

Punctuation Marks

Exercise 1: Fill in the missing punctuation. Fix these sentences by adding the correct punctuation marks:

1. Do you want to go to the park ____
2. Sarah said ____ I love chocolate ice cream ____
3. I have a cat ____ a dog ____ and a fish ____
4. Hooray ____ We won the game ____
5. Can you help me find my book ____

Exercise 2: Choose the right mark. Circle the correct punctuation mark for each sentence:

1. I am going to the store (. ? !)
2. Where did you put my pencil (. ? !)
3. Look out for that puddle (. ? !)
4. The cat is sleeping on the couch (. ? !)
5. What a beautiful rainbow (. ? !)

Exercise 3: Let's Write! Write one sentence for each punctuation mark we learned:

1. A sentence that ends with a period: _____
2. A question: _____
3. An excited sentence: _____
4. A sentence with a list using commas: _____
5. A sentence with someone speaking: _____

Exercise 4: Spot the mistake. Find and fix the punctuation mistakes in these sentences:

1. where are you going.
2. I have three pets a dog a cat and a bird
3. The teacher said you did a great job
4. what a fantastic day?
5. May I borrow your pencil.

Exercise 5: Creative Writing. Write a short story (3-4 sentences) using at least three different punctuation marks. Remember to use them correctly!

Read this paragraph and add all the missing punctuation marks:

Once upon a time there was a little girl named Lucy she loved to explore the forest near her house one day she found a magical tree do you know what was special about this tree it could talk Lucy said hello tree how are you today the tree replied I am wonderful thank you for asking

Remember!

- Full stop (.) end complete thoughts
- Question marks (?) are for asking
- Exclamation marks (!) show strong feelings
- Commas (,) make short pauses
- Quotation marks (" ") show someone's exact words

Answer Key for Teachers

Exercise 1:

1. "Do you want to go to the park?"
2. Sarah said, "I love chocolate ice cream."
3. I have a cat, a dog, and a fish.
4. "Hooray! We won the game!"
5. Can you help me find my book?

Exercise 2:

1. .
2. ?
3. !
4. .
5. !

Exercise 4:

1. Where are you going?
2. I have three pets: a dog, a cat, and a bird.

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3. The teacher said, "You did a great job."

4. What a fantastic day!

5. May I borrow your pencil?

Bonus Challenge Answer:

Once upon a time, there was a little girl named Lucy. She loved to explore the forest near her house. One day, she found a magical tree. Do you know what was special about this tree? It could talk! Lucy said, "Hello tree, how are you today?" The tree replied, "I am wonderful, thank you for asking."

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