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Glossary of Usage: NO EXCUSE WORDS!

See Glossary of Usage explanations on pp.608-621 in Rules for Writers

- 1. accept, except
- 2. advice, advise
- 3. affect, effect
- 4. all ready, already
- 5. all together, altogether
- 6. allusion, illusion
- 7. a lot
- 8. among, between
- 9. amount, number
- 10. a while, awhile
- 11. bad, badly
- 12. being as, being that (use because or since)
- 13. beside, besides
- 14. can, may
- 15. capital, capitol
- 16. coarse, course
- 17. continual, continuous
- 18. emigrate, immigrate
- 19. etc.
- 20. farther, further
- 21. fewer, less
- 22. former, latter

- 23. good, well
- 24. have, of
- 25. imply, infer
- 26. irregardless
- 27. its, it's
- 28. lie, lay
- 29. like, as
- 30. loose, lose
- 31. precede, proceed
- 32. principal, principle
- 33. quote, quotation
- 34. rise, raise
- 35. sit, set
- 36. than, then
- 37. that, which, who
- 38. their, there, they're
- 39. theirs, there's
- 40. threw, through
- 41. to, too, two
- 42. way, ways
- 43. who, whom
- 44. whose, who's