



## SUBJECT & PREDICATE MATCH

PRODUCT CODE: **360**

### PRODUCT CONTENTS

MANIPULATIVES: 18 pages – 15 sets  
and answer keys  
6 pages of teacher information

### SKILL DEVELOPMENT

All sets or cards in Reading Manipulatives products are different. Once students are introduced to the skills and shown how to do the activity, they work independently. The individualized materials can be used for seatwork or stations. Students work on needed skills, and teachers are freed for instruction.

### MATERIALS PREPARATION

PDF pages are designed to be printed on 8.5 x 11 inch sheets. Cover-weight paper in a variety of colors is available at office supply stores or online. Lamination is recommended.

There are 15 sets of Subject & Predicate Match manipulatives. Each 15 set contains 10 subjects and 10 predicates. The student must first identify the subjects (the part of the sentence about which something is told) and the predicates (the part that tells something about the subject), sorting the cards into two groups. Since initial capitalization and final punctuation would be signals, these are omitted. Next the subjects are matched to the predicates to form sentences. Students see how the two parts of each sentence communicate a complete thought.

Matching subjects to predicates clarifies these sentence components and helps students to identify and write complete sentences and to avoid run-on sentences.

### ANSWER KEYS & STUDENT CHECKLISTS

Answer keys are provided because active involvement builds accountability. When done thoughtfully, students learn from checking their work and analyzing any errors. Checklists for tracking the materials that have been completed are important for recordkeeping. The last page of this guide is a master for student checklists that can be copied and cut.

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# 360 SUBJECT & PREDICATE MATCH – 15 SETS OF 10

the koala, anteater, and sea horse all	have pouches
the galaxy we live in	is called the Milky Way
Mickey Mouse	was Walt Disney's first cartoon character
the largest island in the world	is Greenland
the human tongue	has 9000 taste buds on it
the Pacific Ocean's deepest point	is seven miles down
more Indians	live in Arizona than any other state
the country of China	has the largest population in the world
the acid in lemons	makes that fruit taste sour
in India, the cow	is considered sacred and cannot be killed

## Subject & Predicate Match SP-1

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## ANSWER KEY

### WORKING SUBJECT & PREDICATE MATCH

Students must first identify the subjects (the part of the sentence about which something is told) and the predicates (the part that tells something about the subject). Initial capitalization and final punctuation would be signals, so these are omitted. Students then match the subjects to the predicates, forming sentences that communicate a complete thought.

Each of the 15 sets has 10 subjects and 10 predicates. Sentences contain facts and trivia.

### SUBJECT & PREDICATE MATCH

SP-1 \_\_\_\_\_ SP-6 \_\_\_\_\_ SP-11 \_\_\_\_\_

SP-2 \_\_\_\_\_ SP-7 \_\_\_\_\_ SP-12 \_\_\_\_\_

SP-3 \_\_\_\_\_ SP-8 \_\_\_\_\_ SP-13 \_\_\_\_\_

SP-4 \_\_\_\_\_ SP-9 \_\_\_\_\_ SP-14 \_\_\_\_\_

SP-5 \_\_\_\_\_ SP-10 \_\_\_\_\_ SP-15 \_\_\_\_\_

## STUDENT CHECKLIST

layers of air in the atmosphere

SP-15

make stars appear to twinkle

SP-15

a Portuguese man-of-war

SP-15

is a huge jellyfish with poisonous stingers

SP-15

the peacock

SP-15

spreads his beautiful tail to encourage  
the peahen to breed with him

SP-15

when the blood supply to the brain  
gets too low, people

SP-15

may faint or lose consciousness

SP-15

the largest state, Alaska,

SP-15

is 500 times bigger than the  
smallest state, Rhode Island

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John Wesley Powell, who led the first boat  
trip down Grand Canyon's Colorado River,

SP-15

had only one arm and  
weighed a scant 100 pounds

SP-15

Sputnik, the first man-made satellite  
to orbit Earth,

SP-15

was launched by Russia  
on September 4, 1957

SP-15

the fearsome, 10-foot-long Komodo dragon

SP-15

is an Indonesian lizard

SP-15

during the winter months, worms

SP-15

survive and crawl around  
below the freeze level in the ground

SP-15

when you blow in a dog's ear, the sound

SP-15

is at a frequency that is quite irritating

SP-15