Answer key

Echo Academy
Primary 5 English
Proofreading Practice

ELT: proofreading

Chris is writing to Miss Lee. There is a mistake in each numbered line. Underline the mistakes with a ruler and write the corrections above the mistakes. Follow the example.

The Reading Challenge

e.g. Dear ~~miss lee~~ **Miss Lee**.

1. I ~~read~~ **have read** twelve books since September.

2. The book ~~what~~ **that** I liked best is about a lighthouse.

3. It was ~~too~~ **so** interesting that I finished it in two days.

4. I ~~don't~~ **didn't** understand the ending yesterday.

5. My classmate ~~lend~~ **lent** me another book.

6. I ~~am reading~~ **was reading** it when Mum called.

7. There ~~isn't~~ **aren't** many pages left.

8. I will ~~returns~~ **return** it on Friday.

9. Thank you for ~~encourage~~ **encouraging** us.

10. I ~~am~~ **have been** in the challenge for six weeks.

Yours sincerely,
Chris