

Punctuation Marks

2nd Grade

Six marks with what each one tells your voice to do.

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Full stop / period

The sentence is finished.

We walked home.

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Question mark

Somebody is asking something.

Where is my bag?

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Exclamation mark

Say it with feeling.

Watch out!

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Take a small breath. Separates items.

I packed apples, pears and figs.

" "

Speech marks

Somebody is talking out loud.

"I'm ready," said Ada.

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Apostrophe

Something is missing, or it belongs to someone.

It's Sam's turn.

LISTEN Read it aloud. Where your voice stops, a mark belongs.