

# PROOF READING SKILLS

These short, simple exercises are very good practice for learning English as a foreign language. Many English speakers take for granted the listener's knowledge of different contexts of words which sound exactly the same.

Try and adapt these to the needs and strengths of your class.

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In these short exercises, you will cover words which sound the same, as well as spelling, and adding punctuation in the appropriate places.

## SIMILAR WORDS

From time [1] (to/two/too) time, I look out my bedroom window and [2] (think/tink) [3] (how/who) amazing it would [4] (be/bee) to fly [5] (to/two/too) the stars. In my imagination, I shoot past [6] (they're/their/there) blinding white light, in the direction [7] (of/off) a distant planet. Yet, at the same [8] (time/thyme), I [9] (know/no/now) just how lucky I am [10] (to/two/too) be a part of this Earth.

## SPELLING

Since anyon can remembere, there have been peepel on this Earth. However, whit wood it have been like without peepel? Humans have done so much damagee to the enviroment, such as polute many seas and rivers, yet we have also built so maney beautifull places. Some places include the Pyrramids, the Great Wall of China, and many beautifull catheadrals.

## PUNCTUATION

1. The Boeing 767 is an American mid-size [1] wide-body twinjet airliner produced by Boeing's Commercial Airplane division [2] the 767 can carry between 181 and 245 passengers in a standard three-class configuration [3] and has a range of 5,200 to 6,590 nautical miles (9,400 to 12,200 km) depending on variant [4] it entered into service in 1982 and some variants are still currently in production [5]
2. Sonatine is a piano piece written by Maurice Ravel from 1903–1905 [6] the work was dedicated to Ida and Cipa Godebski [7] he later dedicated his Ma Mère l'Oye suite to their children [8] the piece is in three movements [9]