

Even advanced students make mistakes.

Here are 35.



**STOP**

### **Don't say/write**

*I'll ask you in case I need help.*  
*I object to tell them my age.*  
*I like the 60s music.*  
*Ten thousand, a hundred and six*  
*'Who's that?' ~ He's John.'*  
*I don't like to be shouted.*  
*It's ages since she's arrived.*  
*The police is looking for him.*  
*Prices are surely rising fast.*  
*I have big respect for her ideas.*  
*I don't like nowadays fashions.*  
*She passed her exam, what surprised everybody.*  
*I've good knowledge of German.*  
*Finally! Where have you been?*  
*I'll be home since 3 o' clock.*  
*We waited one and a half hour.*  
*It's time they go home.*  
*I'll see you a few days later.*  
*All along the centuries, there have been wars.*  
*I want a completely other colour.*  
*Let's go and have coffee to Marcel's.*  
*That's mine - I saw it at first!*  
*Switzerland is among Germany, France, Austria and Italy.*  
*According to me, it's a bad film.*  
*It was a too good party to miss.*  
*Whole Paris was celebrating.*



### **Say/write**

*I'll ask you **if** I need help.*  
*I object to **telling** them my age.*  
*I like 60s music. / the music of the 60s.*  
*Ten thousand, **one** hundred and six.*  
*'Who's that?' ~ **It's** John.'*  
*I don't like to be shouted **at**.*  
*It's ages since she arrived.*  
*'The police **are** looking ...*  
*Prices are **certainly** rising fast.*  
*I have **great** respect for her ideas.*  
*I don't like **today's/modern** fashions.*  
*She passed her exam, **which** surprised everybody.*  
*I've **a** good knowledge of German.*  
***At last!** Where have you been?*  
*I'll be home **from** 3 o' clock.*  
*We waited one and a half hours.*  
*It's time they **went** home.*  
*I'll see you **in** a few days.*  
*All **through** the centuries, there have been wars.*  
*I want a completely **different** colour.*  
*Let's go and have coffee **at** Marcel's.*  
*That's mine - I saw it first!*  
*Switzerland is **between** Germany, France, Austria and Italy.*  
*In my opinion / I think...*  
*It was too good **a** party to miss.*  
***The whole of** Paris was celebrating.*