



- 1 Look at the symbols often used to correct mistakes in writing. Correct the underlined mistakes in the sentences. Compare your answers with a partner.

<b>Sp</b>	Spelling	1 I'm <u>enjoing</u> the party.
<b>WW</b>	Wrong word	2 They went <u>in</u> Italy on holiday.
<b>WO</b>	Word order	3 I have <u>two brothers</u> younger.
<b>Gr</b>	Grammar	4 She's got some new <u>reds</u> shoes.
<b>T</b>	Tense	5 He <u>arrive</u> yesterday.
<b>P</b>	Punctuation	6 They <u>arent</u> coming.
<b>^</b>	Word missing	7 She's doctor.

- 2 Work in two groups. In each of the sentences below there is one mistake.

**Group A** Find the mistakes in **A**. Use the symbols to mark them, but don't correct them.

**Group B** Find the mistakes in **B**. Use the symbols to mark them, but don't correct them.

- A**
- I like Rome because is a beautiful city.
  - She studied for three years psychology.
  - There aren't any milk.
  - He's speaking French, German, and Spanish.
  - I watched TV, than I went to bed.
  - Did you by any bread at the supermarket?

- B**
- I lost my all money.
  - What did you last night?
  - He always wear jeans.
  - My town is quite at the weekend.
  - I want that I pass the exam.
  - She's married with Peter.

- 3 Find a partner from the other group. Correct each other's sentences.

- 4 Correct this piece of student writing.



My best friend was my best man when I get married two year ago. He's name is Antonio and we met in university in Bologna. In fact we met on our very first day their. Antonio was first person I spoke with and we discovered we were both studying Spanish and that we were both football fans. When we left university we went together travelling for six month. We had a fantastic time touring north and south america. When we were in Mexico we met two sisters of London, Emma and Kate. Now I'm married with Emma and next year Antonio and Kate going to get married. I like Antonio because he very funny and we has really good times together. He live in a different town now, but we text or call often each other. I'm very lucky that he's my friend.

- 5 Write about your own best friend.
- 6 Swap with a partner and see if you can find any mistakes. Read your work aloud to the class.