

Declarative and Interrogative Sentences

A **declarative sentence**, or statement, is a sentence that tells something. Declarative sentences end with a period. An **interrogative sentence**, or question, is a sentence that asks something. Interrogative sentences end with a question mark. Sentences begin with a capital letter.

Declarative sentence: I like all kinds of music.

Interrogative sentence: Do you like all kinds of music?

A Write **D** if the sentence is declarative.
Write **I** if the sentence is interrogative.

1. I really like to play guitar.
2. When I am tired, I like to listen to music.
3. When do you like to listen to music?
4. In the morning, I listen to station WBDX.
5. Do you like to listen to the radio?

Write each sentence with the correct end punctuation mark.

6. Do I have to listen to that song again
7. It sounds like two cats having a fight
8. This is not a song I would like to sing
9. Did this composer write any other songs
10. Maybe I would like those songs more than this one



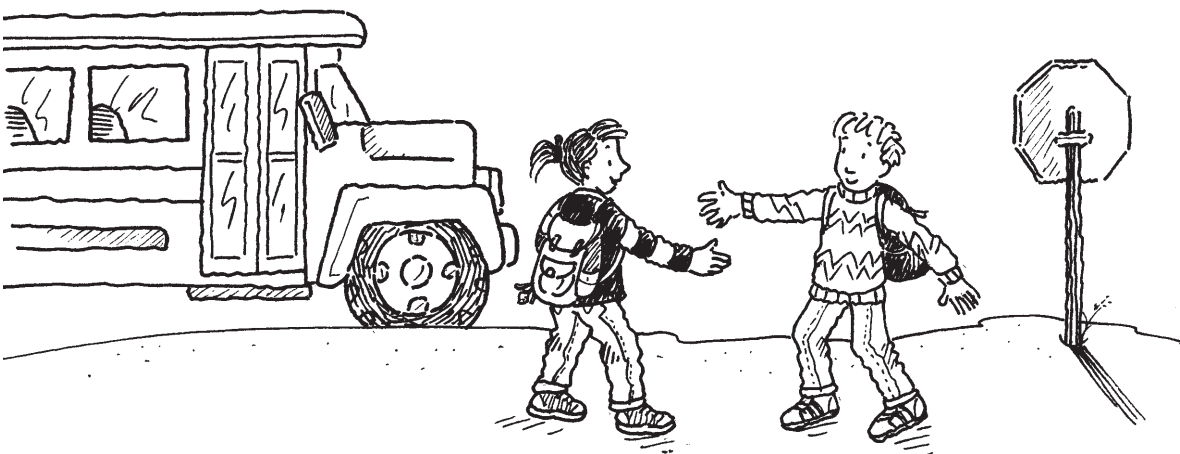
UNIT 1 GRAMMAR

B Write each sentence and add the correct end punctuation.
Then write whether each sentence is *declarative* or *interrogative*.

1. Where were you born
2. I was born in China
3. When I was younger, I lived in Virginia
4. Now I live in Washington
5. Do you like your town
6. How long have you lived there
7. I really like my new town
8. When I am older, I want to live in Boston

C Change each sentence to the kind named in ().
Write the new sentence.

9. It is hard to move to a new place. (interrogative)
10. Are there a lot of new students in your school? (declarative)
11. Meeting new friends does make things better. (interrogative)
12. Soon I will feel more at home. (interrogative)



Review and Assess

Write each sentence and add the correct end punctuation.

1. I play flute in the school orchestra
2. What instrument do you play
3. Is it hard to play the tuba
4. When I play the tuba, I often run out of breath
5. Do you practice often

Read each sentence. Write the letter of the word or the word and punctuation mark that complete each sentence.

6. Drums can be really ____

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| A loud | C loud. |
| B loud? | D Loud |
7. ____ many years have you studied the piano?

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| A What | C how |
| B How? | D How |
8. ____ play the clarinet.

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| A I can | C can I |
| B Can I | D I can? |
9. Do you know how to play the ____

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| A bass. | C Bass |
| B bass | D bass? |
10. I am not sure when the concert ____

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| A starts | C starts? |
| B starts. | D Starts |

