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plastics are synthetic materials they can be softened and moulded into useful articles. they have many applications in engineering there are two types of plastics: thermoplastics and thermosetting plastics abs is a thermoplastic which is tough and durable because it has high impact strength it has applications where sudden loads may occur nylon is a hard tough thermoplastic it is used where silent low-friction operation is required acrylic can be formed in several ways it is hard durable and has many uses polyester resin is a thermosetting plastic used for castings it has a number of useful properties

2. Write S if the sentence is simple and C if the sentence is compound, and X for complex sentence.

- _____ 1. Confident people are usually happy.
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- _____ 3. My friend Jenny makes a bad first impression.
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3. Identify the type of sentence (declarative, imperative, interrogative, and exclamatory) and explain your answer.

- 1. Our neighbor bought a new computer

- 2. Look at the color monitor
- 3. The computer has a large memory
- 4. Try this new piece of software
- 5. Can you save this report on a disk

4. Underline the independent clauses with a solid line, the dependent clauses with a broken line, draw a circle around the subordinating conjunction.

- 1. The new employee made a positive first impression.
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5. Write a 100-300-word well-developed paragraph on ONLY ONE of the following topics:

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Best of Luck



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- 1. Negative people usually do not get jobs easily, but Jenny found a good job.
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