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|  | **Question**: What are some of the most self-sufficient and independent animals on the globe?  **Answers:** |
|  | **Directions:** Underline any **maroon words** that appear in the video. Fill in the blanks with whatever appears in the white text when sentences are corrected. These are keywords and concepts.  **Clause**  **Clause:** a group of words that has both a subject and a predicate.  There are two types of clauses:   * Dependent * Independent   **Independent Clause**  An independent clause is a group of words with at least one subject and one verb that can make complete sense by itself.  Example: He ripped the crocodile’s mouth open with his bare hands.  Example: He tripped.  Example: The creature hunts for food by the lagoon. |
|  | **Directions:** For each given sentence, determine whether or not it is an example of an independent clause.  **Ask yourself the following questions:**   1. Does it have a subject? 2. Does it have a verb? 3. Does it make complete sense all by itself?   **Example:** A Rubik’s Cube is the embodiment of our own emotional complexities.  Is this an example of an independent clause? Yes\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ No\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_  **Example:** I am addicted to drinking Red Bull.  Is this an example of an independent clause? Yes\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ No\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_  **Example:** I left my kidney in an ice-filled bathtub.  Is this an example of an independent clause? Yes\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ No\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ |
|  | **Directions:** For this, Aisle Check, you will create an original independent clause. It can be about anything, but it needs to have all the elements of an independent clause.  **Brainstorming Area** |
|  | **Directions: Put your final answer to the Aisle Check.**  **Answer:** |