Functions of Noun Clauses

Exercise 1:

Directions: In each sentence, identify the noun clause and its function (subject, object, or complement).

- **A.** What you did yesterday was very brave.
- **B.** She doesn't understand why he is so angry.
- **C.** His biggest fear is that he will fail the exam.
- **D.** I wonder if he will ever come back.
- **E.** It is important to know what you are talking about.
- **F.** Who will win the game is anybody's guess.
- **G.** I don't know where my keys are.
- **H.** His main goal is to become a successful businessman.
- **I.** Whether or not she likes the movie doesn't matter.
- **J.** I heard that he got the job.



Exercise 2:

Directions: Identify the noun clause in each sentence and its function (subject, object, or complement).

- **A.** Why he did it is a mystery.
- **B.** She believes that honesty is the best policy.
- **C.** I don't understand what you are trying to say.
- **D.** His hope is that he will be able to travel the world someday.
- **E.** It doesn't matter who wins the race.
- **F.** We all know that time flies.
- **G.** I wonder what she will do next.
- **H.** His dream is to become a famous singer.



