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Better Apologies

Directions: Rewrite each apology below to make it sound more sincere, honest, and responsible.

1. You accidentally deleted your friend's digital art project while trying to save your own file. "Sorry, but you should've backed it up."

2. You promised to help your classmate with a presentation but forgot to show up. "Sorry, I was busy, so it's not my fault."

3. You teased someone in front of other students, and they looked embarrassed. "Sorry if you were offended."

4. You bumped into someone in the hallway and made them drop their books. "Sorry, but I was in a hurry."

5. You borrowed a friend's headphones and returned them broken. "Sorry, but they were already old."

6. You shared a secret your friend told you not to tell. "Sorry, but it wasn't that serious."

7. You spilled a drink on someone's art project during class. "Sorry, but accidents happen."

8. You made fun of someone's answer during a class discussion. "Sorry, but I was only joking."
