

Task: Check your grammar sheet again, read this summary again and underline/mark the participle constructions in different colours:

additional information

reason

time

relative clause

When going for a walk one morning, a man suddenly saw a gigantic rope hanging from the sky. Being very curious, he pulled, switching the daylight off and on. Being shocked at first, he jumped away. But finding it more and more interesting, he did it again and again. But he exaggerated and the switch suddenly did not work anymore. It stayed dark and the man panicked, pulling again several times. When he pulled too hard, the rope came down. In the dark he could hear cars crashing and people screaming. Knowing that it was his fault, he silently walked away, hoping that nobody would find out.

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By the way:

he could hear cars crashing and people screaming

=> You can use the present participle after **verbs of perception** (Verben der Wahrnehmung):

They **see** her running away

I **heard** them talking about it

We **watched** the police trying to stop the rioters

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