

Pronouns Exercise

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Edit the following sentences to eliminate problems with pronoun-antecedent agreement and to correct errors in pronoun reference. Most of the sentences can be revised in more than one way, so experiment before choosing a solution.

1. If the teacher loses their desire to make a difference, then they are no longer able to inspire their students.
2. Many teachers become condescending towards their students because they feel that they are "less" than them because they are learning from them.
3. A teacher must catch a student's interest in a subject to inspire them to explore and research more deeply.
4. Every student has their own ideal method of education.
5. They tell us that the teachers know everything and the students know nothing.
6. Children don't realize the problems associated with labeling people with negative stereotypes. They don't understand that they show disrespect.
7. When Amy Tan was growing up, her mother's limited English limited her perception of her.
8. Sexuality is none of anyone's business and they should not judge people based on it.
9. Bharati Mukherjee respects her sister's opinion even though she disagrees with it. There is nothing wrong with her decision.
10. Malcolm X is a prime example of what can be achieved when an individual wants to further their education.