



Pronoun Antecedent

Day 1	Day 2	Day 3	Day 4	Day 5
<p>invitation to Notice</p>	<p>Invitation to Compare, Contrast, and Imitate</p>	<p>Invitation to Revise</p>	<p>Invitation to Edit</p>	<p>Invitation to Write (Assessment)</p>
<p>“I stared at my father’s photograph—his thin face stern, lips latched tight, his eyes peering permanently to the right.” - Paul Fleischman, Seedfolks</p> <p>Points to Emphasize:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Antecedent pronoun is the word, phrase or clause to which the pronoun refers. • Vague pronouns are pronouns that are not clear which noun is the antecedent. 	<p>I stared _____ (describe what you saw), _____ (describe what you saw), _____ (describe what you saw), _____ (describe what you saw)</p> <p>Example: I stared out at my classroom- its walls filled with writing posters, its floor cluttered with students’ backpacks, its shelves crammed with novels.</p>	<p>Rewrite at least two of the following sentences, noticing where there is a vague pronoun, revising for a clear pronoun antecedent.</p> <p>When the boat hit the dock, it made a horrible noise. Ex: The boat made a horrible noise when it hit the dock.</p> <p>Jill gave her little sister a toy for Christmas that she played with constantly. Ex: Jill’s little sister played constantly with the toy that Jill gave her. The room contained a bed, a desk, and a computer. It was twenty feet long by sixteen feet wide. Ex: The room was twenty feet long by sixteen feet wide. It contained a bed, a desk, and a computer.</p>	<p>What’s wrong?</p> <p>“I stared at my father’s photograph—his thin face stern, lips latched tight, his eyes peering permanently to the right.” - Paul Fleischman, Seedfolks</p> <p>I stared at my father’s photograph-her thin face stern, lips latched tight, his eyes peering permanently to the right. <i>(Pronoun error)</i></p> <p>I stare at my father’s photograph- his thin face stern, lips latched tight, his eyes peering permanently to the right. <i>(Verb tense)</i></p> <p>I stared at my fathers photograph- his thin face stern, lips latched tight, his eyes peering permanently to the right. <i>(Possessive noun)</i></p> <p>I starred at my father’s photograph- his thin face stern, lips latched tight, his eyes peering permanently to the right. <i>(Spelling Error)</i></p>	<p>Write a short passage using at least two pronoun antecedents correctly.</p>