

## CHAPTER 18

# Reduction of Adverb Clauses to Modifying Adverbial Phrases

### Pretest, p. 392.

1. C (*no change*)
2. I Before **Joseph accepted** the job, the company offered **him** additional vacation days. OR Before accepting the job, **Joseph was offered** additional vacation days.
3. C (*no change*)
4. I Since **coming** to this country, I have experienced some interesting cultural traditions.
5. C (*no change*)
6. C (*no change*)
7. I Not **having** spent much time with her grandparents when she was younger, Lauren was happy about their summer visit.
8. I **Needing** the package by the weekend, Barry paid for express delivery.
9. C (*no change*)
10. C (*no change*)

### Exercise 1, p. 392.

Correct sentences: 1, 2

### Exercise 2, p. 393.

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| 1. b | 4. a |
| 2. b | 5. b |
| 3. a | 6. b |

### Exercise 3, p. 394.

2. a. Before I came to class, I stopped in a café for a cup of coffee. / Before coming to class, I stopped in a café for a cup of coffee.
- b. Before the students came to class, they met at a café for lunch. / Before coming to class, the students met at a café for lunch.
3. a. Since Alberto moved here, he has been taking business classes. / Since moving here, Alberto has been taking business classes.
- b. Since Alberto opened his new business, his family hasn't seen much of him. / (*no change*)
4. a. Omar's wife drove Omar to his downtown office after he (had) finished breakfast. / (*no change*)
- b. Omar walked up ten flights of stairs to his office after he (had) entered the building. / Omar walked up ten flights of stairs to his office after entering the building.

5. a. When the waiter took my order, I forgot to order a beverage. / (*no change*)
- b. When I order coffee, I always ask for extra cream and sugar. / When ordering coffee, I always ask for extra cream and sugar.
6. a. You should always read a contract carefully before you sign your name. / You should always read a contract carefully before signing your name.
- b. Before I signed my name, I had a lawyer look over the contract. / Before signing my name, I had a lawyer look over the contract.
7. a. After Karl had been climbing for several hours, his muscles began to ache. / (*no change*)
- b. After Karl slipped and lost his footing, he held onto the ledge with all his strength. / After slipping and losing his footing, Karl held onto the ledge with all his strength.