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## Gentle Word Swap

**Directions:** Read each sentence below. Some of the phrases sound too harsh or unkind. Rewrite each sentence using **kinder, more respectful words** that show empathy and understanding.

1. The old woman can't walk fast anymore.

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2. The fat kid couldn't fit on the swing.

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3. The janitor cleans up everyone's messes.

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4. The poor family doesn't have nice clothes.

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5. The lazy student never does any homework.

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6. The blind man couldn't see the sign.

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7. The sick kid missed a whole week of school.

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8. The garbage man came late again.

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9. The deaf girl couldn't hear the movie.

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10. The dumb question made everyone laugh.

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