Subject & Predicate Practice

The subject is the person, place, or thing that is being described. The predicate tells something about the subject.

Example: Sarah skipped along the road to school.

Directions: In the sentences below, underline the subjects. Circle the predicates.

- 1. Jim Hawkins carefully unfolded the map to Treasure Island.
- 2. Ebenezer Scrooge roared "Bah, humbug!" at the solicitors at his door.
- 3. Aladdin asked the Genie for a shiny red Corvette.
- 4. Snow White sent the Seven Dwarves to timeout for tracking mud into the room.
- 5. Everyone cheered as the band of scary clowns left the party.
- 6. Tarzan built a tree house in the forest for Jane.
- 7. The natives agreed that building a fire in an igloo wasn't a very good idea.
- 8. Franklin the dog enjoys sky diving, sumo wrestling, and long walks on the beach.
- 9. Sam threw the paper airplane through the classroom.
- 10. The hairy old cat scratched his claws along the new leather couch.
- 11. The pumpkin grew and grew until it was the size of our barn.
- 12. Santa Claus got lost on the way from the North Pole to New York.
- 13. Everyone likes the chocolate fountain in the town square.
- 14. The dolphin pushed the shark away with his nose.
- 15. The fruit bat gobbled up all the strawberries.
- 16. The hamburger patty tasted as though it was made from a really old cow.