

All Megablunders 12

Each of the following sentences is correct or contains a Megablunder. Possible Megablunders include ROS, FRAG, PAR, MM, DM, PR, AGREE, CASE. In the space to the left of the sentence, write either C for correct or the abbreviation for the Megablunder. For sentences containing an error, write a complete corrected version in the space below.

1. Ulysses promised to strive, to seek, to find, and that he would never yield.

2. As a responsible hiker, we should take care of our own equipment so that the guides can concentrate on following the trail.

3. The wound at first did not seem life-threatening; McKinley's doctors, therefore, took their time about getting him to the hospital.

4. Dangling from the lip of a thousand-foot precipice, sleet began to fall.

5. The problem was not that there were too many visitors, it was that the ferry didn't make enough trips.

6. The teacher offered a prize of ten snack bar dollars for whomever committed the fewest Megablunders in the course of the year.

7. When the Ostrogoths encountered the Visigoths at Tintinium in 479 AD., they were put to flight in less than an hour.

8. All things being equal, Stephen was sure that the friendship between Jack and him would survive even Jack's most pig-headed behavior.

9. The trouble with tennis is that people who play often suffer severe elbow pain.

10. Dressed to kill in a buckskin jacket that had a pleated waist, velvet lapels, and a built-in holster.