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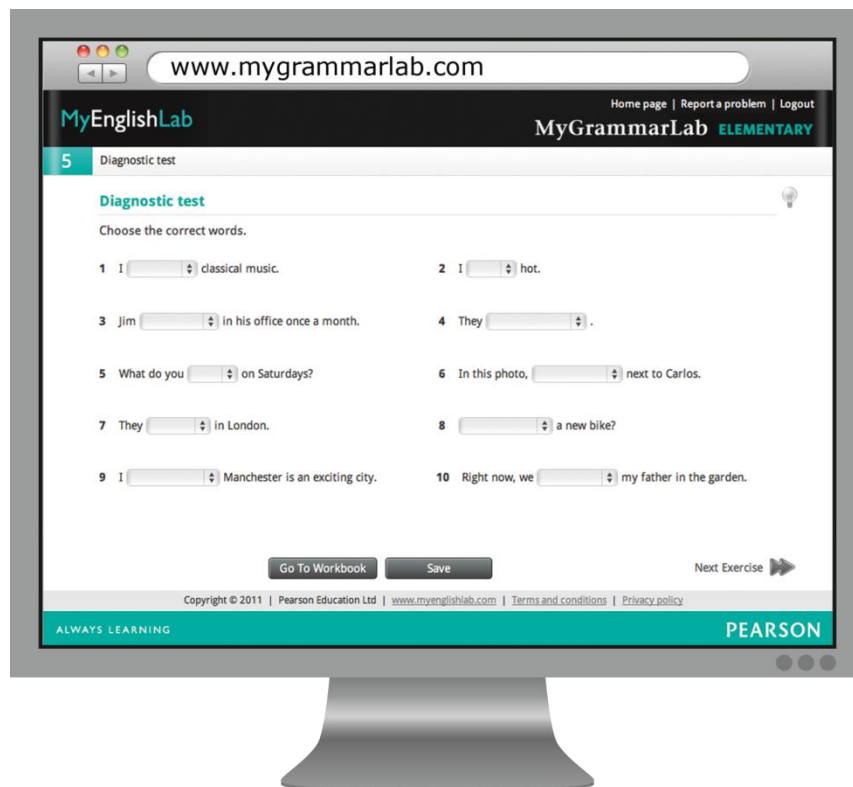
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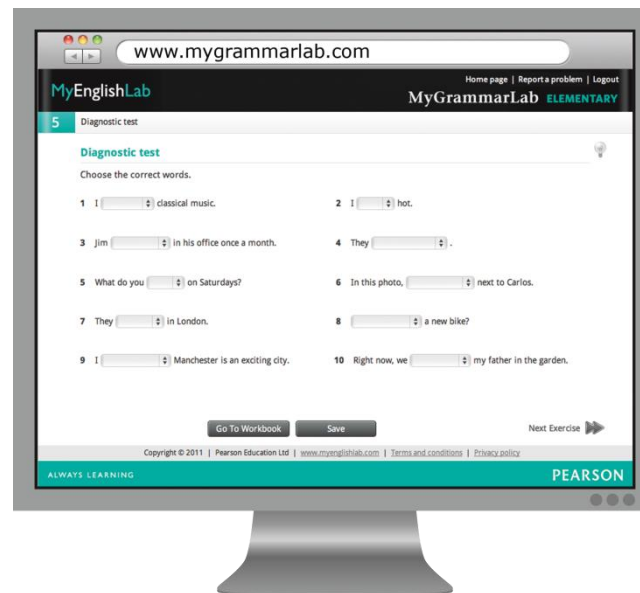
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75 Participle clauses

Written in 1961, *Catch-22* is a novel about a young American soldier, John Yossarian. In the middle of World War Two he is sent to fight in Italy, leaving his friends and family behind.



1 Participle clauses

Participle clauses give more information about a noun. We use the *-ed* or *-ing* form of the verb. Participle clauses don't have a subject because their subject is the noun/pronoun in the main clause:

participle clause subject

Written in 1961, *'Catch-22'* is a novel about a young American soldier, John Yossarian.

subject

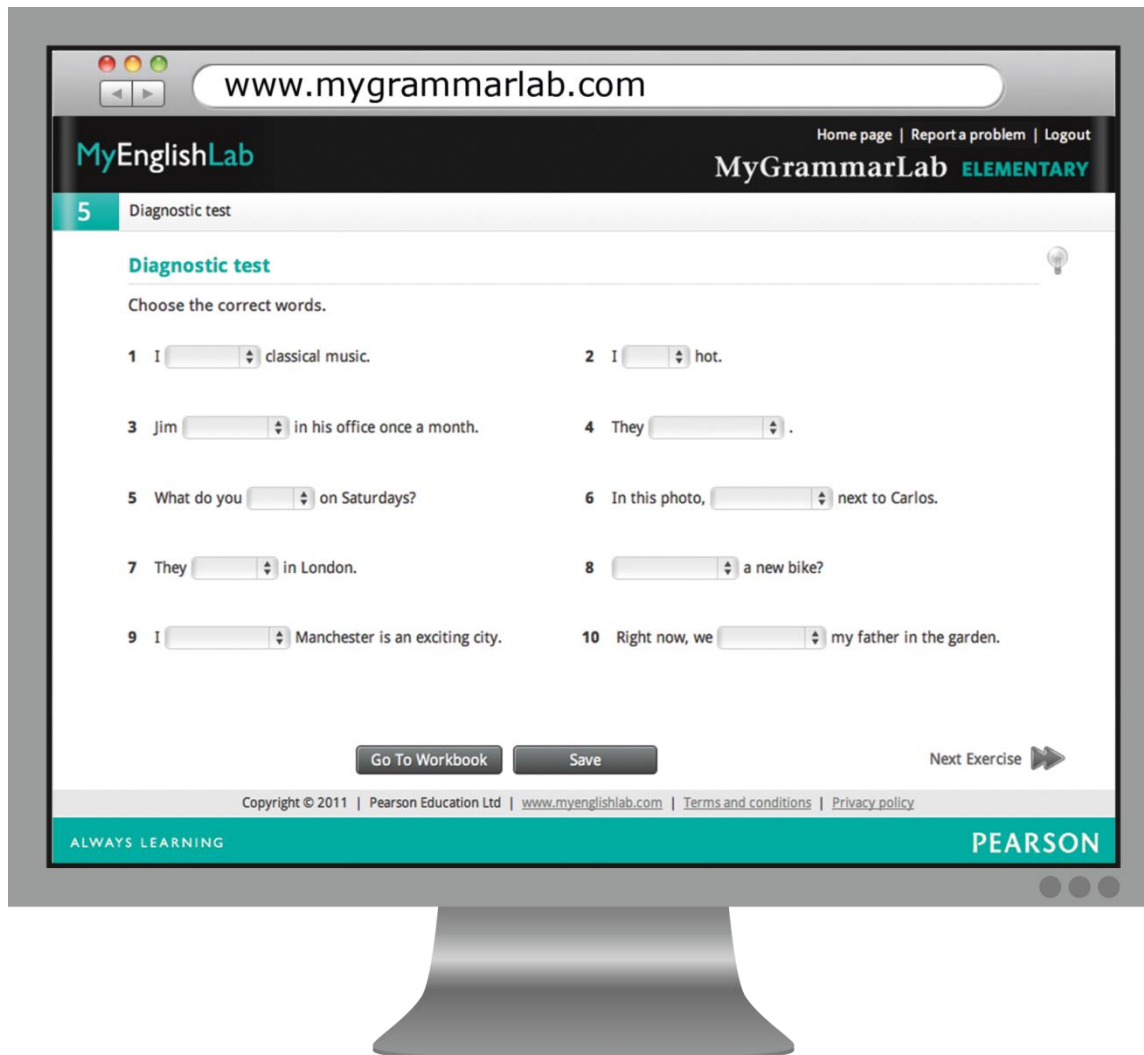
participle clause

In the middle of World War Two, he is sent to fight in Italy, leaving his friends and family behind.


FORMALITY CHECK In written English we often put participle clauses in front of the main clause. We use a comma to separate the two clauses.


Participle clauses are common in written English because they let us give a lot of information in a single sentence.

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Click to match the two parts of the sentences.



1 I've already paid	in the city centre?
2 We plan to stay at	waitress with a twenty pound note.
3 We arrived	for directions.
4 The train arrives at	the British Museum?
5 I paid the	Waterloo station at 11:35.
6 Are you going to stay	my older sister and her husband.
7 Are you looking for	the Burj Al Arab Hotel in Dubai.
8 I'm staying with	a note explaining what had happened.
9 My brother is looking after	the baby this afternoon.
10 Go and ask that woman	like Will Smith. Really!
11 My cousin looks	in Scotland two hours ago.
12 He wrote us	for the tickets by credit card.

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Choose the correct words.

1 **It** ✓ isn't a dog, it's a fox.Look at **unit 12.1** in the book for help with this question.

2 My ___ job is really difficult. He works at night.

3 This is Sally's book. Can you take it to ___ ?

4 You know Bill? Well, ___ mother is in hospital.

5 I love the coffee here at ___ café. It's really good!

6 'Is Mr Spencer home?' 'I think so. That's ___ car.'

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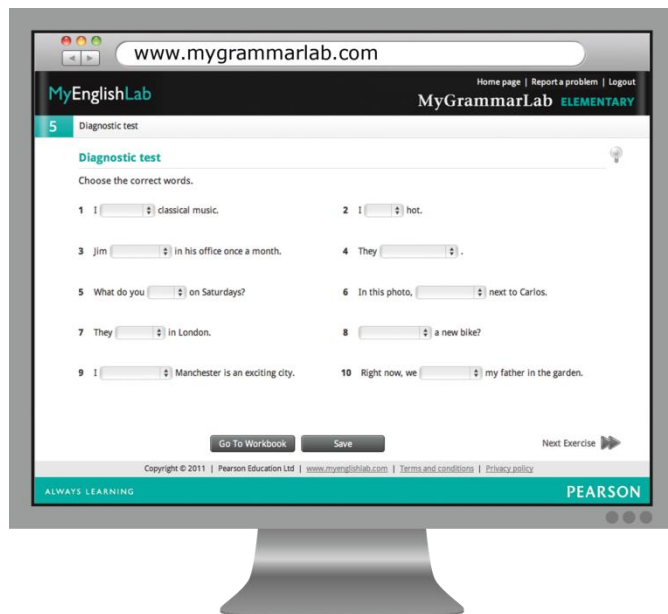
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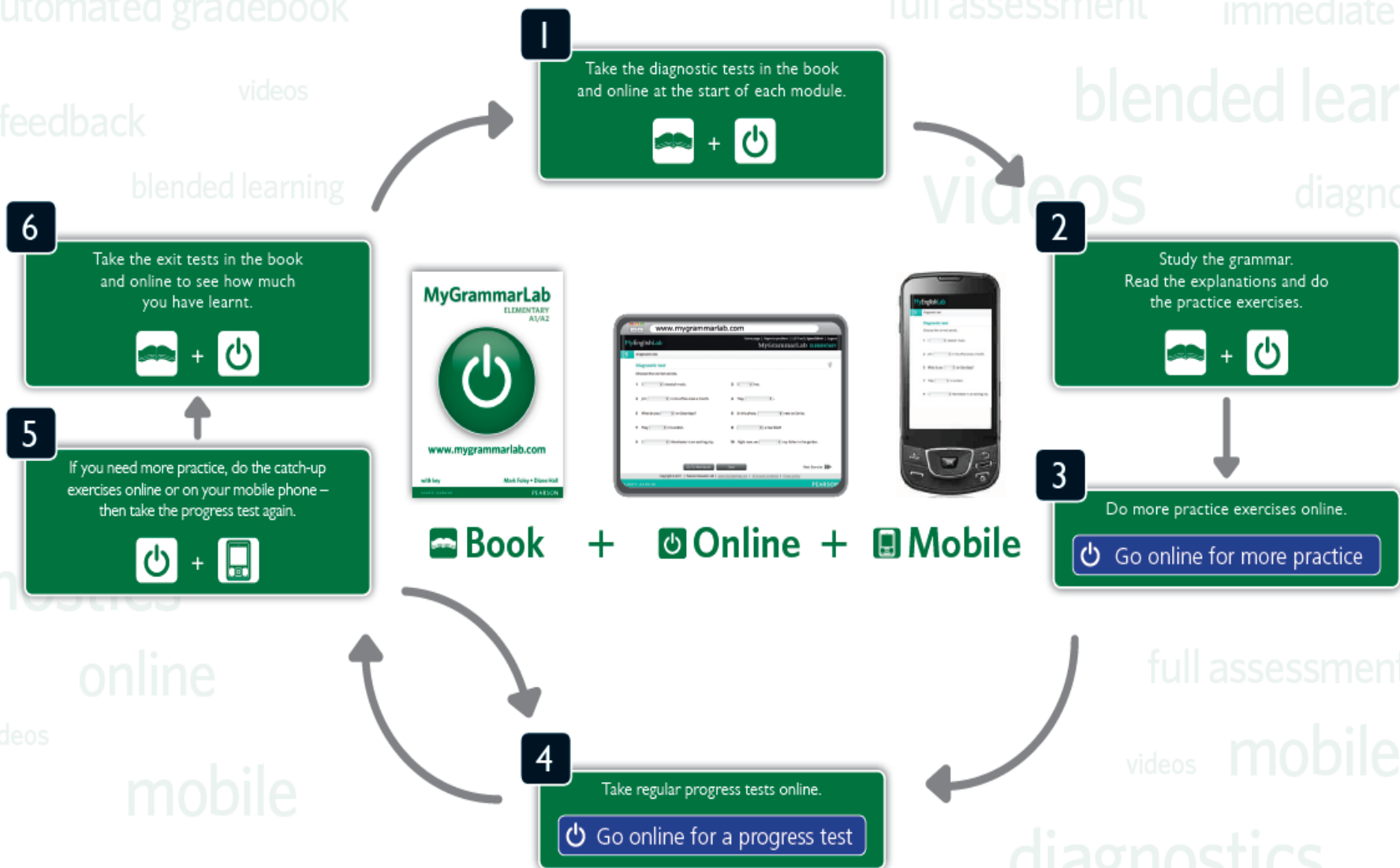
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"Grammar is often a generic way of referring to any aspect of English that people object to."

Jeremy Butterfield, author