

CUPS Editing Review

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Understanding Capitalization, Usage, Punctuation, and Spelling

Name: _____

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Answer the following questions about the CUPS editing lesson.

1. CUPS stands for Capitalization, Usage, Punctuation, and ____.

2. Why is it important to edit our writing?

3. What do we use to check if words are spelled right?

- A. Capitalization
- B. Usage
- C. Spelling

4. Capitalization means to start sentences with small letters.

- True False

5. What does punctuation help us with?

- A. Making sentences longer
- B. Using periods, commas, and question marks
- C. Choosing the right words

6. A gentle answer turns away _____, but harsh words stir up anger.

7. Using correct punctuation makes our writing easier to read.

- True False

8. How can editing help others understand us better?

9. Which of these is an example of usage?

- A. Starting names with a capital letter
- B. Ending sentences with a period
- C. Using the right word for the sentence

10. Let no corrupt speech proceed out of your mouth, but only what is good for ____ others up.

Answer Key

1. Spelling 2. To make it clear and correct for readers. 3. Spelling 4. False 5. Using periods, commas, and question marks 6. wrath 7. True 8. It makes our writing clearer and easier to follow. 9. Using the right word for the sentence 10. building