

Advanced Punctuation Review

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Commas and Communication

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Answer the following questions based on what you learned about comma usage with yes/no responses, tag questions, and direct address.

1. What did you learn about commas today?

2. What is a tag question?

- A. A question that tags onto a statement
- B. A question that is always in the past tense
- C. A question that has no answer

3. Good punctuation can help us communicate God's love clearly.

- True False

4. A gentle answer turns away ____, but harsh words stir up anger.

5. How can good punctuation help us communicate God's love?

6. Which of the following is a correct use of commas in direct address?

- A. Let's eat Grandma.
- B. Let's eat, Grandma.
- C. Lets eat Grandma.

7. The verse Ephesians 4:29 teaches us to speak corruptly.

- True False

8. In the sentence "Is it raining, John?", the comma is used to separate the question from the ____ address.

9. Why is it important to be precise in our language?

10. What does Proverbs 15:1 teach us about communication?

- A. Harsh words are always better.
- B. Gentle answers are respectful.
- C. Anger is the best response.

Answer Key

1. Commas help separate ideas and clarify meaning in sentences, especially in yes/no responses and tag questions. 2. A question that tags onto a statement 3. True 4. wrath 5. Good punctuation makes our message clear and respectful, which reflects God's love in our communication. 6. Let's eat, Grandma. 7. False 8. direct 9. Being precise prevents misunderstandings and shows respect to the person we are communicating with. It also helps convey our message clearly. 10. Gentle answers are respectful.