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1. The teacher stopped the fight on the playground.
2. Jason bought the cool sports car last week.
3. Computers use electricity even if they are hibernating.
4. The soldier fired a gun at the enemy.
5. The kitten batted the ball of yarn around the room.
6. The fire destroyed the house and the car.
7. Thomas Edison invented the light bulb.
8. The pencil sharpener broke the pencil.
9. Many people choose Pepsi instead of milk.
10. The body produces vitamin D when exposed to sunlight.
11. Jessy saved the kitten from the big dog.
12. Melvin plays basketball and baseball each year.
13. Todd sang a beautiful song in the class musical.
14. When we arrived at the airport, we boarded the plane.
15. Jim, Candy, and I ate lunch at the new Chinese restaurant.
16. Lilly broke both legs when she fell from the roof.
17. According to statistics, drugs kill people every day.
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