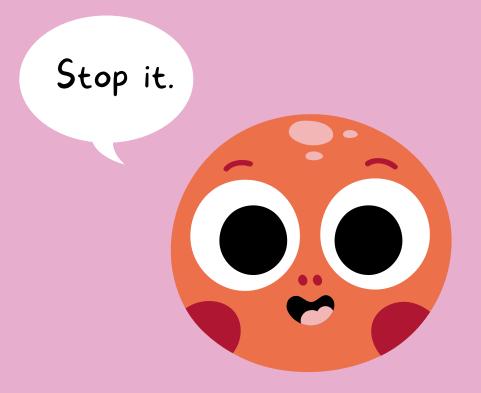
# Period



Used at the end of a statement

### Comma



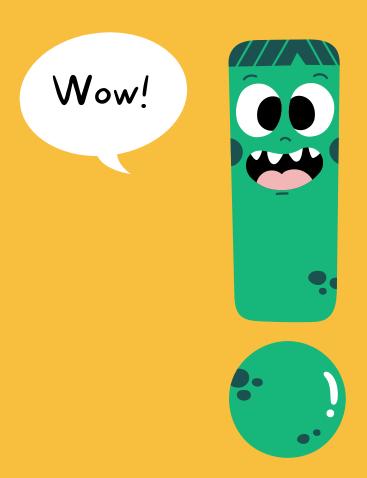
Used to separate phrases or items in a list

# **Quotation Marks**



Used to mark the beginning and end a quote or to show speech used in a sentence

#### **Exclamation Point**



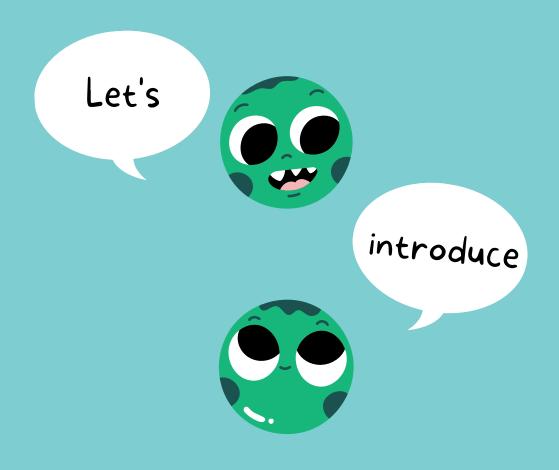
Used to show excitement or emphasis at the end of a sentence

# Semicolon



Used to join two independent clauses that are closely related

## Colon



Used to introduce groups of words in a series or introduce a quote

# Apostrophe

That's mine!



Used to show possession

# Ellipsis

Let's pause...

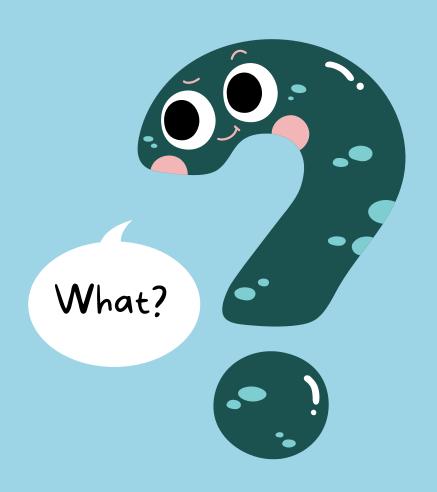






Used to indicate a pause or trailing off of a thought

## **Question Mark**



Used at the end of a question