



Using commas in dates and lists

Today's Standard

1.L.2c - Use commas in dates and to separate single words in a series.

Cues	Notes
What is a comma?	A comma is a punctuation mark that indicates a pause or separates items.
How are commas used in dates?	In dates, commas separate the day from the year: 'October 5, 2023.'
How are commas used in lists?	In lists, commas separate individual items: 'apples, bananas, and oranges.'
Why are commas important?	Commas help make writing clear and easier to read.
Common mistakes with commas?	Common mistakes include omitting commas in lists or placing them incorrectly.

Summary

Commas are used in dates and lists to separate items and make writing clear. Proper usage is essential for readability.