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## Commonly Confused Words #2

When two words have similar sounds or spellings, it can be easy to mix them up! Write the correct word to complete each sentence.

1. My brother gave me a set of colorful \_\_\_\_\_ so I could write to him while he's away at college.  
In the garden, Marie stayed completely \_\_\_\_\_ as the butterfly landed on her shoulder.

**stationary**

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2. Quentin's cousin was older \_\_\_\_\_ him by just a few months.  
After breakfast, can you please feed the puppy and \_\_\_\_\_ let her out to play?

**than**

**then**

3. Do you know where I can buy more \_\_\_\_\_ for my mechanical pencil?  
The captain of the Greendale High volleyball team boldly \_\_\_\_\_ her team to victory.

**lead**

**led**

4. When Jazmin was on the swim team, she could hold her \_\_\_\_\_ underwater for a minute and a half!  
I love to \_\_\_\_\_ in the warm, comforting aroma of my uncle's homemade sourdough bread.

**breath**

**breathe**

5. Xavier invited his neighbor, Mrs. Chen, over for dinner, but she had \_\_\_\_\_ eaten that evening.  
The food was prepared, the decorations were up, and the Sharmas were \_\_\_\_\_ for the celebration.

**already**

**all ready**

6. Gather the dry ingredients for the cake and mix them \_\_\_\_\_ in a mixing bowl.  
Thankfully, the rain slowed as the party started and had stopped \_\_\_\_\_ by the end of the night.

**altogether**

**all together**

7. Some devices can even read your text messages \_\_\_\_\_ to you.  
The announcer kindly reminded guests that neither food nor drinks were \_\_\_\_\_ in the auditorium.

**aloud**

**allowed**

8. Do you know \_\_\_\_\_ going to be the opening act at the concert on Friday?  
Rafael wasn't sure \_\_\_\_\_ jacket it was, so he took it to the lost and found.

**whose**

**who's**

9. In the summertime, Penelope loves to \_\_\_\_\_ in her hammock and stare at the trees overhead.  
Cameron was honored to \_\_\_\_\_ a wreath at the veteran's monument downtown.

**lie**

**lay**