GRADE 5
SUBJECT: Grammar
TOPIC: Double Negatives

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When two negative words are used in the same sentence, it is called a double negative. These negatives mean no or not. They are identified as no, not, never, none and nothing.

Example: Don't never walk home alone. Double negative

Correction: Don't ever walk home alone. Single negative

INSTRUCTIONS: Match the statement on the left to the correction on the right.

STATEMENTS	CORRECTIONS
1. There wasn't nobody at home.	None of the athletes ever went to the game.
2. I didn't see no one on the park.	Don't ever play in the streets.
3. None of the athletes never went to the game.	I haven't been anywhere in weeks.
4. I haven't been nowhere in weeks.	There wasn't anyone at home.
5. Don't never play in the streets.	I didn't see anybody on the park.

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