

Figure 3.14: Sentence Examples (Upper Elementary)

Excerpts From <i>Tuck Everlasting</i> by Natalie Babbitt (1975)		
she might not have noticed it	for	it looked more like a mushroom than a living creature sitting there
a pair of green suspenders, more decorative than useful, gave the finishing touch	for	he was shoeless
her mother's voice, the feel of home, receded for the moment	and	her thoughts turned forward
"Where's the child?" he demanded	for	Winnie was hidden behind his wife
"The bed's no better	or	I'd switch with you," he said
he didn't seem to know how to finish the conversation	but	then he bent and kissed her quickly on the cheek
there wasn't time to wonder	for	at that moment someone knocked at the door
his face was without expression	but	there was something unpleasant behind it that Winnie sensed at once
something made her instantly suspicious	yet	his voice was mild

Source: Adapted from Babbitt, N. (1975). *Tuck everlasting*. New York: Square Fish.