

Week 15  
Due 5-2-19

PRACTICE EXERCISE  
"Q - R"

**Directions:** Circle the correct form of the word.

1. He is attempting to (quantify, qualify) for the race early in the year.
2. She was reading her book with (wrapped, rapt) attention when the intruder entered through the bedroom window.
3. The young rebels tried to (rest, wrest) control of the facilities from the authorities by taking over the radio station.
4. She will have to put a (rein, reign, rain) on his wild behavior if the relationship is to work.
5. The message was (relayed, relaid) too late to stop the train.
6. We watched the (review, revue) at the Schubert from front-row seats.
7. The (rights, rites) were conducted in quiet solemnity.
8. The names were taken from the (roles, rolls) of the taxpayers.
9. She always (reeks, wreaks) of cheap perfume.
10. The syndicate tried to (ring, wring) even more money from the gambler.
11. The chairman (rapped, wrapped, rapt) the meeting to order.
12. The tenement was (raised, razed) to make way for the high-rise.
13. As the morning wore on, the retreat turned into a (rout, route).
14. Her fragile body was (racked, wracked) with pain.
15. He learned all the lessons by (rote, wrote).
16. The country enjoyed peace and prosperity during his relatively short (reign, rain, rein).
17. He (rude, rued) the day he met her.
18. His job on the detonation squad was a rather (risky, risque) business.
19. Because of the change in his job, he will have to have a (rider, writer) attached to his insurance policy.
20. Until the flood waters (recede, reseed), it will not be possible to (reseed, recede) the fields.
21. He has no reason to (resent, recent) her promotion.

PROOFREADING EXERCISE

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**Directions:** Make changes in the words where necessary. Some sentences are correct.

1. It appears that this corporation will have to be dissolved and that we will have to reform it at a later date.
2. The sharp wrap at the door startled everyone in the room.
3. The plans are to raze that house and rebuild on the same site.
4. If he is to succeed in this organization, he is going to have to put a rein on that temper.
5. After months in the hospital after the accident, she came home feeling okay but looking reed thin.
6. Sometimes it is necessary to learn the material absolutely by rote.
7. She tried desperately to rest herself from his grip.
8. I am selecting people from the roles I have in front of me at this time.
9. We found her in the corner of the bedroom, ringing her hands and sobbing uncontrollably.
10. The sunshine glinted off the quarts.
11. The team is going to do a quantitative analysis in order to see where we might improve the efficiency of our operation.
12. He did not succeed in getting his book copywrighted.
13. He is particularly fond of shad row.
14. I went to see Dr. Williams, Dr. Martin, and Dr. Harris, respectably.
15. I have come to resent his actions with respect to my wife.
16. He lives a very retched existence.
17. We shall be in rout to our destination within the hour.
18. It is obvious at a glance that the rabbit is not even and that the drawer will not fit.
19. I enjoyed the review but would have preferred seeing a musical with a story line.
20. The game was close in the beginning but turned into a route.
21. We were promised at 2:00 A.M. that revelry would not be until 7:00, but the sergeant lied.