

# The Four Types of Sentences

There are **four** types of sentences: **declarative, imperative, exclamatory, and interrogative.**

- **Declarative sentences:** The most common type of sentence. Also known as a telling sentence or a statement. Usually end with a period (.).  
Examples:       The sky is blue.       My cat Tigger is sweet and cuddly.
- **Imperative sentences:** A command or a request. Used to tell someone to do something. Could end with a period (.) or an exclamation mark (!).  
Examples:       Clean your room!       Please sit down.
- **Exclamatory sentences:** Used to say something with lots of emotion, such as excitement, surprise, pain, or anger. Usually end with an exclamation mark (!).  
Examples:       I love chocolate!       I can't believe he did that!
- **Interrogative sentences:** Used to ask a question or get information. Always end with a question mark (?).  
Examples:       Where are my keys?       What is your address?

**Part 1:** Read each sentence and write the type of sentence it is ("D" for declarative, "Im" for imperative, "E" for exclamatory, and "In" for interrogative).

**Part 2:** Add punctuation to make these sentences correct. Then, name the type of sentence using the letters in the previous part.

1. Oranges are my favorite fruit. \_\_\_\_\_
2. Why did you go there? \_\_\_\_\_
3. Stop the bus! \_\_\_\_\_
4. Ouch, that hurts! \_\_\_\_\_
5. Line up right away. \_\_\_\_\_
6. Mateo wants to play soccer. \_\_\_\_\_
7. How are you going to build it? \_\_\_\_\_
8. I won the game! \_\_\_\_\_

1. Who wants to get ice cream \_\_\_\_\_
2. You can do it, Hani \_\_\_\_\_
3. Take off your shoes, please \_\_\_\_\_
4. I would like to visit you \_\_\_\_\_
5. This is the best pie I've ever had \_\_\_\_\_
6. Where is she going \_\_\_\_\_
7. Lyla looked at her mom \_\_\_\_\_
8. How will you get there \_\_\_\_\_

**Part 3:** Write an example of each type of sentence.

Declarative (Statement)	
Imperative (Command)	
Exclamatory (Exclamation)	
Interrogative (Question)	