



Sentences

Read these groups of words.

- (i) like I cartoons
- (ii) in the garden

Do these groups of words make sense?

The first group of words does not make any sense. The second group of words makes sense but not complete sense.

Now, read these groups of words.

- (i) I like cartoons.
- (ii) Meena is walking in the garden.

These groups of words make complete sense and are called **sentences**.



A group of words that makes complete sense is called a sentence.



Let us read some more examples.

- my umbrella (X) • That is my umbrella. (✓)
- from my house (X) • My school is far from my house. (✓)
- school a playground my has (X) • My school has a playground. (✓)

A. Tick (✓) the **sentences** and cross (X) those which are not.

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| 1. Suhana is my best friend. | <input type="checkbox"/> | 2. happy I am very today | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 3. The phone is ringing. | <input type="checkbox"/> | 4. in the market | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 5. is not Jyoti neighbour my | <input type="checkbox"/> | 6. Birds are singing. | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 7. Singing birds | <input type="checkbox"/> | 8. calling is mother Rohan | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 9. What is your name? | <input type="checkbox"/> | 10. The door is open. | <input type="checkbox"/> |

- A sentence begins with a capital letter.
- A sentence ends with a full stop.
Example : The school is closed on Sundays.
- It can end with a question mark when the sentence asks a question.
Example : What are you doing?

B. Match the groups of words given in the two columns.

Column 1

1. Rohan
2. Reena and Veena
3. My grandfather
4. Birds
5. My mother

Column 2

- (a) walks with a stick
- (b) build nests in trees
- (c) cooks good food
- (d) studies in my school
- (e) are good dancers



C. Rearrange these words to make sentences. Use capital letters at the beginning of the sentences and end with full stop [.] or question marks [?].

1. my best friend Rohit is
2. in this I study school
3. have dosa will for lunch I
4. you do have book my
5. is what your name



D. Complete the sentences with words of your own choice.

1. I am scared of
2. My mother cooks
3. I play with
4. The stars shine
5. Birds build nests

Let's Revise

Hil I am a sentence.
I make complete sense.
I begin with a capital letter.



VALUE CORNER

A sentence begins with a capital letter. How should you begin your day, by wishing your parents 'good morning', with a smile or by throwing tantrums for not going to school?