

Lesson 18: Quiz 1 - How to Edit a Draft

Directions: Read the Revised Draft Paragraph 2 and the Edited Paragraph 2. Observe the underlined sentences in Revised Draft Paragraph 2. Look at the changes made to the Edited Paragraph 2 and then determine which number and letter from the Editing Checklist represents the correction that was made to the edited paragraph. List the sentences by their number and indicate which number and letter from the editing checklist applies to each sentence.

Revised Draft Paragraph 2

1) She was pitiful. 2) I decided to help her so I named her Lucy. 3) I take her home and fed her, she ate very fast and did not stop! I decided I had better take her to the vet for a check-up. 4) While she was there they gave her shots and a bath. She looked and smelled much better after that. 5) I made some phone calls to the animal shelters to see if I could find her owners but no luck so I began to think I might keep her and give her a nice home. 6) Finding her owners was not a big priority for me since she did look neglected when I first met her. I really believe she will have a better life with me.

Edited Paragraph 2

She was so pitiful I decided to help her. The nameless dog became “Lucy”! I took my new friend home and fed her. She ate very fast and did not stop! I decided I had better take Lucy to the vet for a check-up. While she was there they gave her shots and a bath. She looked and smelled much better after that. I made some phone calls to the animal shelters to see if I could find her owners, but no luck. I was surprised by my reaction. I was glad that I hadn’t found the owners! I decided I would help my new friend find a nice home, perhaps my home!

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Example:

Sentence 1: 1c