

DAILY ORAL LANGUAGE – BELL RINGERS

SWBAT identify errors and make corrections to a series of daily oral language sentences that contain inconsistencies in verb tense, subject-verb agreement and lack commas.

RECOPY THE SENTENCES and MAKE THE NECESSARY CORRECTIONS so that the VERB TENSE IS CONSISTENT or the SUBJECT AGREES WITH THE VERB. Place a comma in each sentence.

Day 1

1. Walter Dean Myers write about the hardships children face growing up in harsh urban environments, and the author also using his own experiences growing up in Harlem, New York to construct stories that represented experiences that young African Americans can relates to. (1 comma needed)
2. Walter Dean Myer's stories portraying positive aspects of a community that society has labeled in a negative way so Myers's characters is complex and as tough as their environment. (1 comma needed)

Day 2

1. Although Myer's protagonists learns from their mistakes and becoming stronger individuals these characters do not completely reforming themselves. (1 comma needed)
2. Steve fit the image of a large population of inmates in prison and because of this everyone who is involving in his trial has label him a monster. (2 comma needed)

Day 3

1. Steve know he is a good person and struggle with the way he is perceived by his lawyer his parents and everyone else. (2 comma needed)
2. Steve Harmon is on trial for a murder that happened during a drugstore robbery, and Steve believe that the prosecutor think he is a monster.

Day 4

1. Steve worry that his parents don't believe he is innocent and this troubled adolescent decide to record the events of the trial as a movie. (1 comma needed)
2. Steve Harmon's mother is shocked when the police come to her house one day taking Steve away and book him for robbery. (2 commas needed)

Day 5

1. Steve Harmon loving making movies so when he is in prison Steve write a screenplay about being on trial for murder. (2 commas needed)
2. When Steve's prosecutor calls him a "monster" he decide this is a good name for his film. (1 comma needed)
3. When Steve's film teacher comes to his trial one day Mrs. Henry talks about how honest Steve's films be. (1 comma needed)

Day 6

During the robbery the owner is shot and kill so Steve Harmon is accused of robbery and murder. (2 commas needed)

Oswaldo was also involved in the crime so when his friends asking Steve to be the lookout he shrugged. (2 commas needed)