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LO: I can use speech marks in sentences.

MODELLING

Speech Marks or Inverted Commas

(Informally known as quotes and speech marks) are punctuation marks (" ") used in pairs to mark a section of text as speech, a quotation or a phrase.

Examples: "Let's go to Australia," Tiddalik said.

"This has been an unforgettable adventure!" exclaimed the eel.

Writers put **dialogue** in stories to make stories more real. The dialogue is always in speech marks (" ") so that the readers know that these are the words the character has said.

TASK 1: Add speech marks to the following sentences.

Example : Can I go out to play? Asked Tom. **Incorrect**
"Can I go out to play?" asked Tom. **Correct**

1. Pass me the football, shouted Jack.

2. Well done, said my teacher.

3. Where are my car keys? Asked Dad.

4. Mum said, Yes you can go out to play.

5. Can I have some cake? asked Amy.

6. David shouted, I can't find my shoes!

7. What is the time? asked the woman.

8. Can I watch television? asked Sam.

9. I've finished my homework, said Lizzy.

10. My name is Tom said the boy

Challenge Task: https://www.softschools.com/quizzes/grammar/quotation_marks/quiz1632.html



Teacher's Sign: _____

