



The Sentence

Definition of a Sentence

- A sentence is a group of words that makes complete sense.

Example: Rohit is a good batsman.

Nonsensical Groups

- Group of words like “morning is it a lovely” do not make sense. Hence, not sentences.

Characteristics of a Sentence

- Begins with a capital letter.
- Ends with a full stop (.), question mark (?), or exclamation mark (!).
- Number of words can vary, but it must convey complete meaning.

Types of Sentences

1. Declarative or Statement Sentences

- They state facts or ideas.
- End with a full stop (.)

Examples:

- She is my sister.
- The sun rises in the east.

2. Interrogative Sentences

- They ask questions.
- End with a question mark (?)

Examples:

- Where is my book?
- Do you like chocolate?

3. Imperative Sentences

- They give orders, requests, or advice.
- End with a full stop (.)

Examples:

- Please sit down.
- Do not touch that wire!

4. Exclamatory Sentences

- They express strong feelings or emotions.
- End with an exclamation mark (!)

Examples:

- What a beautiful house!
- How wonderful the view is!