**Sentence Types Name: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

**Simple Sentence- It expresses one complete thought. It has ONE independent clause**

On Tuesday it rained between two o’clock and three o’clock.

Doctors work long hours, endure significant stress, and must read frequently to learn about new treatments.

Lincoln, Mother Teresa, and Gandhi devoted much of their time, effort, and talent to securing other people’s rights.

**Compound Sentence- It expresses TWO complete thoughts. It joins two related independent clauses with a co-ordinating conjunction and a comma or a semi-colon.**

Paul has an aptitude for mechanical and electrical engineering, and his young brother is similarly gifted.

Is it better to relax at home, or is it better to travel?

He worked diligently all semester long; he earned superior grades.

**Complex Sentence- It expresses one complete thought and one (or more) less important and complete thoughts. It joins ONE independent clause and ONE subordinated clause. The subordinate clause beings with a trigger word (a subordinating conjunction or a relative pronoun)**

While the cat is away, the mice will play.

Anyone who gossips to you will also gossip of you.

She did not panic because she knew that it would make the situation much worse.

**Compound- Complex sentence- It expresses two complete thoughts and one or more less important and incomplete thoughts. It contains TWO independent clauses and ONE or more subordinate clause.**

Although children are very affectionate and cute, they are also very expensive, and they can be incredibly demanding.

The toddler who had seen the chocolate bar refused to eat his supper, but he smiled engagingly when his uncle showed him the treat.

If I had my child to raise over again, I would model less about the love of power, and I would model more about the power of love.