

Quotation Marks

(practice quiz)

Directions: Use quotation marks, capital letters, and any other punctuation necessary to rewrite the following sentences correctly. Write “Correct” if the sentence does not need any additional punctuation.

1) Are we there yet she asked.

2) The engineer told us that the bridge would support the truck.

3) The Charleston Cougars are playing the Cary Rail Hawks in soccer tonight.

4) I am tired the boy said and then drifted off to sleep.

5) We really should be going now she said.

6) I received an incomplete on my homework because I forgot to write my name on it.

7) Whenever my mother claims to have an emergency, it's usually nothing more than a paper cut.

8) Starry Night, by Van Gogh, is a beautiful painting.

9) Excuse me he said do you have the time?

10) The word chandler refers to someone who makes candles.

11) She said that she didn't know where she was going.

12) Mommy can I have an apple he asked.

13) The mother said that the obnoxious child simply had a lot of energy.

14) The judge told us that it would do us some good to spend a little time in prison before sentencing us to 30 years.

15) James wondered if there was anybody home.

16) The president yelled we must have peace

17) Billy the kid was a famous western gunslinger.

18) Jim said you can leave now Aunt June said.

Answers:

- 1) "Are we there yet?" she asked.
- 2) Correct.
- 3) The Charleston "Cougars" are playing the Cary "Rail Hawks" in soccer tonight.
- 4) "I am tired," the boy said and then drifted off to sleep.
- 5) "We really should be going now," she said.
- 6) I received an "incomplete" on my homework because I forgot to write my name on it.
- 7) Whenever my mother claims to have an "emergency", it's usually nothing more than a paper cut.
- 8) "Starry Night", by Van Gogh, is a beautiful painting.
- 9) "Excuse me," he said, "Do you have the time?"
- 10) The word "chandler" refers to someone who makes candles.
- 11) Correct
- 12) "Mommy, can I have an apple?" he asked.
- 13) The mother said that the obnoxious child simply had a lot of "energy".
- 14) The judge told us that it would do us some good to spend a "little time" in prison, before sentencing us to 30 years.
- 15) Correct
- 16) The president yelled, "We must have peace!"
- 17) Billy "The Kid" was a famous western gunslinger.
- 18) "Jim said, 'you can leave now,'" Aunt June said.