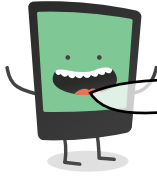




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I know when to use commas in lists of adjectives.

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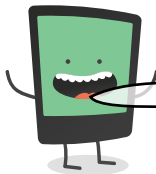


We can use more than one adjective to describe a single noun. When doing this, sometimes we need to link them with commas and sometimes we don't. Take a look at the rules below.

If the **adjectives come before** the noun and we can **change the order** of the adjectives, we do add a comma. We also break the rule of using 'and' between the last two items.

Hamsters are calm, cuddly pets.

Hamsters are cuddly, calm pets.



For each sentence below, tick to show whether commas have been used correctly. Be sure to follow the rule above.

Sentence	Commas used correctly	Commas not used correctly
Ben's tidy, wooden desk was in the corner of the classroom.		
Paul's car was clean, fast and parked at the side of the road.		
The long, school holiday was just what Sally needed.		
Ben loved nothing more than a large bar of tasty, milk chocolate.		
The young, eager sailor boarded his boat for the competition.		

Correct any that are incorrect in the space below.

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