## Punctuation and Grammar

English





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Letter	What we write to represent the phonemes we hear.
Capital letter	The uppercase letter we use at the start of our names.
Word	A collection of letters to communicate meaning.
Singular	One person or thing.
Plural	More than one.
Sentence	A set of words that is a complete thought. (It must have a subject and a verb.)
Subject	The thing or person doing something, being or having.
Punctuation	The marks that help us to understand our writing. (Full stop, question mark)
Full stop	Punctuation that goes at the end of a sentence.
Question mark	Punctuation that goes at the end of a question.
Exclamation mark	Sentences that show a strong emotion (funny, surprising, anger) usually starting with 'what' or 'how.'
Prefix	A small group of letters (morpheme) with meaning that goes before the root word.
Suffix	A small group of letters (morpheme) with meaning that goes after the root word.
Clause	A group of words that includes a subject and a verb.
Root word	The most basic part of a word with meaning.



## **Proper Nouns**

