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English - Grammar

Noun Clause

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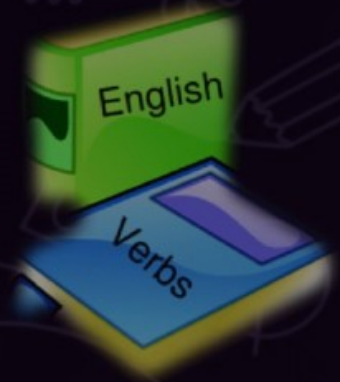

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Noun Clauses

- A noun clause plays the role of a noun in a sentence.
- Noun clause is used to name something when single word is not enough.
- They can be used as subject or object.

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- Noun clause generally gives the answer of 'what'. (क्या)
- They connect with the main clause using a conjunction.

Like : what, that, who, which, whatever, when, how.

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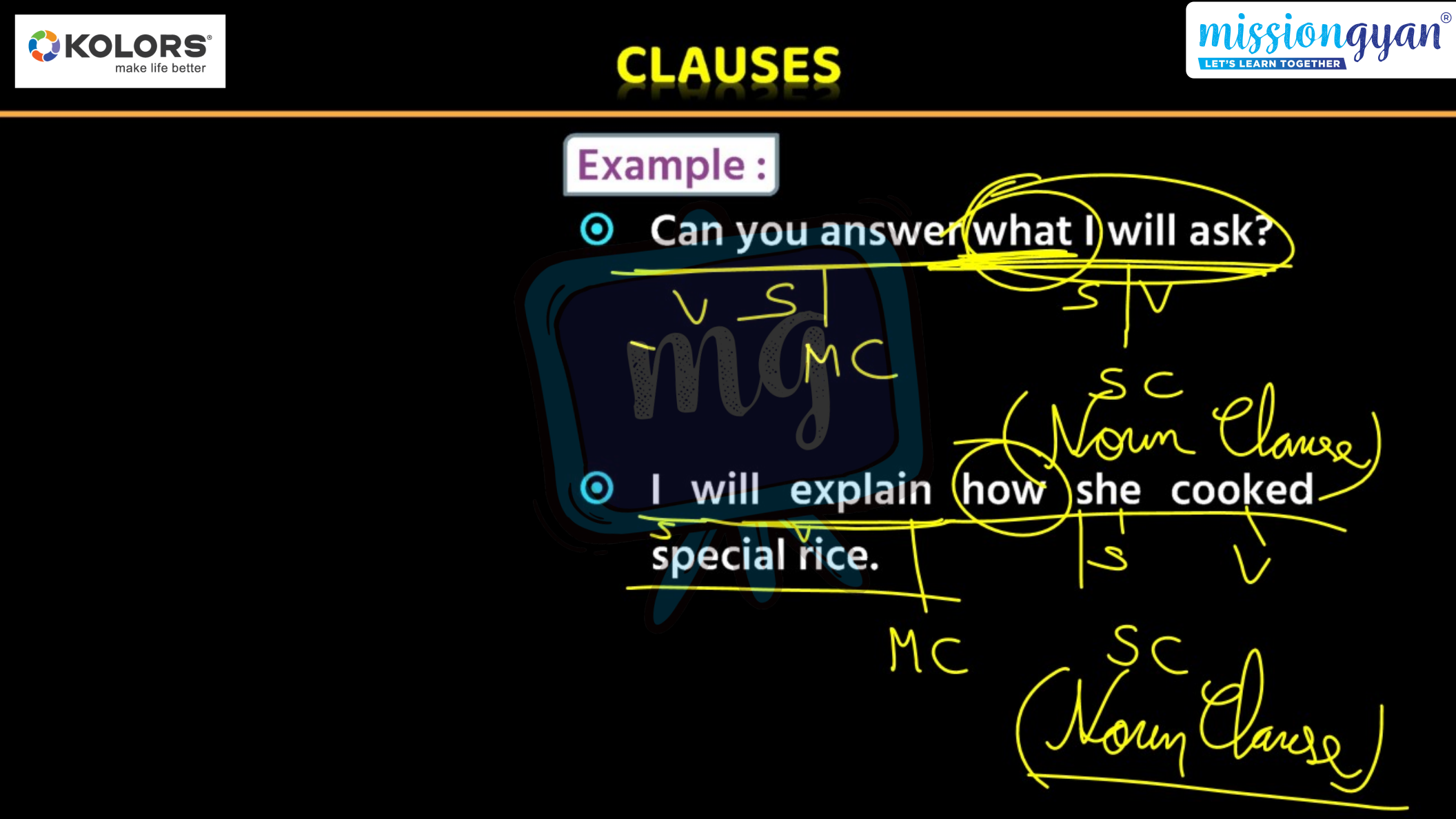
Example :

- Can you answer what I will ask?
- I will explain how she cooked special rice.



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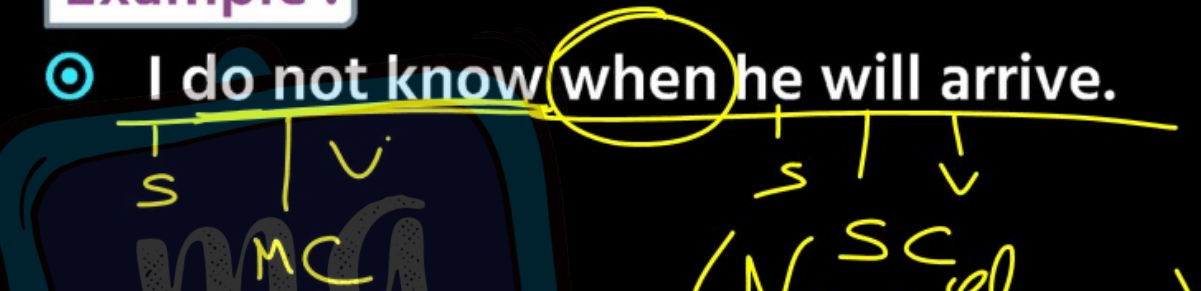
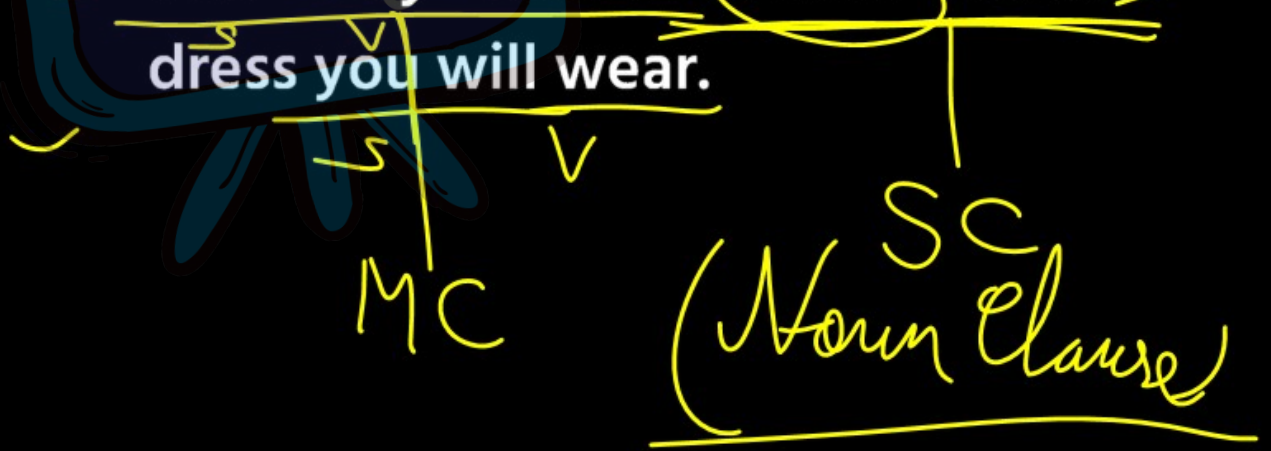
Example :

- I do not know when he will arrive.



- You may decide which colour dress you will wear.



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Example :

- She will accept whatever I tell her.

S V S V

MC SC (Noun Clause)

- It is a mystery how you escaped.

MC SC (Noun Clause)

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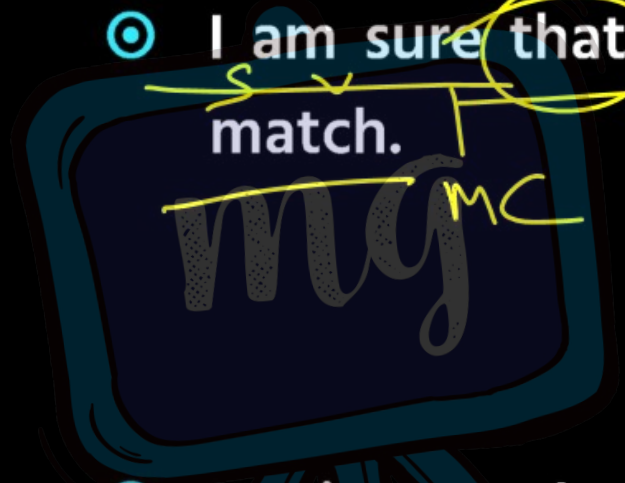
Example :

- I am sure that India will win the match.



S V S V
MC
S C
(Noun Clause)

- He is very happy that he came first and he won the award.

S V S V
MC S V Noun Clause

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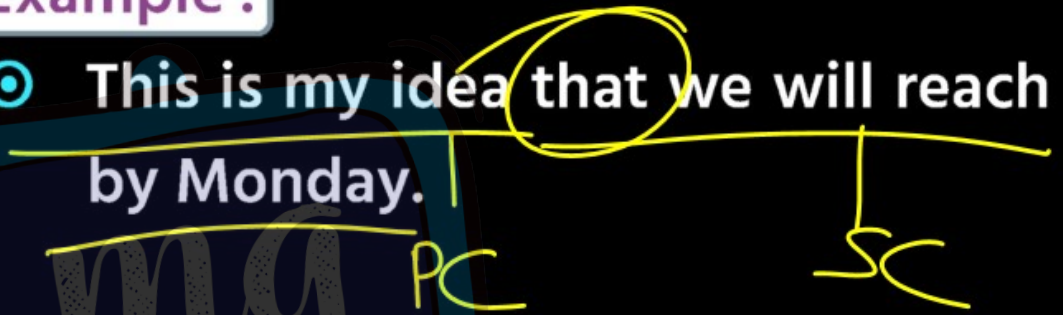
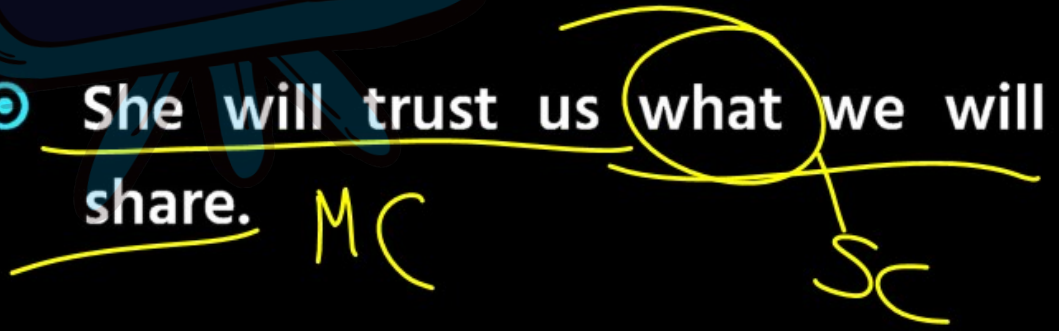
Example :

- This is my idea that we will reach by Monday.



- She will trust us what we will share.



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Exercise

Join the following pairs of sentences using noun clauses.

1. This is the fact. India will soon become a superpower. (that)

This is the fact that India will soon become a superpower.

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2. He didn't realize. He was lost. (that)

He didn't realize (that) he was lost.

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3. Meera behaved. | It was not polite.

(how)

How Meera behaved was not polite.

It was not polite how Meera behaved.

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4. I am not interested. You say.

(Whatever)

I am not interested whatever you say.

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5. The teacher didn't know. The students were standing. (why)

The teacher didn't know why the students were standing.