

## Proofreading Practice Worksheet 7-1

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### **Instructions**

Read the paragraphs and correct the errors. Most mistakes are related to punctuation, subject-verb agreement, sentences that don't stop, and spelling.

### **Proofreading 1**

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### **Proofreading 2**

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### **Proofreading 3**

The quality of you're printed pages depends alot on the printers ink. Refilling a cartridge buy yourself is a great way to save money, but the print quality will be low it can also be quiet messy. Many companies recycle cartridges they take empty cartridges, clean them up, and add new ink. It's more expensive, but it gives batter results.

## Proofreading Practice - Answers Worksheet 7-2

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