



## Punctuation in Dialogue

### Today's Standard

3.L.2c - Use commas and quotation marks in dialogue.

Cues	Notes
What are quotation marks?	Quotation marks are used to show when someone is speaking.
How do you use commas in dialogue?	Commas are used before or after quotation marks to separate dialogue from the rest of the sentence.
Why is punctuation important in dialogue?	Punctuation helps to make dialogue clear and easy to read.
What is a common mistake with quotation marks?	A common mistake is not using quotation marks around each piece of dialogue.
What is a common mistake with commas?	Another mistake is not using commas correctly in dialogue.

### Summary

Using punctuation correctly in dialogue is important for clear communication. Quotation marks show who is speaking, and commas help to separate dialogue from the rest of the sentence.