# 5 MINUTE STARTERS

### SPOT THE ERRORS:

maggie was unhappy. She had tried her best all day. But nothing had gone well it was like the world was against her. 'why does it always happen to me' she cried

### CHOSE THE CORRECT VERSION:

It was definitely there/their/they're fault.

There/their/they're my favourite!

It's up there/their/they're on the shelf.

There/their/they're so happy they won!

They left there/their/they're dog with there/their/they're auntie while they were on holiday.

# BE CREATIVE - WHAT COULD YOU REPLACE 'NICE' WITH?

He was a very nice man

Last night's meal was nice

She is always nice

The children's behavior was very nice

#### ADD OR DELETE APOSTROPHES FROM THE BELOW:

Vinny was always on time. It had been years since he had been late for anything. Lateness upset him and he just couldnt keep quiet when Sarah strolled in late again for the managers meeting. 'Youre late!' he boomed. Sarah flushed red. 'Here we go again', she thought 'I wish hed give me a break'.

#### CHOOSE THE CORRECT VERSION:

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I'm off to/too/two the shops.
Can you bring the baskets to/too/two?
It'll only take to/too/two minutes to do it.
It's just to/too/two much for one woman to/too/two do!
It's all just to/two/too depressing!
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### CHOOSE THE CORRECT VERSION:

Your/you're doing my head in!

Pass me your/you're finished work.

It's your/you're future.

Your/you're a credit to your parents.

Your/you're going to regret it if you don't take your/you're coat.

## SPOT THE ERRORS:

It had been a glorious day. Everything had gone as planned the bride looked lovely and no one had kicked off sandra breathed a sigh of relief. she had been so worried! She had told everyone that careful planning would safe the day and she had been right. If only people would listen to her more!

### ADD COMMAS TO THE SENTENCES BELOW:

'I need to pick up bread ham cheese milk and biscuits' said Sam.

Bina who had never like surprises looked at the door nervously.

'Finally we'll have some peace' thought Gerry.

#### CHOOSE THE CORRECT VERSION:

Its/it's in her best interest to work hard.

Its/it's always like this at this time of year.

Can you please give the cat its/it's dinner?

Its/it's been such a long time since I last saw you.

The Titanic sunk on its/it's maiden voyage.

# BE CREATIVE - WHAT COULD YOU REPLACE 'GOOD' WITH?

He is good at swimming.

I had a good time last night.

The play was good.

I got good feedback for my work.