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Luther's friends like to _____ him for his tea preferences.

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Add the missing comma.

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Reflexive pronouns are objects. They refer back to a subject to show that the subject and object are the same person or thing.

Intensive pronouns only emphasize a noun or pronoun. They have no necessary grammatical function in a sentence and can therefore be removed without creating structural errors.

Circle the pronoun. Underline its antecedent. Write **R** (reflexive) or **I** (intensive) to identify what kind of pronoun it is.

_____ The owners themselves mixed these tea blends.

_____ Seiya purchased a new kettle for himself.

_____ That was the first time Jameese made matcha herself!

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Complete the sentence using a modal auxiliary verb that indicates necessity.

In order to win her bet with her brother, Emberly _____ beat the game in the next three hours.

Use a comma and the correct coordinating conjunction from the box to create a compound sentence.

for but so or

Osman had been asking for the game for months. I got it for his birthday.

Rewrite the sentence correctly.

The first on line computer game in the series were released may 16 2002. **5 errors**



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continuously expand your city.

_____ Isobel lost hours of progress when her system suddenly crashed.

Which form has a stressed second syllable?

noun verb

D'Marco handwrites a journal entry about a video game he wants to create. He underlines the game title. When he shows the journal to his friend Esme, she says she loves his idea but noticed an error. She says the title must be italicized.

Is Esme correct? Explain why or why not.

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Write the numbers 1–4 to organize the ideas into a logical order for presenting and arguing a claim.

_____ Studies show attention spans have decreased in all areas of life.

_____ Clickbait-style headlines help spread misinformation.

_____ Exaggerated or misleading headlines are then treated as fact and shared.

_____ Studies show as few as 1 out of 4 people read past headlines.



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c. a reporter who is near retirement

Writers can use both singular and plural verbs with a collective noun depending on whether its members are acting together or separately.

Write the best verb to complete each sentence.

The crew _____ lunch at different times.

The crew _____ still setting up when we got there.



Rewrite the sentence correctly.

Hers hard-hiting report is first published in "The New York Times" last month. **4 errors**

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Check the box next to the sentence that uses an intensive pronoun.

- ☐ My parents bought a new bed frame for themselves.
- ☐ Lucille's little sister made her bed herself!
- ☐ I promised myself that I'd go to bed by 11:00.



Denotation is a word's literal meaning.

Connotation is the feeling or emotion a word evokes in addition to its denotation. Words with similar denotations can have

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

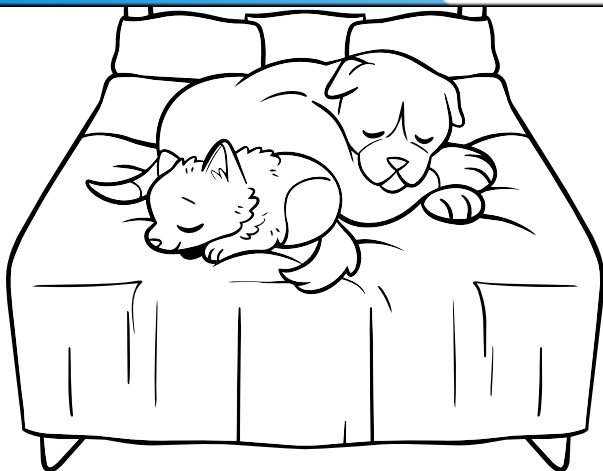
completly **completeley** **completely**

exawsted **exhausted** **exhuasted**



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When words such as **yes** and **no** are used like interjections, they must be offset from the rest of the sentence by commas.

Add the missing commas.

This is not the mattress on sale no.

Indeed some elderly pets sleep 20 hours a day.

It turns out that yes Frejya overslept.

Add a helping verb to turn the fragment into a complete sentence.

The dog napping on the porch.

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In a market economy, the price and availability of goods move in a constant dance. It can be described in terms of supply (the amount of goods or services ready for purchase) and demand (the number of people willing to pay for them at a given price).

There are many complex factors at play, but some principles are pretty simple. Hot Wheels toys can illustrate one of them. The toys are popular, so demand for them is high. Because people are sure to buy, the company raises its prices. It also makes lots to sell. After all, more sold means more profits!

But what would happen if the popularity suddenly dropped? With a high supply and low demand, Hot Wheels would have to lower their prices to attract customers who were no longer willing to pay as much. However, if the low prices win back enough people, that raises demand. The whole thing starts over.



Who is most likely the intended audience?



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Write the correct pronoun to complete the sentence.

According to _____, prices will rise soon.
(they / them)

Add commas around the appositive.

Hot Wheels detailed toy cars are
still popular today.

Fill in the blank by correctly spelling the word
that matches the pronunciation.

sə-vîr

When popularity dropped, there was a
_____ decrease in profits.

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likely mean?

- a. the strongest economy
- b. someone who studies the economy
- c. relating to economies

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"Your tea is ready, sir," said the barista.

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Circle the main verbs. Underline the helping verbs.

Aunt Rosemary is currently boiling water for tea.

Qadir had ordered a cup of ginseng.

Alianna would have asked

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b. young people

a. the fact that Hot Wheels are popular toys

What metaphor is used in the first paragraph? What does it mean?

Price and availability are said to move in a constant dance.
This means they move together and influence one another.

Write the correct pronoun to complete the sentence.

According to them,
(they / them) prices will rise soon.

Add commas around the appositive.

Hot Wheels, detailed toy cars, are still popular today.

Fill in the blank by correctly spelling the word that matches the pronunciation.

sə-vîr

When popularity dropped, there was a severe decrease in profits.

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