

Error Complex verb group Subordinate clause

General description

Error (24 times)

Inappropriate verb form: 8 times (I haven't *see* before; I have *travel*; I have *learn*; I *living* in; I love to *reading*; I *seeing*; I would like to go *travel*; when *travel*)

Subject-verb agreement: 3 times (it's *let* me; It's *made* me think, it's *make* me feel)

Singular/ plural nouns forms: 4 times (Chinese *Educatations*; some *method*; reading *book*; free *times*) Inappropriate article: 2 times (watch *the* movie; *many* Chinese culture)

Inappropriate tense: 2 times (When I'm a child; I usually *go*)

Causative verbs: 2 times (let them *to* learn; let me *to* relax)

Missing article: 1 time (When I'm ^child)

Missing verb: 1 time (I would like to ^hiking)

Redundant article: 1 time

Complex verb group (1 time)

Present Continuous: 1 time (I'm reading)

Subordinate clause (16 times)

Adverbial clause: 13 times

Relative clause: 3 times

The Education University of Hong Kong

E-Examiner S-Student

E: Okay. First of all, I'd like to ask you some questions about yourself. Let's talk about what you do. Do you work or are you a student?

S: I'm still a student and learning in Hong Kong U Educ, the Education University of Hong Kong.

E: What subject do you study?

S: I study in ~~the~~ Chinese Educations.
[Chinese Education]

E: Why?

S: **Because I would like to be a teacher in the future** and I'll enjoy the ... the ... the pro, the
[SUB-adverbial clause]

progress of the teaching.

E: Why?

S: When I had the ... **when I talk with the student**, I feel very ... I enjoy this moment **because the student can learn some knowledge in my course** and, and then I can think some **method** to let them ~~to~~ learn something **they don't know**.

[SUB-adverbial clause] [SUB-adverbial clause]
[methods]
[SUB-relative clause]

E: Thank you. Let's talk about free time activities now. What do you like to do in your free time?

S: I love it. I love **to reading book** in my free **times** or in some ... in weekend I would like to do some physical exercise such as running **because I enjoy running**, **it's let** me ~~to~~ relax in my, after my da, daily work.

[reading/ to read] [books] [time]
[SUB-adverbial clause] [it lets]

E: Do you prefer to spend most of your free time indoors or outdoors?

S: Art, artworks.

E: Why?

S: Because I enjoy the art, artworks **because it's made me think a lot about what is beautiful**.

[SUB-adverbial clause] [it makes] [SUB-noun clause]

When I'm reading or **when I ^seeing** some pictures in the museum, I feel relax and I, and I would like to ... I enjoy this moment **because it's make me feel relax** and quiet ... feel quiet.

[SUB-adverbial clause] [CVG-Present continuous] [SUB-adverbial clause] [am]
[SUB-adverbial clause] [it makes]

[SUB-adverbial clause] [it makes]

E: What did you like to do in your free time when you were a child?

S: **When I'm ^child**, I usually **go** to the McDonald's to eat some ... eat the chips, and, and then I would like to **^hiking** with my grandpa.

[SUB-adverbial clause] [was] [a child] [went]
[go hiking]

E: What do you plan to do in your free time this weekend?

S: This weekend? I would, I will, I will go to watching, I will going, I will go to watch **the**
[a]
movie.

E: Let's talk about travel. Do you like to travel?

S: I love to travel.

E: Why?

S: **Because travel can let me have a wide, wide seeing** and when **travel**, I can see a lot
[SUB-adverbial clause] [travelling]

I haven't see before. Such as I go to China, I have **travel** in China, I have **learn** ... I can learn
[SUB-relative clause] [seen] [travelled] [learned/ learnt]

about many culture things in China. **Because when I ^ living in Hong Kong, I, I ... many**
[SUB-adverbial clause] [SUB-adverbial clause] [am] [the]

Chinese culture is, is not very traditional. And so I would like to **go ^travel** because I would like
[go to travel] [SUB-adverbial clause]
to see more things I haven't ... I don't know yet.
[SUB-relative clause]

E: Thank you.