Proofread: Expository Writing

PROOFREADING MARKS

Correct paragraph A add (A takeout, make a capital letter. /make a small letter. Check the spelling. Add a period.

After you revise your report, you will need to proofread it to correct any errors. When you proofread your expository writing you should:



• Read to make sure your subjects and verbs agree.

• Add commas to separate items in a series and after introductory phrases.

• Check for capitalization of proper nouns and other punctuation.

• Combine short sentences.

• Check for spelling errors.

A. Read the following expository writing. Complete the blanks to correct this passage

Have you ever heard the term air pressure when you listen to a weather report on _____radio or TV _____Air pressure _____ play an important role in weather. If the air press _____is rising, it means that the weather is going to improve. When air pressure falls bad weather may be on its way. _____ storms happen in low-pressure areas. Scientists measure air pressure. Scientists use a barometer Air is all around us. It pushes against us all the time. I did an experiment with air to _____found out just how strong it is. I used a _____ruller a table, and a _____cheet of paper. I put the ruler on the table so that about 1/3 of it stuck over the edge. Then I put the _____parper over the ruler. Next, I hit the ruler to try to make the paper _____flies into the air. Guess what happened _____

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