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# ELA Buzz

To solve this puzzle, you'll have to be clever like a fox.

Which does the sentence use: a simile or a metaphor? Tell how you know.

\_\_\_\_\_

What does it mean?

\_\_\_\_\_

Circle the correctly spelled words, then fill in the blanks to complete the sentence.

moose      meese      mooses

eagels      eegles      eagles

Bald \_\_\_\_\_

and \_\_\_\_\_

are two animals



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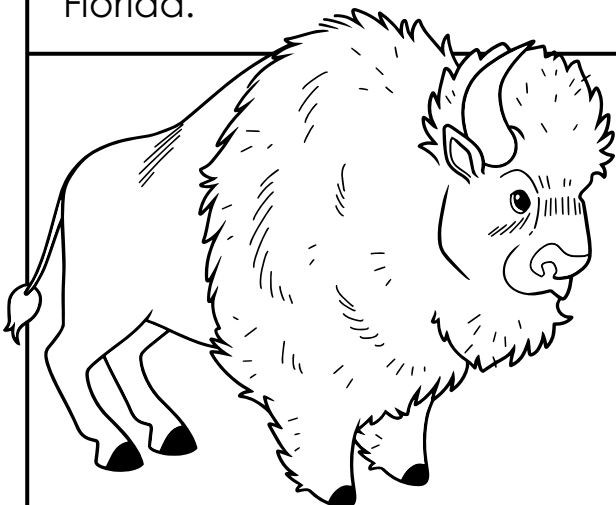
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anywhere      nowhere

You won't find wild crocodiles and alligators living together \_\_\_\_\_ except Florida.

Jaguars, which are the largest cats in North America, are Selah's favorite animals.

Selah bought herself a book about them with her allowance.

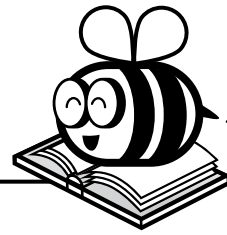


Rewrite the sentence correctly.

Many native american people in the planes depends on bison. (4 errors)

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

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Check the box next to the sentence with no errors. Underline the sentence with two errors. Circle the error in the other sentence.

- Kayden prefers 100% natural syrup to any artificial kinds.
- Making one gallon of maple syrup can require more than 40 gallons of sap!



Combine the two simple sentences into one compound sentence using a comma and the conjunction **or**.

I can make some oatmeal. We can eat something else.

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Dad and I \_\_\_\_\_ scrambled eggs when the phone rang.

Abram's grandparents \_\_\_\_\_ him French toast right now.

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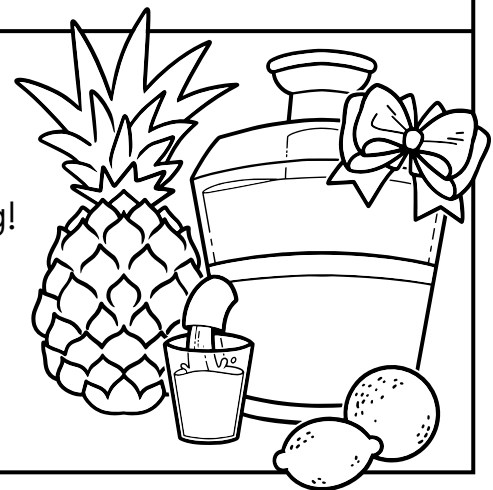
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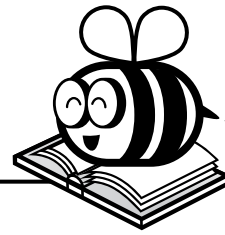
Use the correct homophone to complete each sentence.

Mom got a juicer for her birthday, and \_\_\_\_\_ amazing!

Please remove \_\_\_\_\_ peel before juicing.

Leona loves to watch while \_\_\_\_\_ running.





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Add the correct suffix from the box to the base word to complete the sentence.

ing    ly    ship    liest

Da'Mari is an incredibly  
\_\_\_\_\_ person.  
(friend)

Circle the part of speech  
of the completed word.



Circle the two errors. Check the boxes next to the descriptions of the errors.

Jamie and annabel's long-distance friendship take work to maintain, but it's entirely worth it!

- uncapitalized proper noun
- incorrect comma placement
- incorrect verb tense



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singular	buddy
plural	
possessive singular	
possessive plural	

then cats. (4 errors)

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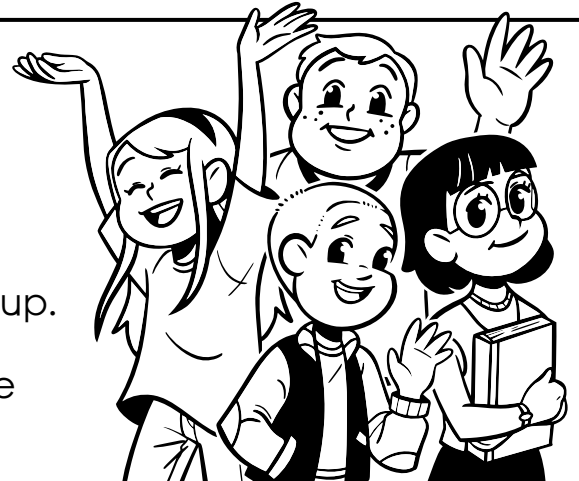
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Write **F** (fragment), **S** (splice), or **R** (run-on) to identify the error.

- \_\_\_\_\_ Best friends Evie, Harlem, and Zahir.
- \_\_\_\_\_ Travis is very social he has a huge friend group.
- \_\_\_\_\_ Rosie's super bashful, she still has many close friends.



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Write the correct form of the adjective **well** to complete the sentence.

Those were the \_\_\_\_\_-behaved toddlers I've ever watched!



Proverbs and adages are very similar. Both are short, common sayings that express a commonly observed truth. However, proverbs most often present their wisdom as advice instead of simple observations.

**Don't try to walk before you can crawl.**

Which best describes this saying?

**proverb**      **adage**

What does it most closely mean?

When someone



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The author calls babysitting an excellent way to demonstrate responsibility.

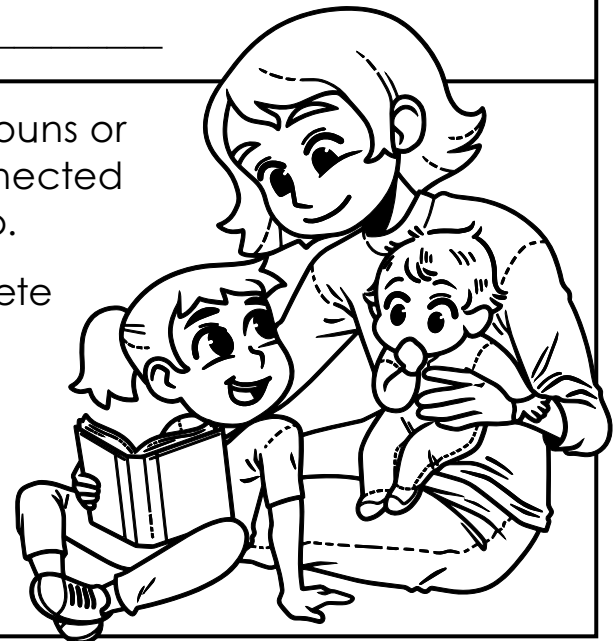
Noemi's baby brother refused to go to sleep even after she tried to plead with him.

Compound subjects are made of two or more nouns or pronouns. Unless the nouns or pronouns are connected using the word **or** or **nor**, always use a plural verb.

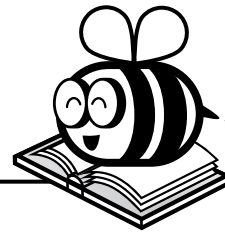
Write the correct singular or plural verb to complete each sentence.

Babysitting and car washing \_\_\_\_\_ two ways to make some cash. (is/are)

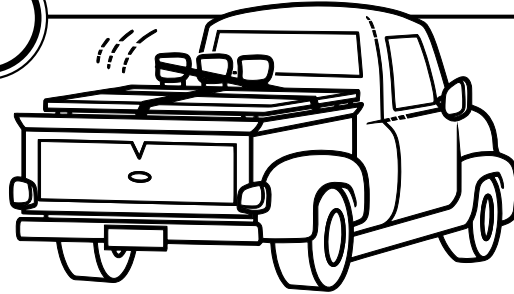
Neither Nico nor Kira \_\_\_\_\_ babysitting this weekend. (is/are)



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Mr. Harrington bought a second-hand dining room set online. The seller lived a few towns over. One condition of the sale was that he had to pick it up himself. Since he owned a truck and trailer, it wasn't a problem.

Then he got injured at work. It'd be months before he could drive or do any heavy lifting. He needed help doing most things and couldn't make it to the seller anymore.

Circle the antonym for *secondhand*.

**expensive**

**brand-new**

**well-used**

**affordable**

And the suffix **-ing** to the base words.

By \_\_\_\_\_ to a seller  
(drive)



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What idiom is used in the story?

\_\_\_\_\_

Tell what it means.

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

About how far away did the seller live? How do you know?

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Two people carried the table into the dining room.

Rewrite the sentence below as a line of spoken dialogue. Put the dialogue tag at the end. *(Don't forget to use first-person language!)*

**He said he loved his new furniture.**

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

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It uses a simile because it uses the word like.

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eagels eegles eagles

Read the sentence carefully. If it already contains a negative word, circle it. Then use the correct word to complete the sentence. Be sure not to create a double negative.

anywhere nowhere

Circle the sentence that uses a reflexive pronoun. Underline the relative pronoun in the other sentence.

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Many Native American

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What idiom is used in the story?

went the extra mile/going the extra mile

Tell what it means.

put in extra or special effort; went above and beyond what was required

About how far away did the seller live? How do you know?

about fifty-five miles; Ryan says that's about how far they went

Circle the antonym for **secondhand**.

expensive brand-new  
well-used affordable

And the suffix **-ing** to the base words.

By driving to a seller and retrieving items yourself, you can save on shipping costs.

Circle the preposition. Underline the prepositional phrase.

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**He said he loved his new furniture.**

"I love my new furniture," he said.