Review A: Using Capital Letters

**Exercise A**  In the following sentences, cross out each word that contains an error in capitalization. Above the error, write the word correctly.

*Example 1.* We spent the day swimming and picnicking at the Lake.

1. Sophomores at Lincoln High School take World History II.
2. Mount Whitney is one of the highest mountains in North America.
3. The author of the book *A Tale of Two Cities* is Charles Dickens.
4. I saw an exhibit of paintings by the Mexican artist José Orozco.
5. Then, Aunt Clara began to sing the song “Silver Threads Among the Gold.”
6. The Cineplex Theater is two blocks North of our high school.
7. My Grandmother lives on the banks of the Ohio River.
8. There will be a full moon on my birthday, September 14.
9. Harrison Ford stars in the movie *Raiders Of The Lost Ark.*
10. Your Aunt Modene will take you to your appointment with Dr. Block.

**Exercise B**  Rewrite each of these word groups, using capital letters as needed. If the word group is capitalized correctly, write C.

*Example 1.* Declaration Of Independence  Declaration of Independence

11. The United States Senate
12. A Puerto Rican engineer for design, Inc.
13. 145 Spring Avenue, Munster, Indiana
14. Tuesday, the Fourteenth of November
15. The book *A Day No Pigs Would Die*
16. A beautiful river in North Dakota
17. A South American Jungle
18. A Pizza from the restaurant known as Mama Leone’s
19. A summer trip to the beach
20. My cousin Hannah
Review B: Using Capital Letters

**Exercise A** Rewrite each of these word groups, using capital letters as needed. If the word group is already capitalized correctly, write C.

Example 1. an asian american comedian  
C. an Asian American comedian

1. water from the salton sea
2. general ulysses s. grant
3. a hispanic doctor, alex rodriguez
4. a quarterback for the chicago bears football team
5. 897 cricket avenue, fort worth, texas
6. a picnic at the beach on long island
7. the book _the collected poems of w. b. yeats_
8. a winter vacation in a warm climate
9. a legend about a monster in lake superior
10. my grandmother, minnie robinson

**Exercise B** Each sentence contains one error in capitalization. Circle the word that is incorrectly capitalized or lowercased.

Example 1. Eva helped distribute programs in the theater’s lobby.

11. My cousin Sheila asked, “what time does the play begin?”
12. I glanced at my timex watch and told her the time.
13. She and i were planning to go to the Lillian Beaumont Theater.
14. I had seen the play _king lear_ there last november.
15. This time, Sheila had tickets to see the musical play _evita_.
16. It’s the story of Eva Peron, a legendary figure in the history of argentina.
17. I had become interested in Eva Peron after studying her in history class.
18. Sheila and I had both read a biography of Peron, _Evita: An Intimate Portrait Of Eva Peron_.
19. After seeing _Evita_, I realized that she had led a fascinating life.
20. I decided to ask Mr. Mitchell if we could practice singing songs from the show in music class.