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Adverbial Clauses

Directions: Underline the adverbial clause in each sentence and then circle the AAAWWUBBIS word. If the clause begins the sentence, add a comma to separate the dependent clause (the adverbial clause) from the independent clause. Remember that no comma is needed when the dependent clause comes at the end of the sentence. For clarification, look at the examples below

- 1. <u>After I had proofread my paper</u>, I fixed the corrections.
- 2. You and your brother may come with us if you want to.
- 3. After we leave for school Mom works on her new novel.
- 4. James skied the advanced slope as if he were an expert.
- 5. If you've ever wanted to step into the past you'll like this museum.
- 6. Because crepes are delicious Joy makes them on special occasions.
- 7. While going to sleep some babies like to listen to classical music.
- 8. If you use a computer to write compositions you can easily experiment with different sentence structures.
- 9. Because Mohandas K. Gandhi led India to independence from Britain there are many pictures of him in the newspapers during the first half of the twentieth century.
- 10. Gandhi took his spinning wheel wherever he went.
- 11. He took his spinning wheel with him because he viewed it as a symbol of the peaceful Indian lifestyle.
- 12. So they would not have to depend on British industry Gandhi tried to encourage the Indian people to make their own clothes.
- 13. As a form of protest Gandhi led marches or fasted until the government met his requests.
- 14. Though Gandhi's methods were nonviolent he received a lot of media attention.
- 15. As India's Congress and people supported Gandhi's nonviolent program the British government was forced to listen.
- 16. Gandhi was well qualified to represent India as a diplomat since he had studied law in London before he became involved in India's freedom movement.
- 17. After independence was assured Gandhi turned his attention to helping India's poor people.
- 18. Because he was loved throughout India and the world Gandhi was called Mahatma or "Great Soul."