

Year 2 - Punctuation



Capital Letters

Capital letters are used for names, places, the pronoun 'I' and at the start of a sentence.

My name is **B**ert and **I** am from **W**olverhampton.

Full stops

Full stops mark the end of a sentence.

I like school. The cat has black fur.

Commas

Commas separate words in a list. These might be adjectives or a list of objects.

The mean, grumpy ogre.
I packed socks, pants, shorts and a t-shirt in my suitcase.

Question Marks

Question marks mark the end of a question.

Where is it? What's the time?

Exclamation Marks

Exclamation marks mark the end of an exclamation.

Ouch! That hurts!
What big ears you have!

Apostrophes

Apostrophes are used for omission (missing out letters) or possession (showing belonging).

Can not can't
The cat belongs to Jim.
It is Jim's cat.