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Informal vs. Formal Writing

Rewrite the sentences to be more formal without changing overall meaning.

1. Treva's always super tired after school, so she'd just like to hit the sack.



2. Man, we shoulda got tickets to the concert! It stinks they've sold out.

3. Kids can only hang out at the mall when parents are watching them.

A cartoon superhero with brown hair, wearing a blue suit with a red cape and a shield emblem on his chest, is flying through the air. The shield emblem has the letters 'STW' on it.

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6. Would you like to go to the movies sometime this week?

7. Vera has not yet finalized her evening plans.

ANSWER KEY

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Answers will vary but must remove some or all of the informal language. Examples are given.

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1. Treva's always super tired after school, so she'd just like to hit the sack.

Treva is always exhausted after school, so she would rather sleep.



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7. Vera has not yet finalized her evening plans.

Vera's plans tonight are up in the air.