



Can you rewrite this direct speech sentence with **all** the missing punctuation?

a

the pantomime villain chuckled slyly i have a cunning plan

Local Man Captures Escaped Tiger in His Pyjamas!

c

Why is this headline ambiguous?

Clue: Ambiguous means that the meaning is not clear and could be confusing.

Are the underlined words an adverb of possibility or a modal verb.

e

1. After a fantastic election speech, Yasmina was surely going to be chosen as the new school councillor.

2. As his floor was covered in dirty clothes, Joey ought to go and tidy his room.

Look at the homophone words within the brackets. Circle the correct word to fit the sentence:

b

The train pulled into the station and remained (**stationary / stationery**) until all the passengers got on.

During the six-week holiday, the student purchased lots of new (**stationary / stationery**) for the new school term.

Mr Whoops has accidentally jumbled up a word containing silent letters. Can you help him unjumble it?

d

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Insert commas around the relative clause in this sentence.

f

The disco spider who was wearing flared trousers and platform shoes partied relentlessly on the dance floor.





a
Can you write pantomime villain's words in a direct speech sentence with the reporting clause before the inverted commas?

The pantomime villain said that he had a cunning plan and chuckled slyly.

c
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Why is this headline ambiguous?

e
Underline the **adverb of possibility** or **modal verb** in the following sentences, and say what type of word it is.

1. After a fantastic election speech, Yasmina was surely going to be chosen as the new school councillor.

2. As his floor was covered in dirty clothes, Joey ought to go and tidy his room.

d
Mr Whoops has accidentally jumbled up three words containing silent letters. Can you help him unjumble it?

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f
Insert commas around the relative clause in this sentence and underline the relative pronoun.

The disco spider who was wearing flared trousers and platform shoes partied relentlessly on the dance floor.



b
Write a sentence using the commonly-confused homophone word 'stationary'.
