

## WEEK 7: Casualties of War

### ■ Using the Right Word, Capitalization, Quotation Marks, Verb (Irregular), Comma (Interruptions)

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### Corrected Paragraph

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