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# WORD CHOICE – EXERCISE 12:

## To, Too, and Two

**Directions:** Fill in the blanks with the appropriate choice—*to*, *too*, or *two*. Check your answers with the [interactive version](#) of the exercise.

1. Because Kyle had eaten \_\_\_\_\_ pizzas for lunch, he was \_\_\_\_\_ full at practice \_\_\_\_\_ impress Coach Hayden, who was making football cuts that afternoon.
2. Christopher managed to soak his sister Julie with \_\_\_\_\_ water balloons because the lazy sitter was \_\_\_\_\_ involved in her afternoon soap operas \_\_\_\_\_ notice their aggressive play.
3. Applying makeup in the rearview mirror and driving over the speed limit were the \_\_\_\_\_ reasons that Officer Rodriguez decided \_\_\_\_\_ stop Clarissa. He then wrote a ticket that was \_\_\_\_\_ expensive for her tight budget.
4. At night, the \_\_\_\_\_ hamsters made \_\_\_\_\_ much noise running on their squeaky exercise wheel. Sam plans to return them \_\_\_\_\_ the pet store and fill the aquarium with goldfish instead.
5. The \_\_\_\_\_ puppies pounced on Felix's tail, but the cat ignored them as he was \_\_\_\_\_ aloof \_\_\_\_\_ play.
6. Jake bought \_\_\_\_\_ dozen roses for his girlfriend Cynthia, hoping that she wasn't \_\_\_\_\_ angry that he had driven \_\_\_\_\_ New Smyrna Beach to surf with his buddies.

7. Tina has \_\_\_\_\_ much bad luck! She bought \_\_\_\_\_ new pens for her final exam in International Politics. \_\_\_\_\_ her surprise, the test was multiple choice and required a pencil for the answer sheet.
8. \_\_\_\_\_ ponytails bobbed on the back of Brittney's head. They were \_\_\_\_\_ distracting \_\_\_\_\_ Eric, who sat mesmerized like a cat watching the mini blind cord swaying in the breeze through an open window.
9. Sienna ordered \_\_\_\_\_ extra shots of espresso in her cappuccino. Joshua would have enjoyed the extra caffeine \_\_\_\_\_, but didn't want his hands \_\_\_\_\_ shake in chemistry lab that afternoon.
10. \_\_\_\_\_ cars ahead of Wanda was an idiot on a cell phone who was \_\_\_\_\_ distracted by the conversation \_\_\_\_\_ realize the light had changed.
11. Arriving \_\_\_\_\_ late to take the quiz, Amy calculated the zero into her average. She realized that she would need \_\_\_\_\_ 100s if she hoped \_\_\_\_\_ have the minimum C- to pass the course.
12. When Martha counted only \_\_\_\_\_ dollars in her wallet, she knew that she was \_\_\_\_\_ broke for a sandwich and would have \_\_\_\_\_ settle for potato chips and a canned soda for lunch.
13. Mrs. Pickle, the librarian who is \_\_\_\_\_ mean \_\_\_\_\_ approach, scowled when we removed the \_\_\_\_\_ large books on Renaissance art from the reference shelves.
14. Like everyone else in my organic chemistry class, I \_\_\_\_\_ want a good grade, but I refuse to bribe the lab assistant with \_\_\_\_\_ jelly donuts for extra time \_\_\_\_\_ finish this week's experiment.

15. \_\_\_\_\_ tired \_\_\_\_\_ clean up, Harry left the \_\_\_\_\_ half-eaten pizzas on the kitchen counter even though he knew Felix the cat would hop up and eat the pepperoni slices.
16. The bottle cap was \_\_\_\_\_ tight \_\_\_\_\_ loosen by hand, so Shane used his teeth, chipping \_\_\_\_\_ of them in the process.
17. \_\_\_\_\_ neglected plants were drooping on the kitchen window ledge. Kelly, who was \_\_\_\_\_ busy \_\_\_\_\_ notice, gulped a glass of cool water.
18. Ronnie and Tyler were \_\_\_\_\_ busy doing math homework in the back row \_\_\_\_\_ take notes on Mrs. Smith's Shakespeare lecture. She will happily reward their behavior with \_\_\_\_\_ *F*s on the next exam.
19. Attempting \_\_\_\_\_ eat more fruit and vegetables each day, Logan ordered a salad for lunch. \_\_\_\_\_ hours later, his stomach was growling \_\_\_\_\_ loudly for Logan to concentrate, so he bought a burger and fries to quiet the noise.
20. Her \_\_\_\_\_ roommates were planning \_\_\_\_\_ eat pizza at Antonio's. Sylvia wanted to go \_\_\_\_\_ but knew an *A* on her psychology exam would be more pleasurable than hot cheese and sauce on her tongue.

