

Editing Skills- There is a word in some of these sentences that shouldn't be there; delete the word or mark the sentence right.

- 1. **In** yesterday's early launch gives Microsoft a valuable head-start over their rivals.
- 2. All drinkers develop some tolerance to **the** alcohol so that the heavy drinker can take a third more than the novice.
- Nearly two-thirds of the MPs present have voted against the president's candidate in a session late last night.
- 4. If they expected the next hour to be an easy ride, they were to be surprised. ✓
- 5. A controversial "safer cigarette" was designed to cut the risk of smoking-related diseases such as cancer and heart failure by up to 90% is being launched soon.
- 6. Our attitude will be stronger **attitude** than in the earlier games.
- 7. Officials yesterday admitted the new drink laws could lead to more alcoholrelated arrests because of more police resources were being deployed in this area.
- 8. Students from disadvantaged backgrounds often do less well at university as they struggle to pay the bills. ✓
- Towns and villages in the parts of England can expect more severe winter flooding and lengthy droughts during the summer in coming decades due to global warming.
- 10. Five years ago research was published showing that everyone of European extraction was descended from one of seven women who lived 40,000 years ago.

