**SIMPLE (S), COMPLEX (CX), COMPOUND (CPS), COMPOUND-COMPLEX (CPD-CX) Practice**

**Directions**: Identify each of the following word groups as simple (S), complex (CX), compound (CPD), or compound complex (CPD-CX).

1. \_\_\_\_ I blew in his face and ran.

2. \_\_\_\_ I learned that move in a personal self-defense course.

3. \_\_\_\_ No one else wants to be near me either, but I've never been mugged.

4. \_\_\_\_ The Bulls lost, and the Bears won.

5. \_\_\_\_ Because his crying was so loud, I developed a headache, and I had to take some aspirin.

6. \_\_\_\_ The young man slipped and fell into a puddle.

7. \_\_\_\_ You can wear that sweater; you better not eat it.

8. \_\_\_\_ Before I went to the store, I took a 2 hour nap.

9. \_\_\_\_ I love pizza; I also love wings, and I could eat them every day.

10. \_\_\_\_ The girl hopped the fence because she was being chased.

11. \_\_\_\_ This is the final practice exercise, so you better know it by now.

12. \_\_\_\_ I took the baton and ran like the wind.

13. \_\_\_\_ He gave me his hat, and I held it in the air because I really liked it.

14. \_\_\_\_ Go the restroom now!

15. \_\_\_\_ He ran into the woods, and he got lost.