

Chapter 5 Supplementary Activity

Practice Proofreaders' Marks

Complete Lesson 35 before you complete this activity.

1. Print this document. Read the sentences and use proofreaders' marks to indicate corrections that should be made.
2. Key the sentences using your copy that has proofreaders' marks and making the changes indicated by the marks.

What is it that makes one person succeed and another fail when the two seem to have about equal ability? Some have said that the difference is in the degree of desire and effort each brings to the job. Others have said that an intent to become excellent is the main difference.

At least four items are likely to have a major effect on our success: basic ability, a desire to excel, an aim to succeed, and zestful effort. If any one of these is absent or at a low point, our chances for success are lessened. These features, however, can be developed if we wish.