

Using commas

Remember we put a comma at the end of a clause in a sentence.

For example:

Although she was tired, Sarah went to the park.

I was tired, **but** I still went to the park.

Some of our conjunctions are: **but, so, because, although, before, after.**

We also use commas in lists:

For example:

I went to the park and played on the swings, slide, climbing frame **and** monkey bars.

We also use commas after a day or time word

For example:

Yesterday, I felt sick.

Last week, I went to school every day.

Two years ago, I visited Dubai.

We can also use commas to add **extra information:**

For example:

A girl in my class, **called** Mia, is going to Disneyland.

My teacher, **Mrs Smith**, is sick today.

**Now add the commas:
(not all the boxes need a comma, just pick the right places.)**

She was going to run in the race but she hurt her foot.

Although I am scared of spiders I went to see some at the zoo.

Don't forget to pack your sunglasses towel book and drink.

Jonathan wanted to win the maths test so he studied hard.

My Aunt called Ellie is taking me to the beach.

On Friday I am going to eat fish and chips.

We need to buy you socks shoes trousers and jumpers.

The Gruffalo written by Julia Donaldson is my sisters favourite book.

Before you eat dinner wash your hands.