

Exclamatory or Interrogative Sentences

RULES

An **imperative sentence** tells or asks someone to do something.
Please help your father load up the wagon.

An **exclamatory sentence** shows a strong feeling.
What an exciting day this is!

An imperative sentence ends with a period. An exclamatory sentence ends with an *exclamation mark*.

An Imperative Sentence
tells someone to do something
ends with a period (.)

An Exclamatory Sentence
shows strong feeling
ends with an exclamation mark (!)

EXAMPLE: Grease the wheels of the wagon. **Imperative**

1. Help hitch the oxen team to the wagon.

2. Don't forget to load the flour, yeast, and cornmeal.

3. I can hardly believe it's finally time to go!

4. What an incredible journey this will be!

5. Please check the wagon one last time.

6. Watch the baby, please.

7. Feed the oxen.

8. How strong the oxen are!

9. It's surprising how much a horse eats!

10. Ask Father to stop the wagon.

11. What a strange looking animal the buffalo is!

12. Don't get too close to the oxen.

13. How bumpy and dusty this trail is!

14, How tired we are from walking all day!

15. Please ask the children to go to sleep.



B. Write each sentence correctly. Write **capital letters** and correct **end mark**.

16. what a terrible storm that was last night

17. oh no, the wagon wheels are stuck in the mud

18. please gather sage for a fire

19. pass me a piece of fried bread, please

20. how hot and windy it is on the prairie
