

Punctuation Power with Pip the Caterpillar

Learning objective: To identify and use capital letters, full stops, question marks, and exclamation marks correctly in sentences.

Read the front of the flashcard to learn the punctuation rule. Flip the card to see the answer and check if you are right. Pip the Caterpillar loves to collect these marks to make his sentences clear!

What do we use at the very start of every sentence?	Which mark do we use to show that a sentence has finished?
A capital letter.	A full stop (.).
Pip asks, 'Where is my favourite book?' What mark goes at the end?	What mark do we use to show excitement or a loud shout?
A question mark (?).	An exclamation mark (!).
True or False: The word 'London' needs a capital letter because it is a proper noun.	Rewrite this: 'the cat sat' with the correct punctuation.
True.	The cat sat.
Why do we use punctuation?	Does the letter 'i' always need a capital letter when it stands alone?
To help the reader understand our writing.	Yes, always.
What mark follows the sentence: 'Wow, look at that giant sunflower!'	If I write 'can you see the bird', what is missing at the end?
An exclamation mark (!).	A question mark (?).
Which mark tells the reader to stop?	Pip's name must start with what kind of letter?
A full stop (.).	A capital letter (P).