English - class vii

Based on Grammar Book

Chapter- 2

Topic – Clauses

- A. Read the sentences given below and find out the Independent Clauses.
 - 1. <u>I cannot remember</u> what I did last night.
 - 2. Even though Ravi's mother is a Mathematics teacher, <u>he failed</u> his arithmetic test.
 - 3. Fiza ate a cheese roll while watching cartoons on television.
 - 4. I like knitting while listening to the radio.
 - 5. Though my alarm rang in the morning <u>I could make it to the</u> office on time.
 - 6. The director talked to her after reading the script.
 - 7. Piyali cannot remember her speech.
 - 8. The woman who lives next door is being too ignorant.
 - 9. Preeti wrote a great piece of literature.
 - 10. Rahul once beat me at chess but was no match for me at basketball.
- B. Read the sentences below and find out the Dependent Clauses:
 - 1. I cannot remember what happened to me yesterday.
 - 2. <u>Even though he left his house on time</u>, he couldn't make it up to her.
 - 3. Pari ate a pizza while watching the wrestling match.
 - 4. I like skipping while listening to music.
 - 5. <u>Though I warned her against entering that house,</u> she went there any way.
 - 6. <u>Even though I could hear my phone ring,</u> I couldn't find it anywhere.
 - 7. The actor called the director after reading the script.
 - 8. I cannot figure out the formula for this problem.
 - 9. They were last seen at the building in front of our house.
 - 10.He did really well in his English test <u>but couldn't even pass the</u>

 Mathematics test.

HW- 1. Write the definition of a clause with suitable examples.

2. Define:-

- A. <u>Principal or Independent clause.</u>
- B. <u>Subordinate or Dependent clause.</u> <u>Give suitable examples for each.</u>