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1 vocabulary

**Mark It!**

- 3 nouns (n)
- 1 pronoun (pr)
- 1 prepositional phrase
- 2 [main clauses]
- 2 subject-verb pairs (s v)
- 2 openers

**Fix It!**

- 1 indent
- 5 capitals
- 1 end mark
- 1 usage

shere khan's distant roar alerted rather wolf  
to trouble. they paced angrily

Sample

**Rewrite It!**

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5 capitals  
1 end mark  
1 usage

father wolf was worried. shere khan was hunting  
again. their hunting would lead man to **retaliate**

**Rewrite It!**

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## Learn It!

### Conjunction

A **conjunction** connects words, phrases, or clauses. A **coordinating conjunction** connects the same type of words, phrases, or clauses. The items must be grammatically the same: two or more adjectives, two or more prepositional phrases, and so forth.



#### Coordinating Conjunction

Definition:  
A coordinating conjunction connects the same type of words, phrases, or clauses.

#### FANBOYS

for, and, nor, but,  
or, yet, so

### Comma

✗ Do not use a comma before a coordinating conjunction when it connects two items in a series unless they are main clauses. **PATTERN a and b**

☞ Use commas to separate three or more items in a series. **PATTERN a, b, and c**

**Mark It!** Write **cc** above each coordinating conjunction.

**Fix It!** Insert or remove commas. Follow the comma rules.

The toddler was lively, but defenseless.

cc

He climbed a hill, peeked inside the cave, and wandered in.

cc

✗ a and b

☞ a, b, and c

### #2 Prepositional Opener

A **#2 prepositional opener** is a sentence that begins with a prepositional phrase. The first word in the sentence must be a preposition.

### Comma

☞ If a prepositional opener has five words or more, follow it with a comma.

If two or more prepositional phrases open a sentence, follow the last phrase with a comma.

✗ Do not put a comma in front of a prepositional phrase.

**Mark It!** Write ② above the first word of a sentence that starts with a prepositional phrase.

**Fix It!** Insert or remove commas. Follow the comma rules.

② Inside the cave, the wolf cubs wrestled, with their mother.

② Inside the dark and dank cave, the wolf cubs wrestled.

Do not include the opener in the main clause square brackets.

② From the entrance of the cave, [Father Wolf watched].

Pattern:  
preposition +  
noun (no verb)

## Phrasal Verbs

A **phrasal verb** functions as a single verb but has another word with the verb. The combined words form an idea that is different from the two individual words.

To *cry* means to shed tears; *out* means away from. To *cry out* does not mean to weep away from but to shout something. *Cry out* is a phrasal verb.

**Mark It!** Write a single *v* above a phrasal verb.

The boy could not catch <sup>v</sup>up with the wolves.

## Usage with Pronoun Agreement

Week 2 you learned that a pronoun should agree with its antecedent in number (singular and plural). It should also agree with its antecedent in person.

**Person** means who is speaking (1st), spoken to (2nd), or spoken about (3rd).

A **pronoun** replaces a noun.

An **antecedent** is the word the pronoun refers to.

		<i>Subjective</i>	<i>Objective</i>	<i>Possessive</i>	
2 numbers	<b>3 persons</b>				
<i>singular</i>	<b>1st</b>	I	me	my	mine
	<b>2nd</b>	you	you	your	yours
	<b>3rd</b>	he, she, it	him, her, it	his, her, its	his, hers, its
<i>plural</i>	<b>1st</b>	we	us	our	ours
	<b>2nd</b>	you	you	your	yours
	<b>3rd</b>	they	them	their	theirs

I did not hear my mother call me.

A character is **speaking** about himself. The speaker uses pronouns in the first-person row to speak about himself.

You did not hear your mother call you.

A character is **spoken to**. The speaker uses pronouns in the second-person row to speak to someone else.

He did not hear his mother call him.

A character is **spoken about**. The speaker uses pronouns in the third-person row to speak about another character.

**Fix It!** Place a line through the incorrect pronoun and write the correct pronoun above it.

The wolf cubs ignored Shere Khan. <sup>He</sup>~~You~~ could not scare <sup>them</sup>~~us~~.



**Read It!**

1 vocabulary

**Mark It!**

- 3 articles (ar)
- 6 nouns (n)
- 1 pronoun (pr)
- 2 coordinating conjunctions (cc)
- 2 prepositional phrases
- 2 [main clauses]
- 2 subject-verb pairs (s v)
- 2 openers

**Fix It!**

- 4 capitals
- 3 commas
- 1 end mark
- 1 number
- 1 usage

with great **apprehension**, father wolf paced.

a small hairless creature wandered into the shallow  
cave, and joined the 6 cubs, and our mother

**Rewrite It!**

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**Read It!**

1 vocabulary

**Mark It!**

- 2 articles (ar)
- 5 nouns (n)
- 1 pronoun (pr)
- 3 prepositional phrases
- 2 [main clauses]
- 2 subject-verb pairs (s v)
- 2 openers

**Fix It!**

- 4 capitals
- 1 end mark
- 3 commas
- 1 usage

until that day, father wolf had never seen a man's cub.

they stared, in amazement, at the **puny** child

**Rewrite It!**

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1 vocabulary

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- 6 nouns (n)
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- 1 coordinating conjunction (cc)
- 4 prepositional phrases
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- 2 openers

**Fix It!**

- 1 indent
- 4 capitals
- 2 commas
- 1 end mark
- 1 usage

without any warning, shere khan appeared at the **entrance** of the cave, but could not fit through the opening. you wanted the man's cub to come out

**Rewrite It!**

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- 1 indent
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- 2 commas
- 1 end mark
- 1 usage

mother wolf shook herself. she stood up snarled  
 and **glared** at shere khan. i was furious

**Rewrite It!**

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## Review It!

### Commas

Starting this week, the Fix It! section no longer indicates how many commas are needed in each passage. Insert commas where needed, keeping in mind that some passages will not require any commas. You must determine where to put commas based on comma rules. This is what you must do with your own writing too since no one tells you how many commas you need in the sentences that you write.

Using the list below, tell which comma rule is applied in each sentence.

<b>A</b> MC, cc MC	<b>H</b> #2 opener 5 + words
<b>B</b> a, b, and c	<b>I</b> #2 opener transitional
<b>C</b> nonessential <i>who/which</i>	<b>J</b> #3 opener sentence adverb (It was ____ that ____ )
<b>D</b> coordinate adjectives	<b>K</b> #4 opener -ing
<b>E</b> mild interjection	<b>L</b> #5 opener clausal
<b>F</b> NDA	
<b>G</b> "Quote," attribution, "quote"	

- F** "Mowgli, try this raw meat."
- \_\_\_\_ "Oh, I prefer to eat it cooked."
- \_\_\_\_ "Cooked meat takes time," the cubs replied, "and tastes awful!"
- \_\_\_\_ Mowgli liked dandelion greens, nuts, and seeds.
- \_\_\_\_ When he could climb trees, he learned to collect honey.
- \_\_\_\_ Clearly, he gained many skills in the jungle.
- \_\_\_\_ He could hear the scratch of a bat's claws, and he could interpret an owl's hoot.
- \_\_\_\_ At sunrise early one morning, he ran to the lake.
- \_\_\_\_ He watched a patient, clever bear snag salmon in its claws.
- \_\_\_\_ Casting out a baited line, Mowgli also caught fish.
- \_\_\_\_ His favorite was salmon, which swarmed in groups.
- \_\_\_\_ Of course, he knew what it meant when they swam upstream.

**Read It!**

1 vocabulary

**Mark It!**

- 1 prepositional phrase
- 1 [main clause]
- 1 *that* clause (that)
- 2 adverb clauses (AC)
- 4 subject-verb pairs (s v)

**Fix It!**

- 1 indent
- 1 capital
- ? commas
- 1 quotation mark
- 1 end mark
- 1 usage

this coward **confidently** bragged he would  
 destroy myself at the next meeting because he had  
 not killed me when I was a cub

No closing quotation mark because quote continues.

**Rewrite It!**

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**Read It!**

1 vocabulary

**Mark It!**

- 1 coordinating conjunction (cc)
- 1 prepositional phrase
- 2 [main clauses]
- 1 adverb clause (AC)
- 3 subject-verb pairs (s v)

**Fix It!**

- 3 capitals
- ? commas
- 1 quotation mark
- 2 end marks
- 1 hyphen
- 2 usage

No opening quotation mark because quote continues.

as a man i will not **tolerate** rude nasty cowards  
 and self serving bullies if you moves a whisker  
 you will feel them flames

**Rewrite It!**

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**Read It!**

1 vocabulary

**Mark It!**

2 coordinating conjunctions (cc)

5 [main clauses]

5 subject-verb pairs (s v)

1 opener

**Fix It!**

1 indent

4 capitals

? commas

4 quotation marks

4 end marks

1 apostrophe

1 illegal #4

holding Shere Khans chin the tiger trembled and

whined leave now Mowgli **commanded**

never come back or ill stop you forever

**Rewrite It!**

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**Read It!**

**Mark It!**

**Fix It!**

1 vocabulary

- 1 coordinating conjunction (cc)
- 4 prepositional phrases
- 3 [main clauses]
- 1 *who/which* clause (w/w)
- 4 subject-verb pairs (s v)
- 3 openers

- 2 indents
- 2 capitals
- ? commas
- 3 end marks
- 2 usage

growling in terror Shere Khan fled into the jungle

Mowgli looked at Akela who he **respected** he

then turns positioning himself between Akela and

the other wolves

**Rewrite It!**

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