

Participial Phrases

A **participial phrase** consists of a participle (a word formed from a verb and sometimes used as an adjective) and any modifiers and complements.

Example Having slept well, Joanna was very productive in the morning.

Underline the participial phrase in each of the sentences.

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- 1) The group rejected Aristotle's meticulously planned itinerary.
- 2) Listening to the count, the crowd began to cheer.
- 3) Judging the message, the king decided to ignore it.
- 4) Having carefully read the contract, the company finalized it.
- 5) Scheduled for the special occasion, the principal addressed the students.
- 6) The ancient text, dated from the 12th century, continued to thrive.
- 7) Strictly adhering to the rules, Principal O'Hara suspended the student.
- 8) Juggling the many tasks, the teacher managed to complete them.
- 9) Please, the doctor said, the patient must rest and eat well.
- 10) The man, grievously injured, struggled to stay conscious.