

Punctuate Dialogue

Dialogue is a conversation between two or more characters in a story. Quotation marks show the exact words a character says. A comma separates the speaker’s introduction or tag from the words they say.

Henry said, “We should all try to get along.”
“We should all try to get along,” said Henry.

Read each sentence. Then rewrite the sentence, punctuating it correctly.

1. Matt said Let’s meet at the library after school.

2. I can be there by four o’clock answered Juan.

3. Anna said I’m right here behind you.

4. I can’t believe that you didn’t call me exclaimed Mark.

5. Gina replied I was so busy last night that I forgot.

6. I’m sorry added Gina. I won’t forget again.

7. The librarian said Please be quiet.

Adjectives and Adverbs

Part of Speech	Examples
Adjectives describe or tell more about nouns and pronouns.	green, tall, scared, wealthy, sour, intelligent
Adverbs describe or tell more about verbs, adjectives, and other adverbs.	honestly, foolishly, kindly, usually, very, down, up

Circle the adjective in each sentence. Underline the word it describes.

1. We approached the spookiest house I have ever seen.
2. Justin walked up the crumbling steps.
3. He pushed the ancient doorbell, and the door swung open.
4. “Who’s there?” asked a mysterious voice.

Circle the adverb in each sentence. Underline the word it describes.

5. Justin gasped loudly.
6. He scrambled quickly down the steps with terror on his face.
7. Justin’s adventure ended badly!

Name _____ Date _____

r-Controlled Vowels er, ir, ur

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Write the spelling word that matches each definition.

1. Animals who live through the winter do this. _____
2. These animals lay eggs and have feathers. _____
3. This insect collects nectar from flowers. _____
4. This insect can transform into a butterfly. _____
5. To keep someone from doing something. _____
6. This describes kittens and bunnies. _____

Fill in the boxes for the spelling word **dangerous**.

meaning	sentence
example	related words

dangerous

noun:
adverb:
antonym:

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Write the spelling words for the given number of syllables.

Spelling words with 1 syllable

1. _____
2. _____

Spelling words with 2 syllables

3. _____
4. _____
5. _____

Spelling words with 3 syllables

6. _____
7. _____

Spelling word with 4 syllables

8. _____

Write the spelling word that is an antonym or a synonym of the bold word.

9. **harmless** antonym: _____
10. **discourage** synonym: _____
11. **shaggy** synonym: _____
12. **die** antonym: _____