Worksheet 12. What's the right meaning?

The second sentence in each item has an error in meaning. Find the error in the word or phrase and cross it out. Write the correction above the error.

You may use these words as corrections:

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- 1. When you multiply 325 by 10, you get more or less 3250.
- 2. Jeffrey never studies, and he sleeps in class. He is going to succeed in his physics course.
- 3. I'm really happy! The company fired me, and I will get a top salary!
- 4. Dick Harris is 64 years old. He is going to begin his career next year.
- 5. I'm really upset. My company hired me!
- 6. Mary's very friendly to everyone. She's shy.
- 7. Jack isn't good with customers. He doesn't eat well with them. He doesn't understand them and he doesn't know how to act with them.
- 8. Sam changes his phone number very often. His earlier phone number is 345-6789.
- 9. My grandfather always knows the right thing to do. He is very athletic.

