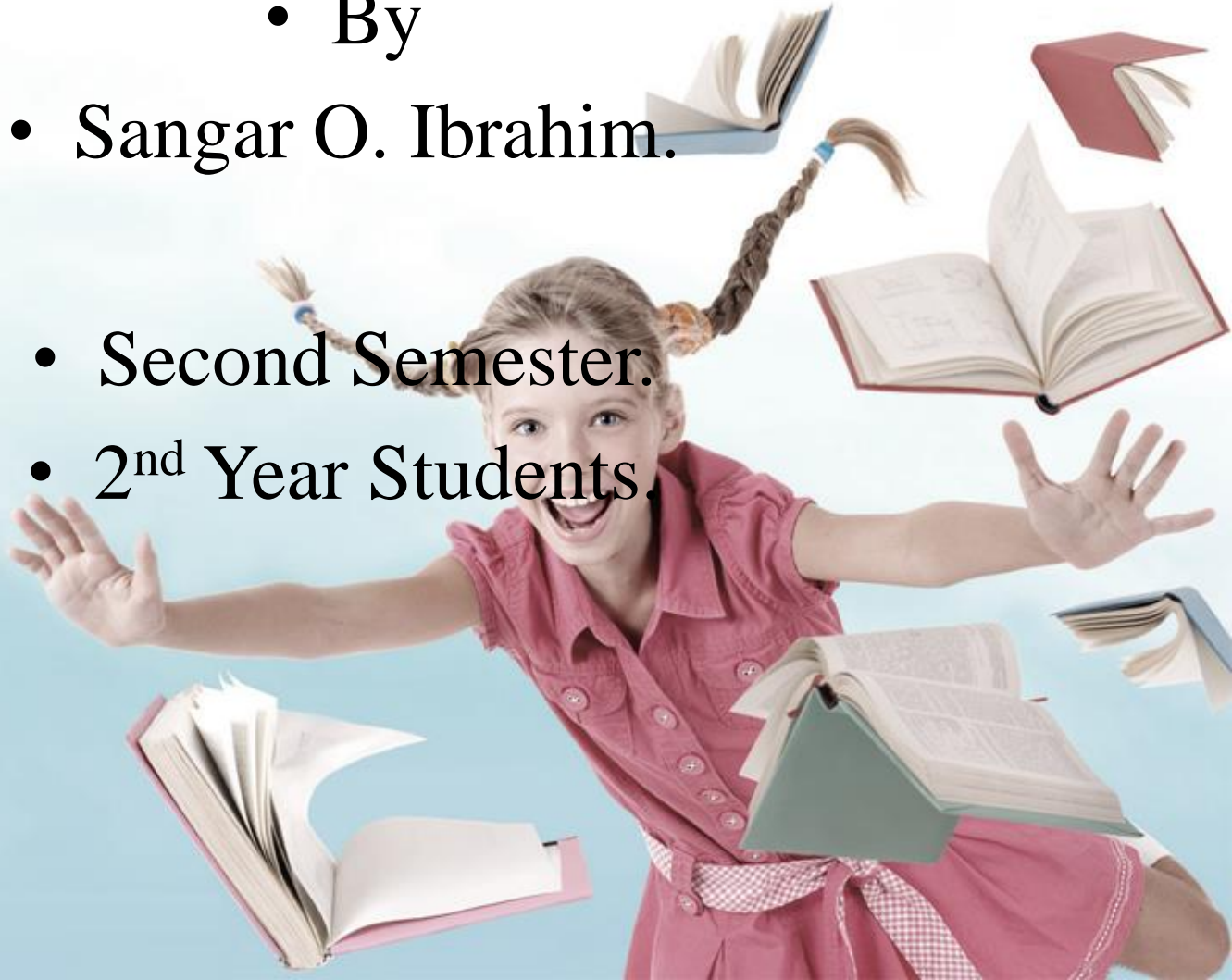


# English Objects

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# What is an English object?

An object is a part of a sentence that is typically affected by the action of the verb.



# How many types of objects do we have in English?

There are three types of object in English Grammar.

## 1- Direct Object:

The direct object is a noun or pronoun that directly receives the action of the verb. It answers the question ‘what’ or ‘whom’?

An example: He dropped **the glass**.



## 2- Indirect Object:

The indirect object is a noun or pronoun that indicates to whom or for whom the action of the verb is done. It answers the question ‘for whom’ or ‘to whom’?

An example: David gave **me** a gift.



### 3- Object of Preposition

The object of a preposition is a noun or pronoun that follows a preposition and is part of a prepositional phrase, providing additional information about the relationship between elements in the sentence. It answer the question ‘when’ or ‘where’?

An example: They walked **through the park**.

An example: The cat hide **under the bed**.



What kind of object do we have, when there is just  
one object in a sentence?

When there is only one object in a sentence, that object is  
typically a direct object.



When there are both direct and indirect objects in a sentence, which one should come before the other?

In English, when a sentence contains both a direct object and an indirect object, the typical word order is to have the indirect object before the direct object.

The structure is usually:

Subject + Verb + Indirect Object + Direct Object.

An Example: He gave me a call.



## What is complement in English grammar?

A complement is a word or group of words added to complete an incomplete sentence.

An Example of incomplete sentence : I am a.

An example of complete sentence: I am a student.





# How many complements do we have in English grammar?

We have two types of complements.

1- Subject complement.

2- Object complement.



## 1- Subject complement:

A subject complement is a word or a group of words that describes or renames the subject of the sentence.

An example: She is **a teacher**.

An example: She is **an excellent teacher**.

An example: My brother became **an engineer**.



## 2- Object complement:

An object complement is a word or a group of words that follows and modifies the direct object in a sentence. It provides more information about the direct object.

An example: I painted the wall **blue**.

An example: I named my cat **Lilly**.

