

Making Generalizations

Directions: Read each group of statements. Then write your own valid and faulty generalizations for each group.



- Jake is the top scorer on his basketball team.
- Jake was the quarterback on his football team last fall, and the team finished their season undefeated.
- Jake gets a hit nearly every time he goes up to bat in baseball.

A valid generalization based on the above statements would be:

A faulty generalization based on the above statements would be:

- Jill's dad is a professional golfer.
- Jill's mom and dad met playing golf.
- Jill's mom is the coach of the high school golf team.

A valid generalization based on the above statements would be:

A faulty generalization based on the above statements would be:

