

Punctuation (Page 1)

Punctuation are marks we use in writing to help us make the meaning clear.

Punctuation		How it's used	Example
•	period	used at the end of a sentence that tells something, and after most abbreviations	The cat sat on the Mr. Scott's rug.
!	exclamation point	used at the end of a sentence to express excitement	She didn't clean up her mess again!
?	question mark	used at the end of a sentence that asks a question	What do you want for lunch?
,	comma	used to separate items in a list or to separate clauses	I want steak, eggs, and potatoes.
	quotation marks	used to indicate a direct quote, or a title of a book, poem or song.	She said, "Absolutely."
•	apostrophe	used to show possession or in a contraction	The man's dog ran outside.