

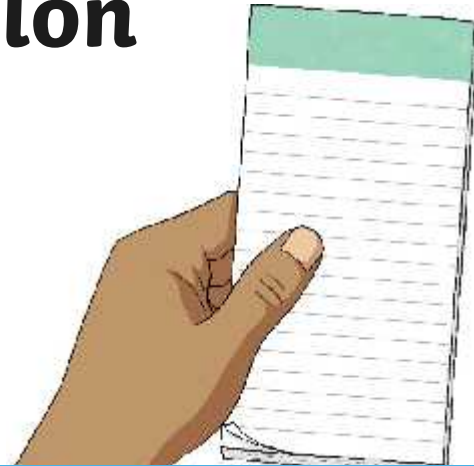
Using a colon to
introduce a list



Quiz

Which sentence uses a colon and commas correctly?

You should only use a colon when the first part of the sentence makes sense on its own.



The list included some of the girls from my class: Sarah, Chloe, Jade and Drisana.

The list included: some of the girls from my class Sarah, Chloe, Jade and Drisana.

The list included some of the girls: from my class Sarah, Chloe, Jade and Drisana.

The list included some of the girls from: my class Sarah, Chloe, Jade and Drisana.



Which sentence uses a colon and commas correctly?

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For his birthday, my brother had asked for a bike, a video game, a model car and: a train set.

For his birthday, my brother had asked for a bike, a video game, a model car and a train set.

For his birthday, my brother had asked: for a bike, a video game, a model car and a train set.

For his birthday, my brother had asked for: a bike, a video game, a model car and a train set.



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The little girl added: flour, eggs and sugar to the cake mix.

The little girl added flour, eggs, and sugar to the cake mix.

The little girl added flour, eggs and sugar: to the cake mix.

The little girl added flour, eggs and sugar to the cake mix.



Which sentence uses a colon and commas correctly?

You should only use a colon when the first part of the sentence makes sense on its own.



The little boy had listed his favourite foods: baked beans, pizza and apples.

The little boy had listed his favourite foods baked beans, pizza and, apples.

The little boy had listed: his favourite foods baked beans, pizza and apples.

The little boy had listed his favourite foods baked, beans, pizza and apples.



Which sentence uses a colon and commas correctly?

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The waitress was carrying: a plate of food, some cutlery, a napkin and a glass.

The waitress was: carrying a plate of food, some cutlery, a napkin and a glass.

The waitress was carrying a plate of food, some cutlery, a napkin and a glass.

The waitress was, carrying a plate of food, some cutlery, a napkin, and a glass.



Which sentence uses a colon and commas correctly?

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The fruit bowl included many: fruits, apples, oranges, bananas, grapes and plums.

The fruit bowl included many fruits: apples, oranges, bananas, grapes and plums.

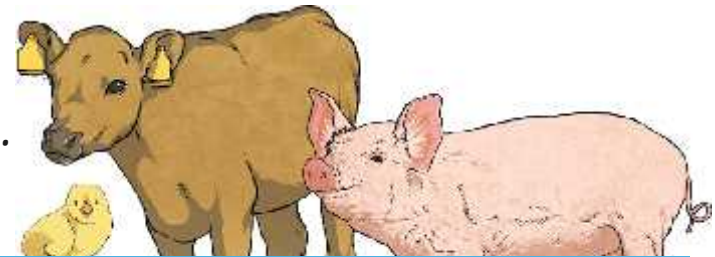
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Which sentence uses a colon and commas correctly?

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The farm had lots of baby: animals, foals, chicks, lambs, calves and piglets.

The farm: had lots of baby animals foals, chicks, lambs, calves and piglets.

The farm had lots of: baby animals foals, chicks, lambs, calves and piglets.

The farm had lots of baby animals: foals, chicks, lambs, calves and piglets.



