Sentence and its Types



Warm Up



Ravi: Do you know what a sentence is?

Tanvi: Yes. A sentence is a group of words that makes sense. It always starts with a capital letter.

Ravi: Are sentences of different types?

Tanvi: Yes. Sentences are of four different types.

Types of Sentences

Four different types of sentences are used to make writing effective and interesting.

They are:

- **Declarative Sentences**: A declarative sentence is used to make a statement or to give information. It is always punctuated with a full stop.

  Example: **Today is a holiday.**

- **Imperative Sentence**: This type of sentence gives command, makes a wish or a request. We can punctuate an imperative sentence with a question mark, a full stop, or an exclamation mark.

  Examples: **May I come in?**

  Shut the door!

  I wish I were a bird.



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- **Exclamatory Sentences**: This type of sentence is used to express strong emotions, such as surprise, joy, sorrow, etc. It ends with an exclamation mark.

  Example: **What a pretty sight!**

- **Interrogative Sentences**: This sentence asks a question and ends with a question mark.

  Example: **What is your name?**



Give It a Try!

Identify the type of sentences given here.

1) It is raining heavily.
2) Wow! Your dress is beautiful.
3) I love to play chess.
4) When is your birthday?
5) Get out of the room.
6) I wish I had a big house.
7) May I eat a piece of this cake?
8) What a cute little baby!

