

Double Negatives

Double negatives are when we use two negatives in a phrase or sentence. When we use negative words such as "no," "nobody," and "nothing" in a sentence, we don't generally use a negative verb. Otherwise, the sentence would be considered faulty.

Example

The coaches haven't met nobody from the new team.

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PREVIEW

Rewrite each sentence in two ways by correcting the double negative.

1) We don't

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2) I don't

3) Chris doesn't

4) They don't find

5) Irene doesn't

6) Evan doesn't

have no time for social media during the week.

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