

## Participle Clauses Worksheet 2

### Exercise 1: Conversation (Using Participle Clauses)

**Instructions:** Complete the dialogue by **filling in the gaps** with an appropriate **participle clause**.

- ◆ **Tom:** What happened at the meeting?
  - ◆ **Anna:** It was really productive! \_\_\_\_\_ (discuss) the budget, we agreed on some cost-saving measures.
  - ◆ **Tom:** That's great! \_\_\_\_\_ (approve) by the board, when will the plan be implemented?
  - ◆ **Anna:** Next month. \_\_\_\_\_ (finish) our review, we'll start training employees.
  - ◆ **Tom:** I see. \_\_\_\_\_ (lead) the team, you must be really busy.
  - ◆ **Anna:** Absolutely! \_\_\_\_\_ (work) on this project for weeks, I need a break.
  - ◆ **Tom:** I understand. \_\_\_\_\_ (complete) all your reports, maybe you can take a short holiday.
  - ◆ **Anna:** That's the plan!
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### Exercise 2: Sentence Transformation (Rewriting Sentences Using Participle Clauses)

**Instructions:** Rewrite the sentences below using a **participle clause** instead of a full clause.

1. Since he knew the answer, he raised his hand.  
→ \_\_\_\_\_.
2. Because she had already eaten, she wasn't hungry.  
→ \_\_\_\_\_.
3. While he was reading a book, he drank some tea.  
→ \_\_\_\_\_.
4. The house, which was built in 1920, needs renovation.  
→ \_\_\_\_\_.
5. After he had won the lottery, he bought a mansion.  
→ \_\_\_\_\_.

6. As she had studied all night, she was exhausted.  
→ \_\_\_\_\_.
7. The documents, which were signed yesterday, are now valid.  
→ \_\_\_\_\_.
8. While I was waiting for the bus, I checked my phone.  
→ \_\_\_\_\_.
9. Since she was not feeling well, she left the party early.  
→ \_\_\_\_\_.
10. After he had finished his work, he went home.  
→ \_\_\_\_\_.
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 **Bonus: Optional Writing Task** **Title: A Busy Day – Using Participle Clauses**

**Instructions:** Write a **short narrative (150-200 words)** about a **busy day**. Use at least **five participle clauses** to describe actions happening **before, after, or during** events.

 **Example Starter:**

*"Waking up late, I rushed to the office without breakfast. Having forgotten my umbrella, I got soaked in the rain. While waiting for the bus, I checked my emails. Completed on time, my report was well received. Having worked all day, I finally relaxed with a book in the evening."*