look at it, \_\_\_\_\_.

5. If you work on Mondays, \_\_\_\_\_.

6. Since I don't have money, \_\_\_\_\_.

7. While the flowers bloom, \_\_\_\_\_.

8. Until my mother comes home, \_\_\_\_\_.

9. Before the food gets cold, \_\_\_\_\_.