

20 Multiple choice questions

Term

I (didn't hardly notice) (hardly noticed) you there

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 easily noticed **didn't (remove barely)** **hardly noticed** **didn't notice**

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positive word

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 expresses the idea of "doubt" **express the idea of "no"** **expresses the idea of "yes"** **expresses the idea of "uncertainty"**

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My sister played basketball but she doesn't (no, any) more.

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 anywhere **any** **ever** **anything**

Term

The dog (was, wasn't) nowhere to be found.

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 was **any** **anywhere** **are**

Definition

two negative words used together in the same sentence creates this error

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 double negative **split infinitive** **only one** **Irregular verb**

Term

You (didn't barely, didn't) finish your work.

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 two negative words used together in the same sentence creates this error **any** **anything** **didn't (remove barely)**

I didn't see (nothing, anything) at the movies.

- any
- something
- anything
- nothing

You (didn't barely, barely) finished your work.

- didn't barely (remove finish, change to finished early)
- barely (remove didn't, change finish to finished)
- didn't (remove barely)
- any

How do I correct a double negative?

- remove all negative words or replace a negative word with a neutral word
- add another negative word or replace a positive word with a negative word
- remove one of the negative words or replace a negative word with a positive word
- combine two positive words or replace a negative word with a synonym

We didn't have (no, any) time to finish the test.

- are
- any
- anything
- anybody

That attitude won't get you (nowhere, anywhere).

- somewhere
- nowhere
- correct: he could find nowhere to eat. (remove the negative "not.")
- anywhere

Correct: He could find nowhere to eat. (Remove the negative "not.")

- He could find nothing to eat.
- He could (not) find nowhere to eat.
- He could not find anywhere to eat.
- He could find somewhere to eat.

He could not find (nowhere, anywhere) to eat.

- correct: he could find nowhere to eat. (remove the negative "not.")
- somewhere
- anywhere
- nowhere

I (didn't hardly notice) (didn't notice) you there

- won't notice**
- don't notice**
- haven't notice**
- didn't notice**

I haven't (never, ever) heard that song before.

- ever**
- sometimes**
- never**
- yet**

How many negative words should there be in a sentence to convey a negative meaning?

- only one**
- two**
- one or two**
- only two**

She doesn't (never, ever) come with us.

- never**
- sometimes**
- ever**
- yet**

negative words

- express the idea of "sometimes"**
- express the idea of "maybe"**
- express the idea of "yes"**
- express the idea of "no"**

I didn't want help from (nobody, anybody).

- anybody**
- anything**
- nobody**
- nothing**

He never cooks (nothing, anything) exciting for dinner.

- anybody**
- something**
- nothing**
- anything**