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Steps to a COMPLETE Sentence:

	Description	Example
Capital Letters	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> *At the beginning of the sentence *Proper Nouns *I 	The dog ran around the yard. ↙
Punctuation	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> *At the end of the sentence *When showing dialogue 	The dog ran around the yard. ↗
Subject	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> *The naming part *Who/What the sentence is about 	<u>The dog</u> ran around the yard.
Predicate	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> *The action part *What the subject did 	The dog <u>ran around the yard.</u>
Makes Sense	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> *Read the sentence out loud to yourself to see if it makes sense *Have someone else read your sentence 	

“You only learn to be a better writer by actually writing.”

~Doris Lessing~

