

APPOSITIVES

EXERCISE

Combine each of the following groups into one sentence by using appositives. You will have to revise wording and exclude some words to make the combined sentences read correctly. Set off appositive phrases with commas and underline them.

EX:

IBM will open a new plant next year. IBM is one of America's largest computer makers.
IBM, one of America's largest computer makers, will open a new plant next year.

1. Park City is the location of the Smiths' vacation home. Park City is a Utah ski resort.

2. *Shogun* was made into a mini-series for television. It is a novel by James Clavell.

3. *The Rocky Horror Picture Show* will be shown at midnight at the local movie theater. It is a popular cult film.

4. Police have confiscated a nine-millimeter Ingram from the suspect's home. The Ingram is an automatic submachine gun.

5. *General Hospital* involves romance and international intrigue. *General Hospital* is a popular television soap opera.

6. Millions read the *Reader's Digest*. The *Reader's Digest* is a magazine loved for its human interest articles.

7. Jif is now marketing a low sugar, low salt peanut butter. Jif is a best-selling brand of peanut butter.

8. Bowling does very little for the cardiovascular system. It is a popular sport in our town.
