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## Unit 3 VERBS

### Lesson 28: Verbs Often Misused (pp. 124–127)

#### Remember

Verbs that have meanings that are related or similar can cause confusion. These include *teach* and *learn*, *sit* and *set*, and *let* and *leave*. Study the meaning of these words so that you use them correctly.

teach—to give knowledge

learn—to get knowledge

sit—to rest

set—to put or place; to establish

let—to allow or permit

leave—to go away from; to let remain in place

Write the word in parentheses that correctly completes each sentence.

1. We usually \_\_\_\_\_ on the porch and talk after dinner. (sit, set)
2. Will you \_\_\_\_\_ Ryan how to dive? (teach, learn)
3. Come inside and \_\_\_\_\_ the younger children alone, Denise. (let, leave)
4. Just \_\_\_\_\_ me read my book in peace, please. (let, leave)
5. Please \_\_\_\_\_ this box on the back seat of the van, Jack. (sit, set)
6. Your camp counselors can \_\_\_\_\_ you a great deal this summer. (teach, learn)
7. Our cat \_\_\_\_\_ in the sunlight. (sits, sets)
8. Will you \_\_\_\_\_ the luggage by the curb, please. (sit, set)
9. They are \_\_\_\_\_ duck decoys out on the lake. (sitting, setting)
10. I am going to \_\_\_\_\_ myself how to cook Chinese food. (teach, learn)
11. Don't \_\_\_\_\_ so near the edge of the raft. (sit, set)
12. Crystal shouldn't \_\_\_\_\_ her dogs run loose every morning. (let, leave)
13. \_\_\_\_\_ me see your photographs of Biloxi. (Let, Leave)
14. Did your math teacher \_\_\_\_\_ you how to multiply fractions? (teach, learn)
15. Where did Grandma Hannah \_\_\_\_\_ her car keys? (let, leave)