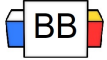




Name: _____ **Convention Kingdom** Topic: Parenthetical Commas



Question: How can a writer use a comma?

Answer:



Directions: Underline any **red or bold words** that appear in the video.

Parenthetical Commas

- Parenthetical commas are also used around words and phrases that interrupt a sentence with information that is not necessary.
- The unnecessary information should be set apart with commas.
- The added information may be interesting, but you could lift out the word or phrase without changing the sentence's meaning.

Example: Michelle and Denise, two sassy divas, went out for a casual brunch.

Example: The Lollipop Lunatic, an evil monster and devourer of candy, stormed the castle.

Example: John, the experienced Marine, dove into the sea without fear to save the drowning llama.

Example: Farquad, my brother's squire, epically won the chess match.

Transition Words and Parenthetical Commas


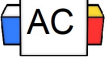

Use commas before and after different words and phrases that 'interrupt' the sentence. This is incredibly helpful when you want to add transition words to show the relationship between ideas.

Example: He did not commit the crime. He did, however, assist the culprit.

Example: He agreed, reluctantly, to go to the dance.



Name: _____ **Convention Kingdom** Topic: Parenthetical Commas

	<p>Directions: In this section, you will be given various sentences. Please correct or input the correct punctuation mark(s) in each sentence.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. He however is just a voice in the back of my head, and I'm putting him on mute.2. The vase, a glass prison that entraps supple flowers, reverberated in delight, for its owner fed it new victims.3. He did not listen to his partner and, subsequently, bought the contentious kiddie pool.4. Humpty Dumpty, the dismissive and petty emperor, banished the jester from the kingdom due to his eccentric behavior.
	<p>Directions: Create TWO original sentences that use the parenthetical comma rules to add extra information/a and transition words into the sentences.</p>
	<p>Your Answer: (see above)</p>
<p>Extra Notes</p>	



Name: _____ **Convention Kingdom** **Topic:** Parenthetical Commas