



PSLE English Mastery
Editing Techniques

The Write Tribe





Practice 5

Each of the underlined words contains either a spelling or grammatical error. Write the correct word in each of the boxes.

1.

An iceberg is like a giant natural ice cube. It is sometimes known for

an ice mountain. It is actually a huge piece of freshwater ice that has broken

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off from a glaycier. After the separate, the iceberg then floats freely in the

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open water. One amaze fact about icebergs is that the portion of the iceberg

that you see above the water surface is only about ten per cent of the entire

piece.

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When an iceberg melts, it makes a fyzing sound. The sound is made

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when the komprased air bubbles in the iceberg burst. As it burst, they make

a 'popping' sound.

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Icebergs can be klussified according to their size as well as their shape.

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There are two beisic types of icebergs: tabular and non-tabular. Tabular

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icebergs have steep sides and are general flat at the top. Such icebergs

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12.

are sometimes call 'ice islands'. Non-tabular icebergs have an asortment of

shapes. They can be dome-shaped, pinnacle-shaped or any other shapes. The

most famous iceberg is the one that caused the ship, Titanic, to sink.

Practice 6

Each of the underlined words contains either a spelling or grammatical error. Write the correct word in each of the boxes.

Today is the school's annual health check for pupils. Every pupil has

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to undergo a health check by a doctor. The doctor skreens each pupil for any

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developmental issues. The doctor also checks on the general condishen of

the pupils.

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Jenny is feeling a bit nurvous about the health check. She has never

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really like doctors. She is especialy afraid of injections. When it is Jenny's

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turn, her heart thumps loud in her chest. Her hands are klemmy as she walks

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into the examination room. She does not want to appear tyrnid so she puts

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9.

on a brave front. The doctor first asks if she is allergy to any drugs. He also

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asks if she is suffer from any long-term medical issues. Jenny answers that

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she is not. Next, the doctor listens to her heart and her breath. He also asks

Jenny to stand up straight to ensure that she has no spinal problems. After

a few more minutes of examination, the doctor declares that she can leave.

12.

Jenny is surprise that the ordeal is over. The medical examination did not

turn out badly after all.

Practice 7

Each of the underlined words contains either a spelling or grammatical error. Write the correct word in each of the boxes.

Most of us are familiar with the cartoon film 'Pocahontas'. However,

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do you know that it is base on a real woman who lived long ago? Pocahontas

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was a Neitive American born in 1596. She was the daughter of Powhatan, a

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great tribel chief.

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In 1613, Pocahontas was captured and held for rensum by the English.

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During her captive, she converted to Christianity and changed her name to

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Rebecca. In fact, even though there was later a chance to return with her

people, she chose to remain with the English instead. Later in April 1614,

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she married a toubaco planter named John Rolfe. In January 1615, she gave

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born to a son.

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In 1616, Pocahontas travel with her family to London. She was used

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as an example of a 'sivilised savage'. She then became a celabrity of sorts.

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In 1617, Pocahontas died of unknown causes. She was bury in a church in

Gravesend in the United Kingdom. However, the exact location of her grave

is unknown.