

Editing Checklist for Writers and Evaluators <https://www.tntech.edu/cob/student-resources/eagle>

Step #1: Proofread. Pay special attention to spelling, capitals, and missing words.

Step #2: Consult the EAGLE online tutorial, available from the COB homepage (click student resources, then Easy Access Guide to Language Excellence) for help with these errors that may reflect poorly on your professional writing and your overall ability. The site suggests more resources for further help. = **acceptable** **X** = **needs work**

Subject-Verb Agreement Error

- __1. Plural subjects have plural verbs; singular subjects have singular verbs.
Hint: Identify the subject, and then substitute

__12. Subjects and verbs should fit each other logically.

A famous story from American history is George Washington. (faulty predication)

A famous story from American history is George Washington's crossing the Delaware.