

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**

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| 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
