

# SAT Language Annotating

Part 1: 1-2 days

Using the last 10 questions of [SAT Writing Tips](#) or any collection of 10 SAT language questions, students will go through each question slowly writing down the following on binder paper.

Subject:

Verb:

Object:

Pronoun/Antecedent:

Adverb/Verb:

Adjective/Noun:

Parenthetical Phrases:

Answer to Question:

Why?

In teams of 2-3, students will be responsible for presenting their results to the whole group so that the class can learn from these experts.

Day 3: Presentations

During the presentations, encourage students in audience to pause and ask questions for clarifications. They will all be taking a quiz the next day

Day 4: Quiz for 50 minutes

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Name: \_\_\_\_\_

## SAT Annotating Quiz

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\_\_\_\_\_ A B  
were burnt and overdone, while others were raw and runny. No Error  
C D E

S:

V:

O:

Adv & v :

Adj & n :

Pro & ant :

P.P. :

Answer:

Why?

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- C. There was an overload of important cases in the office, which was rapidly creating stress among the employees.
- D. An overload of important cases in the office were rapidly creating stress among the employees.

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Answer:

Why?

Name: \_\_KEY\_\_

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S: **Megan's cupcakes**

V: **baked**

O: **N/A**

Adv & v : **uneven(ly) / baked  
Properly / heat up**

Adj & n : **burn, overdone cupcakes** Pro & ant : **others/  
cupcakes**

P.P. : **Because the ...properly**

Answer: **B**

Why? **Unevenly is the proper adverb for the verb baked**

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S: **There**

V: **were**

O: **an overload**

Adv & v : **rapidly / creating**

Adj & n : **important / cases**

Pro & ant : **N/A**

P.P. : **which was creating...employees**

Answer: **C**

Why? **"An overload" is singular, and "were" is plural. "Was" is the appropriate singular version**

