

Homophones and near-homophones: Y5/6 revisited

Choose the correct homophone to complete each sentence.

1. They listened as the _____ spoke.
2. We had been _____ for a while.
3. She tried to find an _____ seat.
4. I sat on a chair next to the _____.
5. The aeroplane began its _____.
6. I thanked her for the _____.

- profit prophet
 stationary stationery
 isle aisle
 altar alter
 dissent descent
 compliment complement

Decide whether the homophone in each sentence below has been used correctly. Correct those that are wrong.

Sentence	Correct or incorrect ✓ or X	Correction
I refused to let the rain <u>effect</u> our day out.		
We decided to sit down and <u>device</u> a new plan.		
It is very expensive to <u>license</u> a truck.		
He gave his <u>ascent</u> for us to repaint the room.		

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