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English 10H/McMane

Spring Grammar Practice

Check the space provided if the sentence is correct; if there is an error in usage, write the correct form. (Assume formal usage in all cases.)

1. Because he failed, Boris had to repeat the second grade again. _____
2. Linda makes quite a few grammar mistakes every day. _____
3. The police chief took the detective off of the case. _____
4. I'm doing an okay job in English so far this year, but I could do better. _____
5. It must of been a beautiful day for a walk in the park. _____
6. She maybe the best math teacher we ever had! _____
7. Dr. Jones is the new superintendent owing to the fact that the last superintendent retired. _____
8. Bob and Joe gave a verbal explanation of the war in Iraq. _____
9. The media is very influential on young people today. _____
10. "This Frisbee is for outdoors use only," said the mother angrily. _____
11. The lawyer gave my brother and myself some free legal advice. _____
12. Only four persons in the graduating class have been accepted to Ivy League colleges. _____
13. I read where for every human on Earth there are 1.6 million ants. _____
14. "You may refer back to your notes," explained the professor. _____
15. Although we are suppose to go to Florida this summer, we may not have the money to go. _____
16. "I'm real tired tonight," she repeated after lying down on the couch. _____
17. Although they both live in the water, a whale and a frog are a mammal and an amphibian, respectively. _____
18. "I plan to go to Nashville Auto Diesel College," said Elizabeth proudly. _____
19. I put in many hours on my oral presentation, practicing my speech in front of a mirror. _____
20. Tweezing his eyebrows was part of Marvin's everyday routine. _____
21. "Quit your bellyaching!" yelled the grandma at her seven whining grandchildren. _____
22. The teacher treated her first period class in the same way as her third period class. _____
23. We asked Delores where she got her prom dress and she went, "At the mall." _____
24. The reason I love sloths is because they are so cute and lazy. _____
25. The CEO runs the company very effectively and treats his employees respectfully. _____

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