

# Pip’s Punctuation Picnic: A Word Mat

Learning objective: To identify and understand the basic purpose of common punctuation marks in writing.

Key Vocabulary

Use this word mat to help you recognise punctuation marks in your reading and remember to use them in your own writing. The terms are grouped into 'Sentence Stoppers' (marks that end a sentence) and 'Sentence Helpers' (marks that add detail or show talking).

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| Pip the caterpillar... | If Max the monke...  | When you see a f... |
| Which mark woul...     | Look at the word ... |                     |