

• Style Quiz 5

Use the AP Stylebook to determine if the following sentences follow style. Mark a C if the sentence is correct. If any component of the sentence is incorrect, mark an I and circle what is wrong. Use copy-editing symbols to correct.

- _____ 1. Twelve students earned top honors at the awards assembly.
- _____ 2. A head-on crash injured 2 faculty members after school yesterday.
- _____ 3. All computers in the school are now set up for student email.
- _____ 4. Many students suffer with migraine headaches, according to a recent survey.
- _____ 5. The teachers passed out their syllabi yesterday.
- _____ 6. She made a U-turn in the parking lot.
- _____ 7. Membership in the PTA is up for the 3rd year in a row.
- _____ 8. The band practices at 7 pm every Monday.
- _____ 9. Governor George Bush will speak at graduation.
- _____ 10. Over 10 students were expelled after shooting guns in the parking lot yesterday.

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- _____ 1. John Smith, Hung Nguyen, and Jesus Rodrigues graduated at the top of their class.
- _____ 2. Both James and Sue Jones keep separate checking and savings accounts.
- _____ 3. The final deadline for yearbook copy submission is Feb. 14.
- _____ 4. The Bears blanked the Rams, 7 to 0, to win the district baseball championship.
- _____ 5. George W. Bush will represent the Republican Party in the November election.
- _____ 6. Robert Doan spent \$15.00 on a new CD for his best friend.
- _____ 7. The novel seniors are required to read is 357 pages.
- _____ 8. The principle praised the teachers for their efforts to raise TAAS scores.
- _____ 9. Many varieties of cactuses grow in the school greenhouse.
- _____ 10. The staff celebrates birthdays on the first Monday of each month.

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- _____ 1. The fire was set at approximately 8:30 am.
- _____ 2. *Time* magazine recently indicated that 80 percent of the population accesses the Internet.
- _____ 3. The book lay on the table at home.
- _____ 4. In first grade, students learn the ABCs.
- _____ 5. The police do not know who set the fire at 283 W. 23rd Street.
- _____ 6. Tickets for tonight's performance of *Macbeth* are \$12 for adults and \$8 for students.
- _____ 7. Two-thirds of the students polled opted not to enroll in AP classes.
- _____ 8. Soccer games are sometimes played in temperatures below 32 degrees.
- _____ 9. Over 300 students voted in the homecoming elections.
- _____ 10. The school board will meet December 14.

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- _____ 1. The reverend Bill Swopes presented the proposal.
- _____ 2. Prom will be at 7 o'clock Saturday at the Hilton Hotel.
- _____ 3. Ashlie Burke is a sophmore.
- _____ 4. Midland is west of Fort Worth.
- _____ 5. The teacher spoke with a Southern accent.
- _____ 6. The golf team had sixteen members.
- _____ 7. McKinney High School is located on Wilson Creek Parkway.
- _____ 8. The Rams beat the Bulldogs 14-6.
- _____ 9. Teachers' salaries were raised 3000 dollars.
- _____ 10. Dr. Pepper paid for the new practice field.

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- _____ 1. During August, the temperatures soared above 100°.
- _____ 2. On March 12, the team won by three points.
- _____ 3. He ran 5 yards in 9 seconds.
- _____ 4. Kick-off is 7 p.m.
- _____ 5. On Wednesday, National Honor Society members met at the middle school.
- _____ 6. The principal received \$1 million as a donation.
- _____ 7. There were alot of people at the meeting.
- _____ 8. Eighteen choir students won first place.
- _____ 9. Once they were on the field, Coach Bob Barns told the players to run, jump, and throw the ball.
- _____ 10. The new science lab is in Room 136.

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- _____ 1. The newspaper advisor set the interview for 2 p.m.
- _____ 2. The president lives at 1600 Pennsylvania Ave.
- _____ 3. A 19-year-old woman was killed yesterday in a car accident.
- _____ 4. John F. Kennedy Jr. was killed in an airplane crash in 1999.
- _____ 5. The Tinker decision was handed down the late 1960's.
- _____ 6. The Spring semester final exams will be the second week of May.
- _____ 7. He was 99% sure that he was correct.
- _____ 8. The Republican National Convention was held in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.
- _____ 9. She chose a pink, yellow and green color scheme for her room.
- _____ 10. He lives in Addison, Texas.

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- _____ 1. At 12 noon lunch will be delivered.
- _____ 2. The suspect will be transported to Paducah, KY.
- _____ 3. A 15-member council was formed to study the increasing unemployment rate in the county.
- _____ 4. A sex offender resides at 2568 Henderson Rd.
- _____ 5. 68 basketball players boarded the bus after the game.
- _____ 6. In the spring, ten students advanced to the regional meet.
- _____ 7. 2/3 of the student body voted yes for the program.
- _____ 8. Spending increased 18 percent.
- _____ 9. The mayor okayed the building proposal.
- _____ 10. Stephanie Williams designed the junior class tee shirt.

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- _____ 1. Graduation ceremonies will be Apr. 12.
- _____ 2. The 28-year-old Oklahoma native has taught here for six years.
- _____ 3. Al Gore claimed to have invented the internet.
- _____ 4. The workshop was held in Austin, TX.
- _____ 5. Jagged limestone cliffs line Highway 290 through the Hill Country.
- _____ 6. More than 50 bootleggers were arrested in the 1920s.
- _____ 7. Real estate values have increased in Central Texas by 127% in the past decade.
- _____ 8. Tasha Jackson, a lawyer, was driving the car when it jumped the curb and hit the concrete retaining wall.
- _____ 9. The school colors are purple, green, and gold.
- _____ 10. The fire broke out at 10:30 a.m. in the morning.

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- _____ 1. Teenagers are registering to vote in record numbers.
- _____ 2. The car was parked on South St.
- _____ 3. The Great Depression was ended in the 1940s by World War II.
- _____ 4. During the Vietnam Conflict, students on college campuses held anti-war demonstrations.
- _____ 5. Most sophomores are 16-year-old teen-agers.
- _____ 6. These bulbs bloom in spring.
- _____ 7. Fifteen students were issued tickets for truancy.
- _____ 8. Prom tickets cost \$50.
- _____ 9. During the 1970's, Richard Nixon resigned from office.
- _____ 10. The School Board met Sept. 6.

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- _____ 1. Dr Pepper has asked to be the official soft drink of the school.
- _____ 2. A head-on crash injured 2 faculty member after school yesterday.
- _____ 3. The yearbook advisor announced sales begin tomorrow.
- _____ 4. A teen-ager was arrested Saturday night after graffitti was found at the north entrance to the school.
- _____ 5. The football team won 14-3.
- _____ 6. Delta airlines has hired several retired air force pilots.
- _____ 7. An all-time record was set last Sept. 1st.
- _____ 8. They cannot understand why C.B.S. aired the program.
- _____ 9. She drank the coke.
- _____ 10. The files were xeoroxed for documentation.

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- _____ 1. He was arrested for drunk driving 6 times.
- _____ 2. Nancy Reagan wrote about her days as First Lady.
- _____ 3. The 20-year-old woman is a fire fighter.
- _____ 4. The disastrous storm affected 1000s of Fla. citizens.
- _____ 5. He wants to ensure that all Federal Judges attend the meeting.
- _____ 6. The defendent reached for a kleenex as she sobbed in the courtroom.
- _____ 7. Senator Steven Hilliard supported the pershing two missle.
- _____ 8. During the 80's, MTV made an impact on Pop Culture.
- _____ 9. Each Winter they watch the birds fly South.
- _____ 10. The President will meet with his Cabinet at 8 am Monday morning.

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- _____ 1. He lives at 1023 West Fourteenth Street in Lincoln, Nebraska.
- _____ 2. The winds bore down at speeks up to 70 m.p.h.
- _____ 3. The F.B.I. spokesman said the girl was 18.
- _____ 4. The social secuirty deficit affects 10 million Americans.
- _____ 5. The Board of Directors held their monthly meeting Dec. 1st.
- _____ 6. The man had four son-in-laws.
- _____ 7. All legislatures in the South are supporting the plan.
- _____ 8. One of five ladies will be elected chairperson.
- _____ 9. The spokesperson announced the time change.
- _____ 10. The postman delivered the mail.

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- _____ 1. I live at 4613 Basil Drive.
- _____ 2. The yearbook advisor announced the new advertising rates.
- _____ 3. Last fall, the president flew to China.
- _____ 4. The swim team has new T-shirts.
- _____ 5. The football game will be broadcast over the Internet.
- _____ 6. The hotel will accomodate 184 guests.
- _____ 7. The Math Department has a meeting Tues.
- _____ 8. Louisiana is in the Deep South.
- _____ 9. Dallas, Texas is the setting for Richard Gere's new movie.
- _____ 10. The doctor performed an electrocardiogram on the governor.

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- _____ 1. The heat indices for today could set new records.
- _____ 2. The Inauguration Day for the new president has not been set.
- _____ 3. Elderly citizens make up a larger percentage of the vote than ten years ago.
- _____ 4. The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints was burglarized Friday night.
- _____ 5. CB radios were popular in the '70s.
- _____ 6. The murderer used an axe.
- _____ 7. Baby Boomers have reached 50.
- _____ 8. The Big Three automakers suffered record losses.
- _____ 9. Marilyn Monroe was a blonde.
- _____ 10. GIs returned from the Persian Gulf War.

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- _____ 1. Election Day is Nov. 7.
- _____ 2. The robber used a double barreled shotgun.
- _____ 3. The meeting will be 12 noon.
- _____ 4. That is a noncontroversial issue.
- _____ 5. Mardi Gras is celebrated on fat Tuesday.
- _____ 6. Daylight-savings time begins Saturday.
- _____ 7. His kidney failure was attributed to Bright's disease.
- _____ 8. The suspect was described as bowlegged.
- _____ 9. The story was broadcasted Monday.
- _____ 10. The candidate accused the press of giving him flak over his decision to cancel his press conference.

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- _____ 1. The governor's plane dropped from the radar at 7:35 p.m.
- _____ 2. Coca-Cola helped finance the field house.
- _____ 3. Michael Douglas's fiance is Catherine Zeta-Jones.
- _____ 4. The McKinney firemen have a new bicycle unit.
- _____ 5. Dinosaurs disappeared during the ice age.
- _____ 6. The defendent reached for a kleenex as she sobbed in the courtroom.
- _____ 7. "The Star-Spangled Banner" is our national anthem.
- _____ 8. The victim had a part-time job.
- _____ 9. Fly fishing was his favorite pastime.
- _____ 10. Channel 12 is the local Public Broadcasting Service.

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- _____ 1. The stylebook is like a Bible for the journalism class.
- _____ 2. Karen Sims hit a fieldgoal from the foul line just before half-time.
- _____ 3. Ottawa is the capitol of Canada.
- _____ 4. Station KORNFM comes on the air at 4:00 a.m. in the morning.
- _____ 5. The Mississippi river overflowed its banks.
- _____ 6. They ordered french fries, hamburgers, and soft drinks.
- _____ 7. The winner gets a trip to Tacoma, Wash. and Los Angeles.
- _____ 8. The apartment rented for \$1000 a month.
- _____ 9. Tax returns are due April 15th.
- _____ 10. The electoral college elects the president

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- _____ 1. 79 percent of Texans favor local control of schools.
- _____ 2. The two year old fell in a well.
- _____ 3. The 20-year-old woman is a postman.
- _____ 4. The murder weapon was found in a wastebasket.
- _____ 5. The senator introduced legislation to outlaw the Saturday night special.
- _____ 6. The basketball team won the first game of the season 56-44.
- _____ 7. The playoffs will be determined next tuesday.
- _____ 8. The suspect was placed in a strait-jacket.
- _____ 9. Prince William is the successor to the throne after his father.
- _____ 10. The hot coffee was in a Styrofoam cup.

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- _____ 1. The bar around the corner was their hide-out.
- _____ 2. He rescued his three brothers-in-law from the blaze.
- _____ 3. Passer-bys will notice the new window display.
- _____ 4. The injured were taken to a local hospital.
- _____ 5. She took the long-distance call.
- _____ 6. The address is 765 North 9th St.
- _____ 7. Valessa Robinson was using LSD when she killed her mother.
- _____ 8. The church took the Lord's Supper last Sunday night.
- _____ 9. The Baptist church believes in heaven and hell.
- _____ 10. The flags were flown at half-mast in honor of the dead soldiers.

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- _____ 1. The school has a 12% absentee rate.
- _____ 2. Halley's comet visits every 75 years.
- _____ 3. The principal said that she was gay.
- _____ 4. Government officials looked for the fuselage.
- _____ 5. Marie and Donnie Osmond were the emcees for the Miss America pageant.
- _____ 6. The Roaring '20s ended with the stock market crash.
- _____ 7. Earthquakes are measured with the Richter scale.
- _____ 8. The Ringling Bros. and Barnum & Bailey Circus will perform tonight.
- _____ 9. The Rio Grande River separates Mexico and the United States.
- _____ 10. The teacher drives a Rolls-Royce.

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- _____ 1. Key club will meet at 7:30 in the morning.
- _____ 2. Teachers will hand out their syllabi.
- _____ 3. Dr. Pepper does not have a contract with the school.
- _____ 4. The student council will sell coke.
- _____ 5. The wreck happened September 6.
- _____ 6. Judge Judy comes on at 4 p.m. in the afternoon.
- _____ 7. Christmas colors include red, green, and gold.
- _____ 8. The tour of homes will begin at 45678 N. 9th Street.
- _____ 9. The school board will meet Apr. 11.
- _____ 10. Sen. Kay Bailey-Hutchinson will run for re-election.

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Use the AP Stylebook to determine if the following sentences follow style. Mark a C if the sentence is correct. If any component of the sentence is incorrect, mark an I and circle what is wrong. Use copy-editing symbols to correct.

- _____ 1. The recipe calls for sugar, flour and oil.
- _____ 2. Arizona has many cactuses.
- _____ 3. The junior class will sell t-shirts at lunch.
- _____ 4. The Class of 2001 will graduate in May.
- _____ 5. She visited the doctor for a checkup.
- _____ 6. Chevy trucks are more popular than Ford trucks.
- _____ 7. The poll could be off by four percent.
- _____ 8. The children loaded the busses.
- _____ 9. The NAACP fights for the rights of black people.
- _____ 10. He is the asst. pastor at First Baptist Church.

