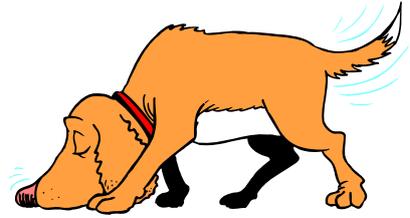


Learning Zone Retrieval Activities

Focus On Grammar

COMMON ERRORS

- Can you sniff out the spelling and / or punctuation error in each of these sentences?
- Write your answer underneath the original.
- Good luck!



1. They like football alot.

They like football a lot.

2. John is hi's friend.

John is his friend.

3. Hi shouted Jane.

"Hi!" shouted Jane. (could be a comma)

4. The pea's where delicious.

The peas were delicious.

5. Hannah went to the local school she was a hard-working and pleasant girl.

Hannah went to the local school; she was a hardworking and pleasant girl.

6. Be quite said the teacher.

"Be quiet," said the teacher.

7. I live just passed the supermarket.

I live just past the supermarket.

8. Whose that woman over there

Who's that woman over there?

9. £500 is to expensive I think.

£500 is too expensive, I think.

10. The childrens books.

The children's books.

11. We never go nowhere in winter.

We never go anywhere in winter.

12. In town I brought an ipod, a DVD, a pair of jeans, and a burger.

In town I bought: an ipod, a DVD, a pair of jeans and a burger.

13. Lucy said she seen the thieves running away.

Lucy said she saw the thieves running away.

14. Im not sure weather to go or not.

I'm not sure whether to go or not.

15. Movies are much better these days the cgi makes it all feel reel.

Movies are much better these days: the CGI makes it all feel real.

16. They cooked the meal themselves.

They cooked the meal themselves.

17. Do you like swimming

Do you like swimming?

18. The cat licked it's lips.

The cat licked its lips.

19. Tim writes very quick.

Tim writes very quickly.

20. You shouldn't of bought that to school.

You shouldn't have brought that to school.