



# Aim

- To be aware of and be able to recognise different types of sentences.

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# Statements

Statements are sentences which tell you a fact, opinion or idea.

*Example:*

A rainbow has 7 colours.

They are beautiful to look at.



# 2

## Questions

Questions are sentences that ask you something.  
They usually end with a question mark.

*Example:*

What did you have for dinner?



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# Commands

They are often urgent or angry, can be very short and contain an imperative verb. Commands Imperative verbs are also known as 'bossy verbs' - they tell people what to do.

*Example:*  
Help me! Stop it.



# 4

## Exclamations

An exclamation is used when someone is surprised. It always starts with 'How' or 'What' and contains a noun and a verb.

*Example:*  
What big feet you have!





**Statements** - Statements are sentences which tell you something. They end with a full stop.

**Questions** - Questions are sentences that ask you something. They usually end with a question mark.

**Commands** - Commands are sentences that tell you to do something. They are often urgent or angry and can be very short.

**Exclamations** - Exclamations are sentences that state something with strong feeling or emotion. They begin with 'what' or 'how', are full sentences, include a verb or a noun and end with an exclamation mark.

**Look at the text below and underline each type of sentence in a different colour.**

One warm, sunny day Jessica and Lilly went to play at the park.

When they arrived there were lots of people at the park.

"What a lot of people there are today " cried Jessica.

"None of the swings are free for me to go on " said Lilly, sounding upset.

"Would you like to go on the slide instead " asked Jessica.

The girls made their way over to the slide.

"You go down the slide first " Lilly told Jessica.

After quite a few slides Jessica noticed the swings were empty.

"Do you want to go to the swings now " she asked Lilly.

"Yes. Let's go over now " replied Lilly.

"How exciting to be at the park with my best friend " exclaimed Jessica as she whizzed down the slide.

The girls ran over and Jessica jumped on a swing.

"Can you push me please " she asked.

Lilly nodded and pushed Jessica on the swing.

"Put your feet down!" said Lilly. "I don't want to be hit in the face " she added.

Eventually it was time to go home.

"What a lovely day it is!" shouted Jessica.

"I'd like to come back tomorrow " said Lilly.

"Do you want to come with me " she asked Jessica.

**Now punctuate each of the sentences correctly in the text above.**

How many commands did you find? \_\_\_\_\_

How many statements did you find? \_\_\_\_\_

How many questions did you find? \_\_\_\_\_

How many exclamations did you find? \_\_\_\_\_



**Challenge yourself – Look through your reading books, find five examples of:**

- Commands
- Statements
- Questions
- Exclamations

Complete the sentence for each picture. Use the word bank to help you.  
You will need to add some words of your own.

**Challenge:** Write another sentence about each picture.

## Y4 Task

quiet metal laughing happy healthy green tiny sunny  
beautiful packed



The books in the library \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_



The wheels on the bicycle \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_



Trees on the island \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_



People on Earth \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
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There are women in the field \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

## Spellings

Homophones are words that sound the same but have different meanings. They also have different spellings.

These are some homophones that often confuse people.

Here eg "put it down here" and hear eg "Speak louder, I can't hear you."

See eg "it's so dark, I can't see anything" and sea eg "let's go swim in the sea."

Be eg "will you be my friend?" and bee eg "the bumble bee was on the flower."

Word	Practice 1	Practice 2	Practice 3	Practice 4
groan				
grown				
here				
hear				
break				
brake				
fair/fare				
Who's/whose				



Word of the week is **intricate** meaning complicated.

**Particles = bits and pieces**



Solids are an intricate matter because they have many particles.

# English Flip

Can you watch the video?

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=y2d-0dlimgY>

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**WRITING A LETTER**

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