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# COMMONLY CONFUSED AND MISUSED WORDS

**Directions:** Choose the right answer for each item below.

- Even though we warned Jake not to eat a hole pie at one sitting, he sat at the kitchen table and proceeded to consume slice after slice.  
A B  
C
- A. whole  
B. set  
C. preceeded  
D. No change is necessary.
- Give Jerrod a compliment because his shoe laces complement the colors in his plaid shirt. His fashion since is gradually improving.  
A B  
C
- A. complement  
B. compliment  
C. sense  
D. No change is necessary.
- If you go by the supermarket, buy a package of hotdog buns. Than we can grill the sausage for dinner.  
A B C
- A. buy  
B. by  
C. Then  
D. No change is necessary.
- Heed my advise, and don't loose your receipt. The college bookstore will not accept any excuse if you need to return those books.  
A B C
- A. advise  
B. lose  
C. except  
D. No change is necessary.



10. Mr. Ramos hopes to except<sup>A</sup> the bid on the house. He has agreed to many of the buyer's conditions, except<sup>B</sup> retiling the master bathroom since<sup>C</sup> it would be too much work.

- A. accept
- B. accept
- C. sense
- D. No change is necessary.



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