

## HOW DOES A QUESTION BEGIN?

When someone begins to speak, if one of these words is first, you know that they are MOST LIKELY going to ask you a question. Write an asking sentence, which is a question, for each of these words.

How	
What	
Where	
When	
Why	
Which	
Have	Haven't
Were	Weren't
Will	Won't
Would	Wouldn't
Should	Shouldn't
Could	Couldn't
Does	Doesn't
Do	Don't
Did	Didn't
Is	Isn't
Are	Aren't
Can	Can't
May	

Parents /Teachers:  
Before giving your students these words, try to make them guess at what they are and generate a list. Give clues like this: When you meet some one you haven't talked to for a while, you usually say,\_\_\_\_\_

## DIALOG- OTHER WAYS TO SAY SAID

Write appropriate sentences for each of these and add to the list.

whispered

shouted

cried

murmured

exclaimed

pouted

screeched

rambled

remarked

croaked

thought

chirped

replied

answered

lamented

screamed

called

ordered

## IRREGULAR PLURALS

Write sentences for each of these. Watch for subject/verb agreement.

man

men

woman

women

child

children

mouse

mice

ox

oxen

tooth

teeth

foot

feet

goose

geese

fish

fish or fishes

moose

moose

sheep

sheep

thief

thieves

half

halves

leaf

leaves

knife

knives

life

lives

scarf

scarves

loaf

loaves

shelf

shelves

## HOMONYMS

- |          |       |         |
|----------|-------|---------|
| 1. be    | bee   | Bea     |
| 2. to    | too   | two     |
| 3. there | their | they're |
| 4. pair  | pare  | pear    |
| 5. cent  | scent | sent    |
| 6. I     | eye   | aye     |

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|-----------|-------|----------|------|
| 1. hi     | high  | 2. die   | dye  |
| 3. right  | write | 4. meet  | meat |
| 5. bite   | byte  | 6. shoo  | shoe |
| 7. you    | ewe   | 8. lone  | loan |
| 9. hole   | whole | 10. one  | won  |
| 11. groan | grown | 12. dew  | due  |
| 13. maid  | made  | 14. pale | pail |
| 15. pain  | pane  | 16. fair | fare |
| 17. creak | creek | 18. real | reel |
| 19. steel | steal | 20. our  | hour |
| 21. here  | hear  | 22. rode | road |
| 23. pray  | prey  | 24. by   | buy  |

25. close	clothes	26. see	sea
27. mail	male	28. read	red
29. plane	plain	30. main	mane
31. ad	add	32. beet	beat
33. ant	aunt	34. break	brake
35. sale	sail	36. tale	tail
37. hare	hair	38. peek	peak
39. week	weak	40. heel	heal
41. seem	seam	42. cheep	cheap
43. dear	deer	44. wood	would
45. for	four	46. herd	heard
47. piece	peace	48. scene	seen
49. bow	bough	50. flower	flour
51. we	wee	52. lite*	light
53. site	sight	54. ate	eight
55. no	know	56. not	knot
57. night	knight	58. ring	wring
59. wrap	rap	60. great	grate
61. rein	rain	62. weight	wait
63. bin	been	64. doe	dough
65. sum	some		

## SYNONYMS / ANTONYMS

1. big	large	small	tiny
2. kind	nice	mean	cruel
3. hard	firm	soft	smooth
4. clean	spotless	dirty	grimy
5. quiet	peaceful	noisy	loud
6. fair	just	unfair	unjust
7. smart	intelligent	dull	dense
8. happy	glad	unhappy	sad
9. strong	mighty	weak	frail
10. fast	quick	slow	poke
11. chubby	plump	slim	thin
12. icy	freezing	warm	mild

### Ideas:

□ Think of nouns that can be used with these adjectives.

Example: warm bath; freezing cold; slow snail.

□ Introduce compound words: fairground, loudmouth, slowpoke, crybaby, underdog, funhouse, shortstop.

## ANTONYMS

1. short	tall
2. high	low
3. full	empty
4. curved	straight
5. round	flat
6. sweet	sour
7. good	bad
8. neat	messy
9. up	down
10. in	out
11. over	under
12. hot	cold
13. laugh	cry
14. smile	frown
15. you	me
16. we	them
17. mine	yours
18. he	she
19. boy	girl
20. this	that

21. on	off
22. love	hate
23. all	none
24. go	stay
25. get	give
26. there	here
27. build	destroy
28. back	front
29. came	went
30. come	go
31. before	after
32. no	yes
33. lot	few
34. fun	boring
35. close	far
36. want	have
37. friend	enemy
38. more	less
39. help	hinder
40. stop	start
41. now	later
42. take	give

43. first	last
44. best	worst
45. night	day
46. sunny	cloudy
47. right	wrong
48. old	new
49. always	never
50. soon	later
51. lost	found
52. long	short
53. same	different
54. together	apart
55. end	begin
56. whole	part
57. start	finish
58. outside	inside
59. use	waste
60. ask	tell
61. sit	stand
62. win	lose
63. whisper	shout
64. enter	leave

## Adjectives go with Nouns

Choose an adjective to go with these nouns. Usually an adjective is before the noun. Remember, a noun is a person, place, or thing.

### Nouns

paints  
banana  
school  
policeman  
video  
chicken  
pencil  
child  
book  
dad  
store  
paper  
birds  
nurse  
telephone  
idea  
voice  
car  
noise  
arm

### Adjectives

blue  
interesting  
kind  
new  
frozen  
many  
my  
young  
new  
great  
soft  
noisy  
colorful  
yellow  
old  
sore  
ripe  
loud  
big  
lost

## Adverbs go with Verbs

Choose the best adverb from the box to go with each verb and write it on the line. Decide whether the adverb sounds better before or after the verb.

Act  
Write  
Judged  
Wrote  
Ran  
Looked  
Talked  
Played  
Read  
Dressed  
Answered  
Painted  
Argued  
Skipped  
Sat  
Worked  
Moved  
Breathed  
Fought  
Tried  
Danced  
Spoke  
Laughed  
Stood  
Cried  
Complained

Smoothly  
Quietly  
Freely  
Nicely  
Carefully  
Cheerfully  
Colorfully  
Rapidly  
Nosily  
Loudly  
Terribly  
Quickly  
Poorly  
Roughly  
Wrongly  
Successfully  
Badly  
Hardly  
Barely  
Weakly  
Bravely  
Horribly  
Lovely  
Beautifully  
Kindly  
Sadly

## Conjunctions and or but

Choose which conjunction goes BEST!

1. We were late for lunch, \_\_\_\_\_we still got to eat.
2. We study hard,\_\_\_\_\_we get good grades.
3. He thought he knew all of his times tables,\_\_\_\_\_he found out that he didn't.
4. I took my painting home, \_\_\_\_\_I gave it to my mom.
5. I would like to share my toys,\_\_\_\_\_I don't know how.
6. I like turkey,\_\_\_\_\_I like ham.
7. You can either give him this one, \_\_\_\_\_you can give him that one.
8. You will get good grades,\_\_\_\_\_your mother will be glad.
9. You can wear your coat in the room, \_\_\_\_\_you might get too warm.
10. He can either walk to school, \_\_\_\_\_he can ride his bike
11. It's raining today, \_\_\_\_\_I can wear my new boots.

12. I like pizza, \_\_\_\_\_ I like ice-cream.
13. I like chocolate, \_\_\_\_\_ I don't like vanilla.
14. You can either have chocolate, \_\_\_\_\_ you can have vanilla.
15. This is fun, \_\_\_\_\_ I like it.
16. We are good friends, \_\_\_\_\_ sometimes we argue.
17. You can either be friends, \_\_\_\_\_ you can be enemies.
18. We are friends, \_\_\_\_\_ we share our toys.
19. My dog is black, \_\_\_\_\_ my cat is white.
20. You can either feed my dog, \_\_\_\_\_ my cat.
21. My dog is friendly, \_\_\_\_\_ my cat is shy.
22. My dog used to be wild, \_\_\_\_\_ now he's tame.
23. You can either call him Blackie, \_\_\_\_\_ you can call him Shadow.
24. You will like brushing him, \_\_\_\_\_ you will not like giving him a bath.
25. He chews on my shoes, \_\_\_\_\_ he chews on his new leash.
26. I will either finish this today, \_\_\_\_\_ I will finish it tomorrow.