

Speech and Language Virtual Learning

English Language Arts Vocabulary

April 2020



ELA Vocabulary Lesson Lesson: April 2020

Objective/Learning Target:

The student will learn basic ELA Curriculum Vocabulary and apply these skills by matching words with definitions and applying the concepts to sentences.



Background information: When we speak we use our word choices, how our voice sounds, and pauses in our speech to give meaning to what we say.

When we write we use punctuation to provide meaning. We are going to learn about some of ways we give written language meaning.

Word Targets: punctuation, capitalize, question mark, exclamation point, period.

Let's Get Started: Here are the definitions for these words.

Punctuation:

These are the marks we use when we write.



Question Mark:

This is the mark at the end of a question (a question is what you ask to get an answer).

Exclamation Point:

This is the mark at the end of a sentence that shown strong feeling.



Period:

This is the mark at the end of a sentence that makes it a statement (telling).





Capitalize:

This is when you change a letter from lowercase to uppercase.

apple > Apple

When do I punctuate and with what?

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=9In5IUUCzAA

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=0Wrv_ZviMEc

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=gWhUnt3Mm4k

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=MwUjGtdTxVo

Let's look at these sentences. Can you find the punctuation?

- 1. Who is going to make supper tonight?
- 2. I get to go to Worlds of Fun!
- 3. My phone is in the car.
- 4. I want to invite Mary to my party.
- 5. Get out of my room!
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Green-question mark Purple-capital Red- exclamation mark Blue - period

Time

to

show

know!

what

you

Practice: Here are 2 activities to help you practice your words.

Match the Vocabulary words to their definitions:

Question Mark:

Exclamation mark:

Period:

۱.	Punctuation:	 A.	This is the mark at the end of a question.
		B.	This is when you change a letter from
2.	Capitalization:		lowercase to uppercase.

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- This is the mark at the end of a sentence that shows strong feeling.
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Add the missing <u>Punctuation</u> in the sentences:

Hint: 3 Capitalization, 2 question marks, 2 exclamation points, 1 period.

- 1. my favorite author is Dr. Suess. He writes the best stories
- 2. In the book Pete the Cat, pete is a funny character
- 3. What book are we going to read today
- 4. My book was so interesting; I read 5 chapters in one night
- 5. How do you think the character betty will solve the mystery

Self Check/ reflection

Answer Key: Matching Definitions: 1. E, 2. B, 3. A, 4. C, 5. D

Fill in the Blank: 1. Author, 2. Character 3. Illustrator, 4. Chapters, 5. Predict

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Go tell someone in your home the words that you have learned.

1. Was the lesson?

Easy

Just Right

Hard



**Additional Practice: Go look at the books you have. Locate the types of punctuation. Tell someone what the punctuation means and why they put it in the sentences.