

SENTENCE TYPES

STATEMENTS, COMMANDS AND QUESTIONS



To understand what commands,
statements and questions are

1. I can define the
different sentence types
2. I can give examples of each
sentence type

DIFFERENT SENTENCE TYPES

There are four different sentence types that we will cover:

- **Statements-** these are most widely used and inform us of something.
- **Commands-** these are used to give an instruction.
- **Exclamations-** these are used to show that someone is surprised.
- **Questions-** these are used to show that someone is asking a question.

STATEMENTS

These are most widely used and inform us of something.

They always end in a full stop.

Here are some examples:

- *I have a dog.*
- *There are some sheep over there.*
- *It is going to be a nice day.*



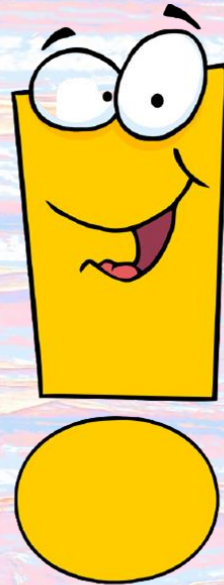
COMMANDS

These are bossy sentences and tell us what to do. They are often used in instructions.

They end in a full stop or an exclamation mark.

They contain imperative (bossy) verbs.

- Fix that bike.
- Stop that now!
- Go and do your chores.



QUESTIONS

These are used to show that someone is asking a question.

They always end in an question mark.

They mostly contain question words (where, when, how, why and what).

They sometimes have 'is it' or 'isn't it' at the end.

- What are you doing today?
- Where are you going?
- It's a fantastic day, isn't it?

