



# Bayview High

## *Making the Grade* Chapter 17: I Hate Mondays

### Working with Words—Abbreviations

An abbreviation is a word that has been shortened by leaving out some of the letters. Periods are usually used with abbreviations but metric symbols do not use periods.

For example: **Mr.** is the abbreviation for **Mister**

What are the complete words for the following abbreviations?

1. Ave. \_\_\_\_\_
2. AB. Or Alta. \_\_\_\_\_
3. km \_\_\_\_\_
4. Wed. \_\_\_\_\_
5. govt. \_\_\_\_\_
6. anon. \_\_\_\_\_
7. Mt. \_\_\_\_\_
8. Nov. \_\_\_\_\_
9. Apt. \_\_\_\_\_
10. kg \_\_\_\_\_

Write the abbreviations of the following words:

1. street \_\_\_\_\_
2. British Columbia \_\_\_\_\_
3. Tuesday \_\_\_\_\_
4. September \_\_\_\_\_
5. Madame \_\_\_\_\_
6. boulevard \_\_\_\_\_
7. Quebec \_\_\_\_\_
8. Vice-Principal \_\_\_\_\_
9. Attention \_\_\_\_\_
10. Doctor \_\_\_\_\_