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SKILL: Quotation Marks

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In this issue of *Scope*, you practiced using quotation marks in an article about Robert Pattinson. Here's a review:

Rule #1: Use quotation marks before and after a person's exact words.

Rule #2: Do not use quotation marks if you are stating what someone said without using his or her exact words.

Directions: Rewrite the sentences below, adding or removing quotation marks as necessary. Be careful! Some sentences are punctuated correctly and will not need to be changed. We've done the first one for you.

1. I heard that Mrs. Graham said that "she wants us to read *The Outsiders* in class."

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2. It is supposed to be a really good book, said Jerod. I'm glad we're reading it.

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3. According to Kayla, "the author's name is S.E. Hinton."

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4. Another male author, complained Rayleen, why can't we read female authors?

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5. "Actually," Hannah said, "S.E. Hinton is a female author."

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6. Her full name is "Susan Eloise Hinton," added Joe.

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7. "She was only 15 years old when she started writing *The Outsiders*," said Linda.

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8. How do you know so much about the author already? I asked.

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9. She's my favorite author!" exclaimed Joe.

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