

Practice 2 *The text below is about not being properly attired for an interview.*

Read the text below. There are grammatical errors in the text. The errors have been underlined for you.

Write one word to correct the error in the space provided. An example has been given. The correct word **must not change the meaning** of the sentence.

I got my first job when I was nineteen after I manage to convince my parent to allow me to earn some pocket money. I hear that a company in the building where my brother worked needed a temporary clerk. I phoned a company's office for an interview. I was ask to report to the office the next morning. Never having attended an interview before, I took pains to make a better impression. Next morning, after anyone had woken up, I sneaked out in my hest clothes. I did not want to be teased about mine appearance. I walked into the office at 8.45a.m. to be on time from the interview. After I had told the receptionist who I was so why I was there, she pointed to a door. She said I could start working today and that my desk was in the room. Greatly puzzled, I asked her about the interviews I was supposed to attend. She explained that I was to be here for only a month. Then she told me smilingly to wear shoes the next day. I looked down and was stunned for a moment – I had rushed off in my slippers!

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- (b) _____
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