

Practice A:

Circle the verb and underline the subject in each of the sentences below. Keep in mind that the sentences may have a compound subject or verb. If the verb agrees with the subject, write a plus (+) sign at the end of the sentence. If the verb does not agree with the subject, cross it out and correct it.

1. One of Roald Dahl's most famous short stories are "Poison."
2. Neither the doctor nor Timber are expecting Harry's hateful outburst.
3. Everybody in Harry's room face fear of some kind.
4. The surprises in this story leave me with some puzzling questions.
5. Only a few characters appears in the story.
6. Key conflicts in "Poison" shows up throughout the story.
7. Which of these prove to be more harmful—the venom of the snake or the poison of Harry's hateful remarks?