Period 31 **FINDING ERRORS (SENTENCES)**

Find a mistake in each sentence and correct it

Exercise 1:

1. Because of the seriousness of the company's financial problems, the board of directors have called an emergency meeting.
2. Some of the animals from the zoo was released into the animal preserve.

3. All of the students in the class taught by professor Roberts is required to turn in their term papers next Monday.
4. Only once this morning was the letters delivered by the campus mail service.

5. The computer programmer was unaware that there was so many mistakes in the program he had written.
6. Every man, woman, and child in this line are required to sign the forms in order to complete the registration process.
7. Bobby has a bigger bicycle than does the other children in the neighborhood.

8. If nobody have bought that car from the dealer, you should return and make another offer.

9. Seldom in the history of television has two new comedies been so successful in one season.

10. Each of the four types of human tooth are suited for a specific purpose.

Exercise 2:

1. Computers are often used to control, adjustment, and correct complex industrial operations.

2. Many places of history, scientific, cultural or scienic importance have been designated national monuments.
3. R. Buckminster Fuller was a design, an architect, an inventor and an engineer.

4. As a breed, golden retrivers are intelligent, loyally and friendly dogs.
5. Mathematics can be considered a language, an art, a science, a tool or playing a game.

6. An ant's antennae provide it with the scences of hear, smell, touch and taste.

7. The bellflower is a wildflower the grows in shady fields, in marches, and mountain slopes.

8. Sacramento is the commercial, industry, and financial center of California's Central Valley,
as well as being the state capital.

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9. When taking part in winter sports, one should wear clothing that is lightweight, warmth and suitable for the activity.
10. Electricity is used to light, hot and cool buildings.

Exercise 3:

1. Wilmington is an only large city in the state of Delaware.
2. In the 1920s, gasoline companies began giving away free road maps to the customers.

3. In 1891, first state law to help local communities pay for highways was passed in New Jersey.

4. Hereford cows are one of most common breeds of cattle raised for beef.
5. About the third of the Earth's land surface is covered by relatively flat plain.

6. Lumber is dried and seasoned in an heated chamber called a dry skin.
7. To be effective, an advertisement must first attract an attention.
8. At beginning of the Civil War, Matthew Brady was authorized to accompany the Union Army and take photographs.
9. It was around 1925 that accurate, convenient system for recording the choreography of ballet was developed.
10. Granfather Mountain, a highest mountain in the Blue Ridge mountain range, is in North Carolina.

Exercise 4.

1. Water polo is a game in which is played in the water by two teams, each with seven players.

2. Dynamics is a branch of physics that deals for the relationship between motion and force.

3. Many of radio stations began broadcasting baseball games during the 1920s.

4. The economy of Maine is based to a great extent in its forests, which cover 80 percent of its surface area.
5. The removal of water materials is essential to all forms of live.
6. John Diefenbaker, Prime Minister of Canada during 1957 to 1963, is given much of the credit for the adoption of the Canadian Bill of Right.
7. All of the wheat grown throughout the world belongs one of fourteen species.

8. There are approximately 600 different species of trees native of the continental United States.

9. It takes over four years for light from the nearest star reaching the earth.
10. In the mid-1900s, an increasing number of jobs in the United States have involved the handling of information.

Exercise 5:

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1. Paintings of a religious, ceremonial, or history character tend to elevate their subjects above the level of ordinary existence.
2. The risk of heart disease can be lower by diet and exercise.
3. Banks are rushing to merge because consolidations enable them to slash theirs costs and expand.
4. In my view, parents should not let their children watch too many television.
5. Willian Hart was an act best known for his role as western heroes in silent films.

6. The students, when confronted with evidence of cheating on the final exam, was extremely defensive.
7. The earth is the only planet with a large number of oxygen in its atmosphere.

8. Venus approaches the Earth more closely than any other planet is.
9. A desert area that has been without water for six years will still bloom when rain will come.

10. Alfafia is a nutrious crop rich in proteins, minerals, and with vitamins.
11. Average family size has increased from the Victorian era.
12. They prefer to stay in their home country because family ties.
13. In 1892, the first long-distance telephone line between Chicago and New York was formally opening.
14. Sloths are moving slow, shaggy mammals that are often seen hanging upside down from tree limbs.
15. Carbohydrates as such sugar or starches are important energy sources for humans and animals.
16. Until 1960, Maine was unique in that it held presidential and congressional elections on September, two months earlier than the rest of the nation.
17. Dreams are commonly made up of either visual and verbal images.
18. Georgia has too many types of soil that virtually any temperature-zone crop can be grown there.
19. Some critics have called Theodore Dreiser's book Sister Carrie a first modern novel because it broke so many traditions.
20. More than 10,000 years ago, glaciers moved across the Minnesota region four time, levelling most of the land.

Exercise 6:

1. Abigail Adams' letters to her husband present a graphic picture of the age which she lived.

2. The author Susan Glaspell won a Pulizer Prize in 1931 for hers play, Alison's House.

3. Herman Melville's novel Moby Dick describes the dangers, difficult, and often violent life abroad a whaling ship.
4. The process of fermentation takes place only in the absent of oxygen.
5. Not longer are contributions to the advancement of industry made primarily by individuals.

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6. Even though the extremely bad weather in the mountains, the climbers decided not to cancel their climb.
7. When I got home, Irene was lying in bed thinking about what a wonderful time she's had.

8. Shortly before the Allied invasion of Normandy, Ernest Hemingway has gone to London as a war correspondent for Colliers.
9. Higher education is very importance to nationnal economies, and it is also a source of trained
and educated personnel for the whole country.
10. We are working, that means that we are contributing goods and services to our society.

11. Reading can not make your life longer, but reading really makes your life more thicker.

12. One of the best ways to encourage your children to read are to provide interesting titles for them to enjoy.
13. When he was young, he is used to drinking a lot.
14. Most greetings cards are folding and have a picture on the front and a message inside.

15. *Aloha* is a Hawaiian word meaning 'love', that can be used to say hello or goodbye.

16. Psychological experiment indicate that people remember more math problems that they
can't solve than those they are able to solve.
17. Mrs. Stevens, along with her cousins from New Mexico, are planning to attend the festivities.

18. The better you are at English, more chance you have to get a job with international organizations
19. When her dog died, she cried very hardly for half an hour.
20. Fannie Farmer, an educator and cooking expert, she wrote the first distinctively American cookbook.
21. The more the relative humidity reading rises, the worst the heat affects us.

22. Before he retired last April, Mr. Thompson is working as foreign student advisor for thirty years at Community College.
23. The secretary thought that she will have to wait until tomorrow to send the letters because the mail had already gone, but her boss suggested that she take them to the post office instead.

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24. Between one thing and another, Anna does not get through with her term paper last Friday.

25. Because the high risk of dire during the drought, the officials ordered that no outside fire of any sort could be set.

Exercise 7:

1. Alloys of gold and copper have been widely using in various types of coins.
2. One of the most controversial issues in food safety recently has been irradiation of meat.

3. Recent studies conduct on happiness indicate that a number of factors contribute to how we feel.
4. Two weeks are too short a time for us to finish the project.
5. The Dean demanded thorough research, complete investigate, and a well-written report.
6. Princess Diana found the invasion of her privacy intolerant.
7. Ocean currents help transfer heat from the equator to the poles, thereby create a more balanced global environment.
8. Contemporary film directors, some of them write the scripts for, act in, and even produce their own motion pictures, are thereby assuming even more control of their art.
9. Ten to twenty yearrs after transferring files to new media, the files should be checked for compatible.
10. Tonight's supper, leftovers from last night, did not taste any good tonight than last night.
11. A schedule of the day's events can obtain at the front desk.
12. Why certain plants contain alkaloids remains a mystery, although botanists have formulated
a number of theory to explain it.
13. The petroleum is composed of a complex mixture of hydrogen and carbon.
14. Much I sympathise with your problems, I'm afraid that there is nothing I can do to help you.
15. This discovery of the magnetic effects of coils made possible to measure an electric current.
16. You'll be able to hold the audience's attention if your speech is live enough.
17. It is impossible to enter that programme unless you lack experience as a teacher.
18. An ambitious person is committed to improve his or her status at work.
19. Jane was having a whale of a time at the party, and could rarely be dragged away.
20. Banks are rushing to merge because consolidations enable them to slash theirs costs and expand.

Exercise 8:

1. Though snow had fallen all day long, everyone got to the church on time for the wedding.
2. A photograph of the race's final moments has been awarded first place.
3. Cats and dogs are kept as pets in mostly every country in the world.

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4. The creature instinctive understands himself as human, something more than a machine.
5. It is proving less costly and more profitably for drugmakers to market directly to patients.
6. At the neighbourhood flower shop, flower in quantities of a dozen or a half dozen can be
delivered for free.
7. The University of Kentucky has held this prestigious title until 1989, when it was granted to the University of Georgia.
8. By studying the fossils of pollen, which extremely resistant to decay, researchers can gain
useful information about the vegetation of the past.
9. M. L. King Jr.'s magnificient speaking ability enabling him to effectively express the demands
for justice for black Americans.
10. At the building site the carpenters with the most experience were given the most intricate works.
11. If not completely satisfying, you can return the product to the manufacturer.
12. Aristotle believed that everything in the universe were composed of four basic elements: earth, water, air and fire.
13. No wonder he was sacked! He seems to be fiddling the accounts for years.
14. The article is one of the parts of speech that causes most difficulty to students.

15. The lawyer had a nervous breakdown although he had been working for years without a break.
16. White blood cells are the largest of red blood cells and are more varied in size and in shape.
17. The racquet with that I was playing was too big and too heavy for me.
18. As the result of regularly inspections, the restaurants in this county have improved their sanitation practices.
19. Gas and dust that stream away from a comet forming one or more tails that may extend for millions of miles.
20. The vacuum tube did an important contribution to the early growth of radio and television.

Exercise 9:

1. The high-power computer, the most powerful machine of its type, was finally readied for use.

2. Though surprised at the results, she was pleased with how she had done.
3. Erosion is a serious problem along the beaches wherever strong storms enter from the sea.

4. To remove stains from permanent press clothing, carefully soaking in cold water before washing with a regular detergent.
5. Students are not allowed to handle these chemicals if they are under the supervision

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of a teacher
6. Taking a trip to the foreign country is a good way to practice a second language, but it is too expensive for many people.
7. If you record people spoke a disappearing language, you can keep important information about both the language and its speakers.
8. Parents can help to solve their children's learn problems by volunteering in the classroom.

9. Robert Frost was not well known as a poet until he reached the forties.
10. The amounts of oxygen and nitrogen in the air almost always remain stable, but the amount of water vapor vary considerably.
11. The American frontiersman, politician, and soldier Davy Crockett is one of the most popular American hero.
12. A five-thousand-dollars reward was offered for the capture of the escaped criminals.

13. The word "shore" can be used rather of "coast" to mean the land bodering the sea.

14. The deadbolt is the best lock for entry doors because it is not only inexpensive but installation is easy.
15. Dietitians urge people to eat a banana a day to get potassium enough in their diet.

16. Woody Guthrie has written thousands of songs during her lifetime, many of which became classic folk songs
17. The development of transistors made possible it to reduce the size of many electronic devices.

18. My father is a good family man, completely devoted for his wife and kids.
19. The bus was plenty of people who had spent many a happy hour in the stores doing their
Christmas shopping.
20. Weather and geography conditions may determine the type of transportation used in a region.

Exercise 10:

1. When you talk to the old man, please remember to speak out as he's hard of hearing.

2. During pioneer times, the Allegheny Mountains were a barrier major to transportation.

3. In Philadelphia's Franklin Institute, there is a working model of a human heart enough large
for visitors to walk through.
4. The task of the cartographer is to represent the Earth's surface at a reduced greatly scale.

5. Mutualism is a relationship between animal species which in both benefit.

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6. To grow well, a tree must be well-suited to the area where is it planted.
7. If she can't keep up payments she risks to lose her home, as thousands of families have done.
8. Twelve drawings usually have to be prepared for second each of animated film.

9. During solar storms, the Earth is bombarded with abnormally high amounts of radiate.

10. An umbra is a shadow's darkest central part where is light totally excluded.

11. Frank Llyoyd Wright is known for his original highly methods of harmonizing buildings
with their surroundings.
12. Some algae are microscopic and consist of one only cell, but others are large plants containing many cells.
13. Commercial bakeries can make thousands of loaves of bread on one time by using automated equipment.
14. Oceanography is not a single science and rather a group of disciplines with a common focus.
15. The term "forgetting" refers to the loss, whether temporary and long-term, of material that
has previously been learned.
16. Reclamation is the successful attempt to make deserts, marshlands, or other unusable land
suitable of farming or building.
17. The Dave Brubek Quartet, one of the most popular jazz bands of the 1950s, had a particularly loyal following on campuses college.
18. It is their nearly perfect crystal structure that gives diamonds their hardness, brilliance and
transparent.
19. Unlike competitive running, race walkers must always keep some portion of their feet in contact with the ground.
20. One of the most beautiful botanical gardens in the United States is the wildly and lovely
Magnolia Gardens near Chasleston, South Carolina.

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