



Exclamation marks and question marks

Full stops aren't the only way to end a sentence. There are other punctuation marks too...

1. Read these sentences. Put a tick next to the sentences with the correct punctuation.

Do you know what time the library opens!

Oh no! The library's been burgled!

I demand that you open the library this instant?

Where is the library?

Someone call the fire brigade! The library's on fire!

Use exclamation marks to show strong emotion or to emphasise a point.

2. Add an exclamation mark or a question mark to each of these sentences and phrases.

a. How disgusting.....

f. Who is that man.....

b. Don't you dare break it.....

g. What a brilliant idea.....

c. Can you close the window.....

h. Do they seem happy.....

d. Stop the car right now.....

i. How thoughtful of her.....

e. Have you been to Venice.....

j. How many are there.....

3. Use the words in the boxes below to write three questions.

Use two words for each question, but only use each word once.

man

bus

tiger

spaghetti

seaside

tree

a.

b.

c.



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4. Write an exclamation which includes these words: **big shark**

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Write a question which includes these words: **time shop close**

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5. Write two questions and two exclamations on the dotted lines below, making sure they end with the punctuation marks shown in the boxes.

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6. Circle the punctuation marks that have been used incorrectly in the passage below:

Granny and Grandpa had an argument last night. Granny wanted to watch 'Sternly Go Walking' on TV, but Grandpa wanted to watch 'Game of the Evening'? "Give me the remote control or your flat cap gets it?" shouted Granny, holding Grandpa's cap out of the window and threatening to drop it into the pond below. "Do you think that's going to work!" asked Grandpa. "I've got another ten upstairs." Granny looked a little disappointed and decided to retreat to the kitchen to gather her thoughts. How could she get Grandpa to change the channel.

A Punctuation Python can use exclamation marks and question marks in the right places. Can you? Tick a box.

