

Homework for session 8 (7 January, 2021)

I. Identify and name the phrases within phrases/sentences and draw a tree diagram for each of them:

1. three major difficulties
2. the person on the seat in the car
3. the son of Isabel and Don
4. Anna sings.
5. Anna sings a song.
6. The little girl sings a song.
7. She saw the man in the evening.
8. The little girl feeds the cat in the evening.
9. She put the glass on the table.
10. Anna and Ron went to the theatre.
11. He was happy about the exam results.
12. Anne sold Greg a car.
13. She might have seen a ghost.
14. This book seems interesting.

II. Identify the syntactic functions of constituents (subject, object etc.) in the following sentences:

1. Anna called him a liar.
2. Steven brought Jenny a book yesterday.
3. He seems a good guy.
4. She appeared tired.
5. She tasted the cake at the party.
6. I went to the bar.
7. She appeared at school.
8. He remained my best friend.

9. He gave up smoking.

III. Specify the semantic roles of the underlined participants.

1. A beautiful girl gave a present to her boyfriend.
2. This sculpture was done by the artist.
3. He cuts a slice of bread with a knife.
4. Doug went to London.
5. I am coming from the English class.
6. Susan smelled the flower.
7. The book was taken by the student.
8. I am at his apartment.