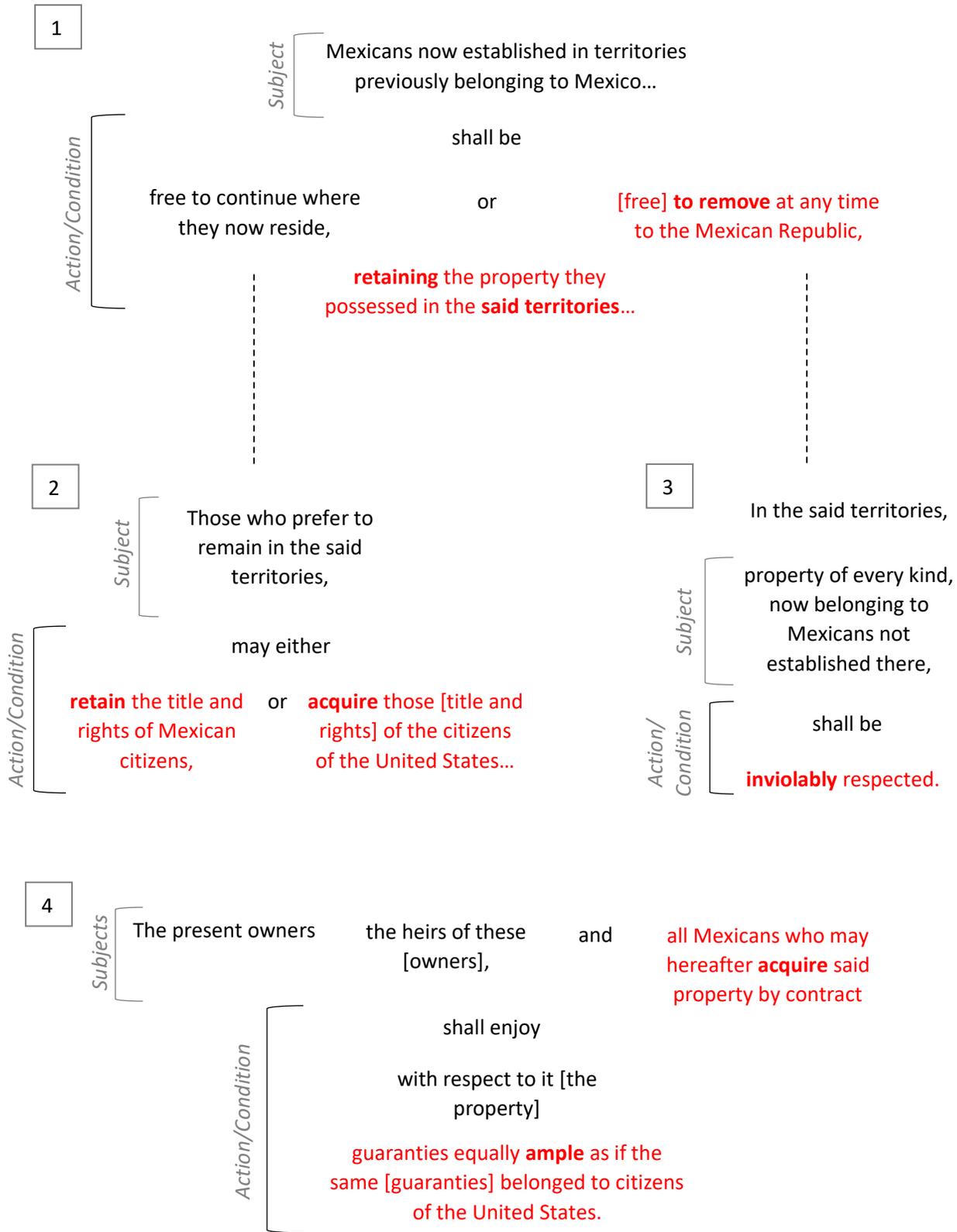


Organizing Visually



## 8.8 Teacher Key

### Analyzing Language

**remove:** *leave*

**said** (as in “said territories” or “said property”): *previously mentioned (could also note that “aforementioned” is a common word used for this purpose)*

**retain:** *keep*

**acquire:** *get*

**inviolably:** *in a manner not to be violated (can put emphasis on connection to word “violate”)*

**ample:** *abundant, full, complete*

### Summarizing Meaning

- 1. Mexicans living on the land just acquired by the US can either stay there or move to somewhere within Mexico’s new borders. Either way, they keep ownership of their land.*
- 2. Those who choose to stay can either become US citizens or remain Mexican citizens.*
- 3. The property of those who choose to go will be left alone.*
- 4. Current and future Mexican property owners within the new US territory will have the same property rights as US citizens.*

### Reacting to the Text

What do you think of the promises made in the treaty? How do you expect they played out? Why?

*Responses will vary, but students will likely express some skepticism about the intentions or abilities of the US to keep its word on all these counts.*