

## Adding *-ed* and *-ing*

**Proofread a Report** Circle five words in this report that are spelled incorrectly. Write them correctly on the lines. Find a sentence with improper capitalization. Write it correctly on the line.

### Hybrid Cars

Some people think the efficiency of hybrid cars has been magnified. A hybrid car uses more than one source of energy while travelling. It combines a gasoline engine with a rechargeable electric battery.

Because a hybrid uses electricity for extra power, its gas engine is smaller and lighter. When stopped at a red light, the battery takes over, omiting use of the engines.

Some people think the efficiency of hybrid cars has been magnified. however because, they get better gas mileage, they save fuel. Hybrid cars give off fewer exhaust fumes, which avoids interffering with our air quality. This is one way technology is answeerring our pollution problems.

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| 1. _____ | 2. _____ |
| 3. _____ | 4. _____ |
| 5. _____ |          |
| 6. _____ |          |

### Spelling Words

answered  
 answering  
 traveled  
 traveling  
 chopped  
 chopping  
 qualified  
 qualifying  
 panicked  
 panicking  
  
 interfered  
 interfering  
 omitted  
 omitting  
 magnified  
 magnifying  
 patrolled  
 patrolling  
 skied  
 skiing

### Frequently Misspelled Words

grabbed  
 swimming

**Proofread Words** Circle the word in each pair that is spelled correctly. Write the word.

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|----------------|-------------|-----------|
| 7. skiing      | skeing      | 7. _____  |
| 8. patroled    | patrolled   | 8. _____  |
| 9. interfered  | interferred | 9. _____  |
| 10. chopping   | choping     | 10. _____ |
| 11. travled    | traveled    | 11. _____ |
| 12. magnifying | magnifing   | 12. _____ |



**Home Activity** Your child identified misspelled words with *-ed* and *-ing* endings. Ask your child to spell the list words he or she did not write when answering the questions on this page.

**Adding -ed and -ing****Spelling Words**

answered	answering	traveled	traveling	chopped
chopping	qualified	qualifying	panicked	panicking
interfered	interfering	omitted	omitting	magnified
magnifying	patrolled	patrolling	skied	skiing

**Word Scramble** Unscramble the list words and write them on the lines.

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|-----------------|-----------|
| 1. gsnkii       | 1. _____  |
| 2. gmnaigynfi   | 2. _____  |
| 3. gonmitti     | 3. _____  |
| 4. ignnitreeerf | 4. _____  |
| 5. gquuiaylfi   | 5. _____  |
| 6. daenrsew     | 6. _____  |
| 7. ckqpanini    | 7. _____  |
| 8. opcpdeh      | 8. _____  |
| 9. tomdeit      | 9. _____  |
| 10. veltraing   | 10. _____ |

**Words in Context** Use list words to complete the news report about a tornado.

The tornado that tore through town yesterday caused tremendous damage. People (11)\_\_\_\_\_ as they watched it approach before fleeing to seek shelter. The high winds (12)\_\_\_\_\_ with power and water supplies, and the heavy rains (13)\_\_\_\_\_ the problem. In one unusual case, a billboard fell on an abandoned car, (14)\_\_\_\_\_ it neatly in half. In the storm's aftermath, police and rescue workers (15)\_\_\_\_\_ the area. Other rescue workers (16)\_\_\_\_\_ from other cities to help the survivors.

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|-----------|-----------|-----------|
| 11. _____ | 12. _____ | 13. _____ |
| 14. _____ | 15. _____ | 16. _____ |



**Home Activity** Your child has learned to spell words ending in *-ed* and *-ing*. Ask your child to choose several words and use them in a sentence.