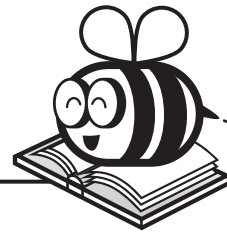


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Add the missing comma to offset the nonessential word, phrase, or clause in each sentence.

Slugs are cooler than people give them credit for you know?

Well slugs shouldn't be handled for both your and their health.

Underline the possessive pronoun. Circle its antecedent.

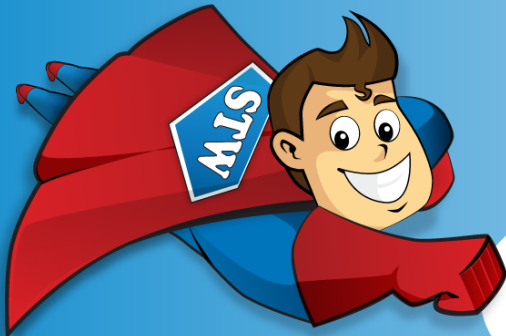
Complete the sentences using the best conjunctions from the box.

however and therefore yet

Blue sea dragon slugs are pretty and dainty, _____ they pack a powerful sting!

Most slugs actually have shells; _____, the shells are internal.

Gastropods, the class that snails _____ slugs belong to, are found in nearly every biome.



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Land slugs' mucus is often sticky and prevents them from _____ on sleek surfaces.

Check the box next to the sentence that uses an idiom.

- Summer doesn't mind getting her feet wet while looking for sea slugs in tide pools.
- Joe wants to become a marine biologist, so he's getting his feet wet by keeping aquariums.

What does the idiom most closely mean?

- a. to try something new; to gain a little experience
- b. to achieve mastery; to become an expert
- c. to take a dangerous risk in a strange environment



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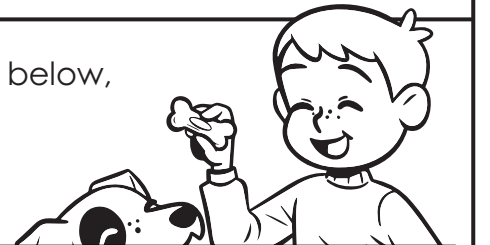
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Rewrite the sentence correctly.

Pinned-down ears growling and lungeing are sines of aggresion in dogs. **5 errors**

Circle the adjective. Underline the adverb. Write them on the lines below, then check the boxes that describe their forms.

A trainer is teaching Alejandro's dog to consistently respond



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Use it to make a word meaning *the measurement around something* to complete the sentence.

Dad installed an invisible fence along the _____ of our property while Loki was still in training.

Underline the linking clause.

Interestingly, one theory is that dogs' wolflike ancestors approached humans first. After that happened, we began to selectively breed them.

Circle the word or phrase with the same meaning.

eventually **previously** **in summary**

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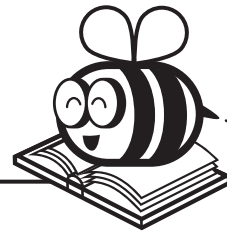
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state: New York

Complete the sentence using the address information above. Use an abbreviation for the street and state.

Please send a copy of your dog's vaccination records to

Name: _____



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The **delegation** that a member nation sends to speak at the UN on its behalf can have no more than five official representatives, five alternate representatives, and their advisors.

Use context to give a definition for the bold word.

Underline the letters that should be capitalized.

The united nations (un) has many specialized agencies, including the who (world health organization) and the imf (international monetary fund).

Check the box next to the conditional statement that uses a correct combination of verb tenses.

If all international organizations were to disappear, global cooperation suffers.



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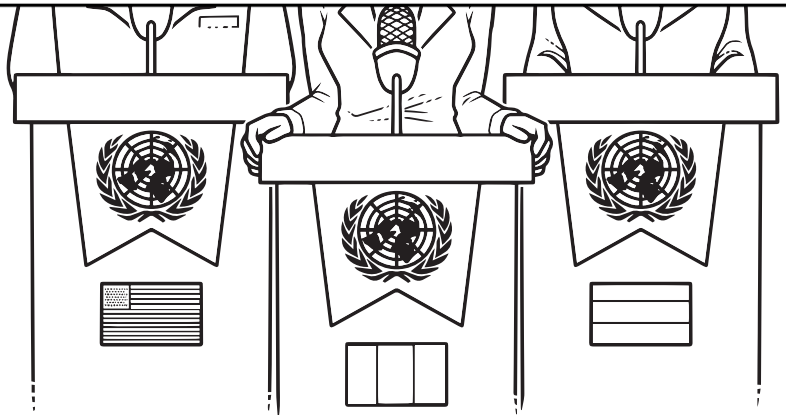
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tense → _____

expand → _____

present → _____

admit → _____



Add punctuation to make the sentence correct. Fill in the blank with the correctly capitalized letter.

Some international groups provide humanitarian aid to those in need said Mr. Rhodes ____thers provide military defense and security



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Rewrite the sentence correctly.

The crystels and jeweles in the treasure chest is sparkeling brightly. **4 errors**

Use a correctly spelled homophone pronounced /krōōz/ to complete each sentence.

The captains of both ships worked their _____ to the bone.

It wasn't a pleasure _____ the sailors had to sew their knees on the ship.



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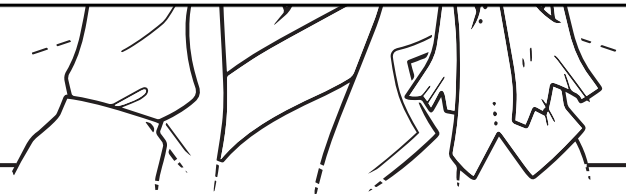
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Phoenix was surprised someone wanted the rundown model ship she donated, but one man's trash is another man's treasure.

Underline the figurative language in the sentence above. Then circle the kind of figurative language it is.

personification adage simile

What does it mean?



Circle the correct verb to complete each sentence.

The captain (lay / laid) a map on his desk.

"(Set / Sit) down so we can discuss our next course of action," he said.

He (set / sat) his compass atop the map.

They would soon be (lying / laying) in wait to ambush another ship.

Add the missing comma to offset the nonessential word, phrase, or clause in each sentence.

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however and therefore yet

Blue sea dragon slugs are pretty and dainty, yet they pack a powerful sting!

Most slugs actually have shells; however, the shells are internal.

Gastropods, the class that

Underline the possessive pronoun. Circle its antecedent.

Uncle Alfred has gardening experience, so the idea to use garlic to keep slugs away is his.

Complete the table with the forms of the verb **slip**.

present participle	slipping
past participle	slipped

Use a form of **slip** to complete the sentence.

Land slugs' mucus is often

Check the box next to the sentence that uses an idiom.

Joe wants to become a marine biologist, so he's getting his feet wet by keeping aquariums.

What does the idiom most closely mean?

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What is hyperbole used to describe? What does it show?
Hyperbole is used to describe how much Emilio is sweating. It shows how hard the hike has been.

What impact does the setting have on the plot?
Answers may vary but should indicate the difficult terrain is what drives the plot.

At the end of the passage, the speaker feels...
c. less self-assured

Underline the idiomatic simile, then tell what it means in your own words.

Emilio knows he'll sleep like a log after the hike.

to sleep heavily; to sleep deeply

Add punctuation to make the sentence correct.

Our club's teamwork retreat begins Friday, June 1, and we'll be there five days.

The absorbed prefix **ad-** means *to; toward*. The absorbed prefix **ex-** means *out; from*. Use the correct spelling to complete each word.

The kids worked up an _____ appetite from all the (ad / ap / a) physical _____ exertion. (ex / egs / ec)