

Year 3  
Summer week 10  
Lesson 3

Can I write a dialogue?

# Fast Five

Add in the missing punctuation. Answers on next slide.

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## Fast Five Answers

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Today we will be using speech between the two characters



# Rules of Speech

- \*Use inverted commas for direct speech. **“Hello!”shouted Ian.**
- \*Use a commas, question marks or exclamation marks to end of the speech , ? !
- \*Put each new speaker on a new line.  
**“Hello!” shouted Ian.**  
**“Hi!” replied Susan.**
- \*Use a variety of words instead of said. **whispered, answered, suggested, shouted, asked, enquired, voiced, pleaded.**
- \*Include adverbs to describe how words are said. **nicely, quickly, quietly, lovingly**

## Have another look....

On Monday you watched 'Catch It'. Click on the link to watch again, but this time imagine what the characters would say to each other if they were speaking. After you have watched the film, tell someone at home what they may have been saying to each other (you may want to pause the film at different points to do this).

<https://www.literacyshed.com/catchit.htm>

# What could they be saying to each other?



**“Who do you think you are?” asked Olaf.**

**“STOP!” demanded the meerkats.**



**“I am a fruit-loving vulture,” he replied.**

**“Never!” shouted the vulture.**

# Remember to continue to tell the story...

Continue the story between speech or you will lose the reader's interest.

For example:

***The meerkats stood in the hot sand and looked up at their beloved fruit. "What are you doing up there?" the smallest meerkat shouted loudly.***



***"Preparing to steal your dinner!" replied the nasty vulture.***

***With that, he jumped off of the branch and launched into the bright blue sky.***



# Tasks

## RED TASK

Choose a picture and write 4 sentences that include dialogue (the characters talking to each other)

## YELLOW TASK

Choose 2 of the pictures and write 6 sentences that include dialogue . Include adverbs to describe how the words are being said.

## GREEN TASK

Write a paragraph for 2 of the pictures. Tell the story in between the speech and include adverbs to describe how the words are being said.