**Phrase (P), Dependent Clause (DC), Independent Clause (IC)**

**Practice #1**

Tell whether the following groups of words are Phrases, Dependent Clauses (DC) or Independent Clauses. A phrase (P) cannot stand only and does not have a S/V combo. A dependent clause (DC) will have a S/V combo but couldn’t be a sentence (hints to know this one are when the sentence starts with “because” or “while” or “after”). An independent clause (IC) is a sentence with a S/V combo and you can put punctuation at the end.

**REMINDER: S/V Pair End Punctuation**

**Phrases *no no***

**Dependent Clause *yes* *no***

**Independent Clause: *yes yes***

Practice Below: Identify whether each is a Phrase (P), Dependent Clause (DC), or Independent Clause (IC)

1. \_\_\_\_\_we chose one way

2. \_\_\_\_\_with a variety of steps

3. \_\_\_\_\_whenever Angelo gets to school

4. \_\_\_\_\_stuck to his face

5. \_\_\_\_\_escaped through a hole in the fence

6. \_\_\_\_\_because she never knew his name

7. \_\_\_\_\_which I had mailed

8. \_\_\_\_\_forgetting about him was easy

9. \_\_\_\_\_ hoped to be rescued

10. \_\_\_\_\_figure that one out