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Jane's essay had many grammatical errors because she did not proofread it.

Paige decided to take the stray dog to the pound where his owners might be able to find him.

Mike rarely ate chocolate cake, even though it was his wife's favorite dessert.

Notice that though sentences beginning with a subordinate clause are followed by a comma, subordinate clauses in the middle of a sentence are not always preceded by a comma.

Practice Now look at your own writing. Can you identify sentences that contain subordinate clauses? Do those clauses begin with subordinating conjunctions? Focus on one paragraph. Revise that paragraph so that two of your sentences consist of a dependent clause attached to an independent clause using a subordinating conjunction. Remember, however, to avoid structuring