

**Punctuation  
Kinds of Sentences**

Sentences end in punctuation marks. Telling sentences end in periods. Asking questions end in question marks.

Exclamation marks end with sentences to show emotion. Examples: Hooray, it's my birthday! Wow, there is so much snow! Ouch, I tripped on the ice!

Periods, question marks, and exclamation marks are called punctuation marks.

Write each sentence with the correct punctuation mark.

1. It was a rainy day

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2. Did you want to eat now

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3. Wow, I couldn't believe it

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4. Hooray, we are getting a puppy soon

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5. Have you ever tried to waterski

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Write sentences. Use the correct punctuation marks.

1. Write a telling sentence.

Four sets of handwriting lines for writing a telling sentence. Each set consists of a solid blue top line, a dashed red middle line, and a solid blue bottom line.

2. Write an asking sentence.

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3. Write a sentence that tells emotion.

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**Punctuation**  
**Commas in a Series**

The comma is a punctuation mark. It is used with a list of 3 or more words. Examples:

Hal liked apples, bananas, and berries. (There are 3 names of fruits: apples, bananas, and berries.)

We had to rake, clean the house, and go to the store. (There are 3 chores: to rake, clean the house, and go to the store.)

For the party we bought napkins, plates, forks, spoons, cake, ice cream, and candles. (There are 7 things that were bought for the party: napkins, plates, forks, spoons, cake, ice cream, and candles.)

Rewrite the sentences. Use a comma with a list of 3 or more words.

1. Mother made hamburgers fries and a salad for dinner.

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2. My cat likes to play in the toy room the living room and my bedroom.

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3. This summer I plan to take swimming lessons play soccer and go to camp.

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4. The sleepover was fun with Ryan Jimmy Henry and Mike

Handwriting practice lines for item 4, consisting of four sets of blue top and bottom lines with a red dashed midline.

5. When I cleaned my room I found the math paper the missing book an old dog bone and my sister's shoe.

Handwriting practice lines for item 5, consisting of four sets of blue top and bottom lines with a red dashed midline.

**Punctuation**  
**Commas with Days and Years, etc.**

The comma is a punctuation mark. It is used between a day and a year.

Examples: The trip was on June 15, 2003.

My grandma was born on September 12, 1945.

It is used between a month and a year.

Examples: The trip was in June, 2003.

My grandma was born in September, 1945.

Rewrite these sentences. Use a comma between the day and a year. Use a comma between a month and a year. A comma is placed by the bottom next to a letter or number.

1. Ella's birthday is March 5 2004.

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2. The house was built in June 2000.

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3. We took a family trip last August 2002

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