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Fisher No Excuse Words and Number prefixes

1. Complete the cloze sentences with the correct word choice (on back).
2. Write each word in your own **complete sentence**. Your sentences should be descriptive and interesting. Mix up your sentence types by including the different types of sentences below.

When you are finished with your sentences you must have at least three of each sentence type:

- declarative (statement/fact)
- exclamatory (exclamation!)
- imperative (direction/command)
- interrogative (question?)

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CLOZE Sentences—fill in each blank with a no excuse word.

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1. Welcome _____ Fisher Middle School, English 6!
2. English teachers can be found in _____ buildings—the R-wing and the T-Wing.
3. Your English teachers are excited to be back at school _____.

their, there, they're

4. _____ are many new adventures to have in middle school!
5. Many students are excited to see _____ friends again and meet new teachers.
6. The entire staff has been busy planning for your first week here. _____ all available to answer any questions you may have.

here, hear, except, accept

7. _____ for Monday, what time does school begin each day?
8. Students will _____ directions for assignments, and they are posted on the teacher websites.
9. Can you also find where the assignments will be listed _____ in the classroom?
10. Teachers at Fisher Middle School will only _____ your best effort and do not allow students to fail!

it's, its, than, then

11. Will you enjoy *Where the Red Fern Grows* our first novel? _____ an exciting story of a young boy, Billy, who longs for a red-bone coon hunting dog.
12. Each week this quarter, you will read a short story. _____ you will answer comprehension questions about the story.
13. Fisher's students are _____ greatest asset, for they are compassionate and caring young people!
14. How many students would rather read our exciting novel _____ write an essay?

where, were, we're, wear

15. Many students could not decide what to _____ on the first day of school.
16. They _____ excited to make a great first impression on their teachers.
17. Other students were more concerned about _____ they would find their friends at break or lunch on this big campus.
18. The teachers reassured them, "Don't worry, _____ here to help you!"

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19. _____ favorite class may turn out to be English!
20. No matter what, you _____ going to learn _____ during this school year.
21. _____ promise is to help every student grow personally and academically; Whatever it takes!
22. _____ going to have an excellent year filled with learning, friends, and success!