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**Grammar Review – Dashes vs. Hyphens English III/Martin**

**Instructions:**Use dashes where they are needed in the following sentences.

1. We will invite Susan she is the new girl next door to our party.
2. The dog slid on the vinyl his nails acting like skates and crashed into the trash can.
3. All the presentations especially the one by Emily were excellent.
4. I leave I am so excited! for school today.
5. Kitchen, living room, bedrooms they were just as dirty as ever.
6. Oil, steel, wheat they were the backbone of industrialization.
7. Have you met Larry Millward the best friend I've ever had?
8. We lost in the fire everything clothes, jewelry, photos, memories.
9. We stopped in three cities Butte, Great Falls, Sweetgrass.
10. Next week how I dread it! I have to go to court.
11. You know the man across the street you are not even listening to me.
12. The dishes, the windows, the tile they were all broken by the storm.
13. They fished in the lower river a waste of time!
14. We had many things to do for the trip buy tickets, get passports, pack, arrange for the animals.
15. We we we shouldn't be in this warehouse.
16. Have you met my wife my best friend and eternal companion?

Directions: If the sentence containing a hyphen (or not) is correct, write C next to it; if it is incorrect, write I.

1. My ex husband and I used a mediator in our divorce.
2. My great-grandmother is almost 100 years old.
3. We won the game 46-42!
4. A retake of the test is required before moving on in the course.
5. I am craving a Diet-Coke!
6. The ninth-grade students had a great time at the dance.
7. The very-elegant watch looked fantastic on his wrist.
8. We have a two-year old child.
9. She has a concealed-weapons permit.
10. I’ll be there from March-May.
11. Sir Winthrop Heinz-Eakins will attend.
12. The high school senior doesn’t need help with his application.
13. The slipcover for the couch was was almost silk-like.
14. I don’t want to see the R rated movie!
15. It got so wrinkly that I must repress the shirt.