Error Correction Answers

Look at each sentence. They are all incorrect. Explain why the sentence is incorrect and write the correct sentence in the spaces provided.

1) I was so disappointing with my English grade this semester.

EXPLANATION

We're describing the emotion of a person, so we need ED ending.

CORRECT SENTENCE

I was so disappointed with my English grade this semester.

2) It was a very distressed situation.

EXPLANATION

We're describing the situation creating an emotion, so we need ING ending.

CORRECT SENTENCE

It was a very distressing situation.

3) I was absolutely exhausting after that race.

EXPLANATION

We're describing the emotions of a person, so we need ED ending.

CORRECT SENTENCE

I was absolutely exhausted after that race.



4) I was so insulting by his behaviour!

EXPLANATION

We're describing the emotions of a person, so we need ED ending.

CORRECT SENTENCE

I was so insulted by his behaviour.

5) I've never been so humiliating in my life.

EXPLANATION

We're describing the emotions of a person so we need ED ending.

CORRECT SENTENCE

I've never been so humiliated in my life.

6) I was really pleasing with my results.

EXPLANATION

We're describing the emotions of a person so we need ED ending.

CORRECT SENTENCE

I was really pleased with my results.

7) It's quite a troubled situation in my country.

EXPLANATION

We're describing a situation that creates an emotion, so we need ING ending.

CORRECT SENTENCE

It's quite a troubling situation in my country.

