

Name: _____

Spot It: Unnecessary Words

Circle the number of the sentences that contain unnecessary words.

1. The building project would be costly.
2. Jane's day was kind of like a train wreck.
3. The teacher was very pleased with the students in her class.
4. He never knew who told the family's secret.
5. The city council had no future plans to expand that street.
6. My brother and sister often argue.
7. He hugged his mother for no particular reason.
8. The stoplight actually turned green when we approached the intersection.
9. They enjoyed a long discussion about the new rules.
10. Her grandmother's visit was an unexpected surprise.