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Misplaced Modifier or Not Worksheet

A modifier is a word, especially an adjective or noun used attributively, that restricts or adds to the sense of a head noun.

A modifier may function as an optional element in a phrase structure or clause structure.

Directions: Read each sentence and label it a “misplaced modifier” or “Not a misplaced modifier.”

Example: He nearly drove the car for six hours a day.

Answer: misplaced modifier

1. She saw a kitten and a puppy on the way to the store.

2. I gave my friend three dollars to buy some candy.

3. He almost failed every exam he took.

4. People who laugh rarely are sad.

5. When are we going to have fun at the park?
