**Extra Practice: Theme 3 Grammar**

**Review Sentence Combining**

Find sentences in the paragraph below with repetitive subjects or predicates. Then rewrite the paragraph, combining sentences to make them less repetitive and to eliminate any fragments.

**Every Thursday I go to my grandma’s house. Because my mother works late on Thursdays. My grandma’s house is cluttered. She has lots of photographs. She owns many books, too. It’s very messy. It’s also cozy. I like to look at the old family photos. My grandma also likes to look at old family photos. I like to learn about family history.**

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**Complex Sentences**

Create three of your own complex sentences, using the following subordinate conjunctions: *because, if, when, while, though, before, since*. Once you write your sentence, circle the independent clauses and underline the dependent clause.

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**Sentence Types**

Correctly place the punctuation in the paragraph. Then, on the lines below, tell what type of sentence each sentence in the paragraph is.

**(1) It was awful\_\_\_ (2) Gabriela had forgotten her mother’s birthday\_\_\_ (3) “What should I do\_\_\_” she asked. (4) She had never forgotten her mother’s birthday before \_\_\_ (5) She walked home from school sadly \_\_\_ (6) She passed some flowers growing by the side of the road \_\_\_ (7) “Look at that \_\_\_” she cried. (8) Beautiful tiger lilies were growing next to a tree \_\_\_ (9) She picked the flowers \_\_\_ (10) When she got home, she put the flowers in a vase and gave them to her mother \_\_\_**

(1) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

(2) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

(3) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

(4) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

(5) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

(6) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

(7) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

(8) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

(9) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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