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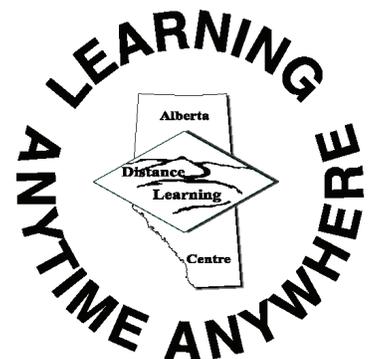
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# Preview/Review Concepts for Grade Five Language Arts



*W1 - Lesson 2:  
Sentence Types*

# OBJECTIVES

By the end of this lesson, you should

- recognize the four types of sentences
- properly write and punctuate the four types of sentences

## GLOSSARY

**asking sentence** - a sentence that asks a question

**commanding sentence** - a sentence that gives a command or request

**exclaiming sentence** - a sentence that expresses strong emotion

**telling sentence** - a sentence that makes a statement

## W1 - Lesson 2: Sentence Types

### What are the different types of sentences?

Sentences are of **four** main types:

1. telling sentences
2. asking sentences
3. commanding sentences
4. exclaiming sentences

Why do we use them? Again, it is to make our writing more interesting. They add variety and spice!

### What is a telling sentence?

A **telling sentence** makes a statement. It explains something, or it expresses an opinion. It always ends with a period.

Another name for a telling sentence is a **declarative sentence**.

Below are two examples of telling sentences.

*Nick is going to the store for milk.*

*I think Avril Lavigne is cool.*



## What is an asking sentence?

An **asking sentence** simply asks a question. It always ends with a question mark and often begins with one of the five w's (*who, what, when, where, why*) or the word *how*.

When you **interrogate** someone, you ask him questions. Another name for an asking sentence is an **interrogative sentence**.

Below are two examples of an asking sentence.

*Who is your favourite singer?*

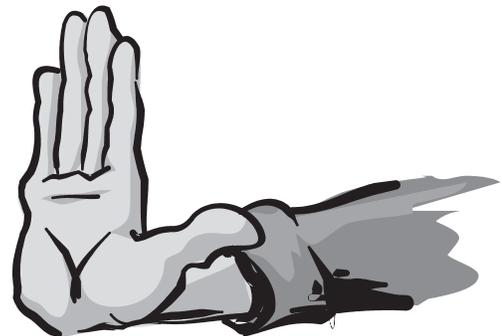
*Where is your most memorable vacation spot?*

## What is a commanding sentence?

A **commanding sentence** gives a command. It orders or requests you to do something. A commanding sentence usually ends with a period. For example: *Take out the garbage, please.* If it is a command spoken with strong feeling, it ends with an exclamation mark. For example: *For the third time, get your feet off the table!*

Another name for a commanding sentence is an **imperative sentence**.

The subject in a commanding sentence is the person spoken to. This means that the word **you** does not have to be written in the sentence. For example, we do not usually say, *You, stop putting your feet on the table!* We simply say, *Stop putting your feet on the table!*



## What is an exclaiming sentence?

An **exclaiming sentence** expresses a strong emotion such as surprise, fear, or excitement. It always ends with an exclamation mark.

Another name for an exclaiming sentence is an **exclamatory sentence**.

Below are two examples of exclaiming sentences.

*I am so happy to see you!*

*That was a wonderful meal!*

### Let's Try it!

A. Tell whether the following sentences are telling (**T**), asking (**A**), commanding (**C**), or exclaiming (**E**) sentences.

- \_\_\_\_\_ 1. Don't point in public.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 2. My son's favourite television show is *Malcolm in the Middle*.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 3. I love Italian food!
- \_\_\_\_\_ 4. Set the table.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 5. Move your coat off the chair.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 6. Will you take me to the movie with you?
- \_\_\_\_\_ 7. Here they come again!
- \_\_\_\_\_ 8. The capital of Alberta is Edmonton.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 9. How much wood could a woodchuck chuck if a woodchuck could chuck wood?



B. Change the following telling sentences into asking sentences.

1. The Oilers play in Edmonton.

\_\_\_\_\_

2. Bob found a shiny penny from 1964.

\_\_\_\_\_

3. My dad’s nickname is Needlenose.

\_\_\_\_\_

C. Change the following telling sentences into exclaiming sentences. You may change the words, of course.

1. Shelley is such a nice girl.

\_\_\_\_\_

2. Shania Twain is a good country singer.

\_\_\_\_\_

3. Wayne Gretzky was one of the best hockey players in the world.

\_\_\_\_\_

D. Use your imagination to write two sentences of each type.

Telling Sentences

1. \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

2. \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

### Asking Sentences

1. \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

2. \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

### Commanding Sentences

1. \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

2. \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

### Exclaiming Sentences

1. \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

2. \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_





## Extra Practice

1. Name the following sentence types. Are they telling (**T**), asking (**A**), commanding (**C**), or exclaiming (**E**)?

- \_\_\_\_\_ 1. What a beautiful butterfly!
- \_\_\_\_\_ 2. *Loony Tunes* is a TV show.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 3. Lock the door before you go to bed.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 4. Many people are addicted to cigarettes.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 5. Why do birds sit on their eggs?
- \_\_\_\_\_ 6. Mosquitoes are pests.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 7. I hate spinach!
- \_\_\_\_\_ 8. Eat your vegetables, please.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 9. What is your favourite subject in school?
- \_\_\_\_\_ 10. Terry Fox is a Canadian hero.

2. Write a paragraph on **one** of the following topics. Be sure you use at least one of each type of sentence in this paragraph.

- your favourite singer, actor, or sports hero
- your brother's or sister's most annoying habit
- why you hate cleaning your room
- the hobby you enjoy the most
- why computers can be annoying



