

# Kinds of Sentences

GRAMMAR  
LESSON



There are four different kinds of sentences. Each serves a different purpose. A **declarative sentence** makes a statement. It ends with a period.

Jack shaded his eyes. Miami is usually warm.

An **interrogative sentence** asks a question. It ends with a question mark.

Did you pay a deposit? Where is Bolivia?

An **imperative sentence** tells someone to do something. It ends with a period.

Turn right. Please shut the window.

An **exclamatory sentence** expresses strong emotion. It ends with an exclamation mark.

What a close call you had! Call an ambulance!

**Recognize kinds of sentences.** Put the right punctuation after each sentence. Write *Declarative, Interrogative, Imperative, or Exclamatory* on the blank to show what kind of sentence each one is.

Example: Did you see that movie? Interrogative

1. White buildings glittered in the sun \_\_\_\_\_
2. Rain poured down the windshield \_\_\_\_\_
3. What time is it \_\_\_\_\_
4. What do you want for your birthday \_\_\_\_\_
5. Watch the gauge for me, please \_\_\_\_\_
6. Watch out for that car \_\_\_\_\_
7. Ask Colleen that question \_\_\_\_\_
8. Don't detectives need licenses \_\_\_\_\_
9. What a storm that was \_\_\_\_\_
10. The phone isn't working \_\_\_\_\_
11. How happy Ed sounded \_\_\_\_\_
12. Please pass me the catsup \_\_\_\_\_
13. Did you mail that package \_\_\_\_\_
14. How does the secret panel work \_\_\_\_\_
15. Where is the nearest restaurant \_\_\_\_\_

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