

Are You Smarter Than a 5th Grader?

(Let's Hope So!)

Capitalization/Punctuation Review for Grade 6

Follow the step-by-step directions below to review your knowledge of capitalization and punctuation rules.



Engage

[Click HERE to watch video](#)

Let's eat grandpa.
Let's eat, grandpa.

**correct punctuation can
save a person's life.**



Explore (Choose at least two links below)

- [Why is punctuation important? Read HERE!](#)
- [Bad Grammar in the news! Watch HERE!](#)
- [Bad Grammar Epidemic Read HERE!](#)
- [Apostrophe Catastrophes! Watch HERE!](#)

After reading the articles/watching the videos above, what are your thoughts about the importance of correct punctuation and grammar? Does it matter?

Explain



- [Click HERE to watch video](#) (Capitalization)
- [Click HERE to watch another video](#) (Capitalization)
- [Click HERE for one more video!](#) (Punctuation: Commas)
- [Click HERE for MORE!](#) (Punctuation: Apostrophes)
- [Click HERE for EVEN MORE!](#) (Punctuation: Commas)
- [Click HERE for one last video!](#) (Punctuation: Apostrophes)

Copy the notes (2 pages) from the Google Classroom page into your composition book. (Homework: Due _____)

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PUNCTUATION: GO!

So, you've probably been playing "Pokemon Go" all summer, right? Now is your chance to play PUNCTUATION: GO! (Applause!)

Your mission is to find BUTTONS (yes, those round plastic discs that keep your shirts closed) in the classroom. They are hidden EVERYWHERE! Look carefully! When you find a button, use the chart below to see which punctuation mark it represents:

RED = Oxford comma

BLUE = Any comma

YELLOW = Apostrophe in a contraction

GREEN = Apostrophe in a possessive noun

PINK = Quotation Marks (Find TWO pink buttons!)


WHITE = Underlining (for book titles)


Found a button? Go back to your seat and click [HERE](#) to access Google Slides. Follow the example and write a sentence telling WHERE you found that button! You must use the punctuation mark that you found IN YOUR SENTENCE! Be sure to identify button color too! Your sentence must use correct capitalization.


Done? Find another! Add as many sentences to your slide as you can.

The team with the most (correct) button sentences on its

	slide is the WINNER!
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	Share
	Review the slides of your classmates HERE .

	Reflect
	Are any of the punctuation marks or capitalization rules still causing you to be confused? Click HERE to answer in Answer Garden form.

	Extend
	<p>NEED MORE PRACTICE?</p> <p>Click on the links below to take quizzes on the concepts we have reviewed. Your GOAL is to score at least 8/10 on each quiz. Your score will appear at the end of each quiz as well as which questions you completed incorrectly. Keep trying until you can score 80% (8/10) on each one.</p> <p>Click HERE: Online Grammar Quiz: Capitalization</p> <p>Click HERE: Online Grammar Quiz: Punctuation</p>