

UNPUNCTUATED PASSAGES

Comma & Punctuation Practice

YOU'LL GET . . .

- 10 Unpunctuated Reading Passages
- Answer Keys

EACH PASSAGE INCLUDES A VARIETY OF MULTIPLE COMMA RULES

COMMA RULES INCLUDED:

- COMPOUND SENTENCES
- COMPLEX SENTENCES
- APPOSITION
- COMMAS IN DIALOGUE
- COMMAS IN A SERIES
- INTRODUCTORY ELEMENT COMMAS
- DIRECT ADDRESS COMMA
- TAG QUESTION COMMAS

Day at the Beach

my family and i went on vacation to the beach we brought our umbrella beach chairs and cooler dad set up the umbrella and mom spread out the towels my brother timmy and i built sandcastles in the sand while my parents relaxed in their beach chairs we played in the sand for hours time to eat we ate a delicious

**GREAT FOR
REVIEW &
TEST PREP**



EASY PREP OPTIONS

PRINT & GO

1. PRINT COPY FOR STUDENTS
TO WRITE ON

USE DOC CAM

1. PRINT 1 COPY
2. USE DOC CAM TO DISPLAY
ON SCREEN OR BOARD
3. ANNOTATE ON THE BOARD

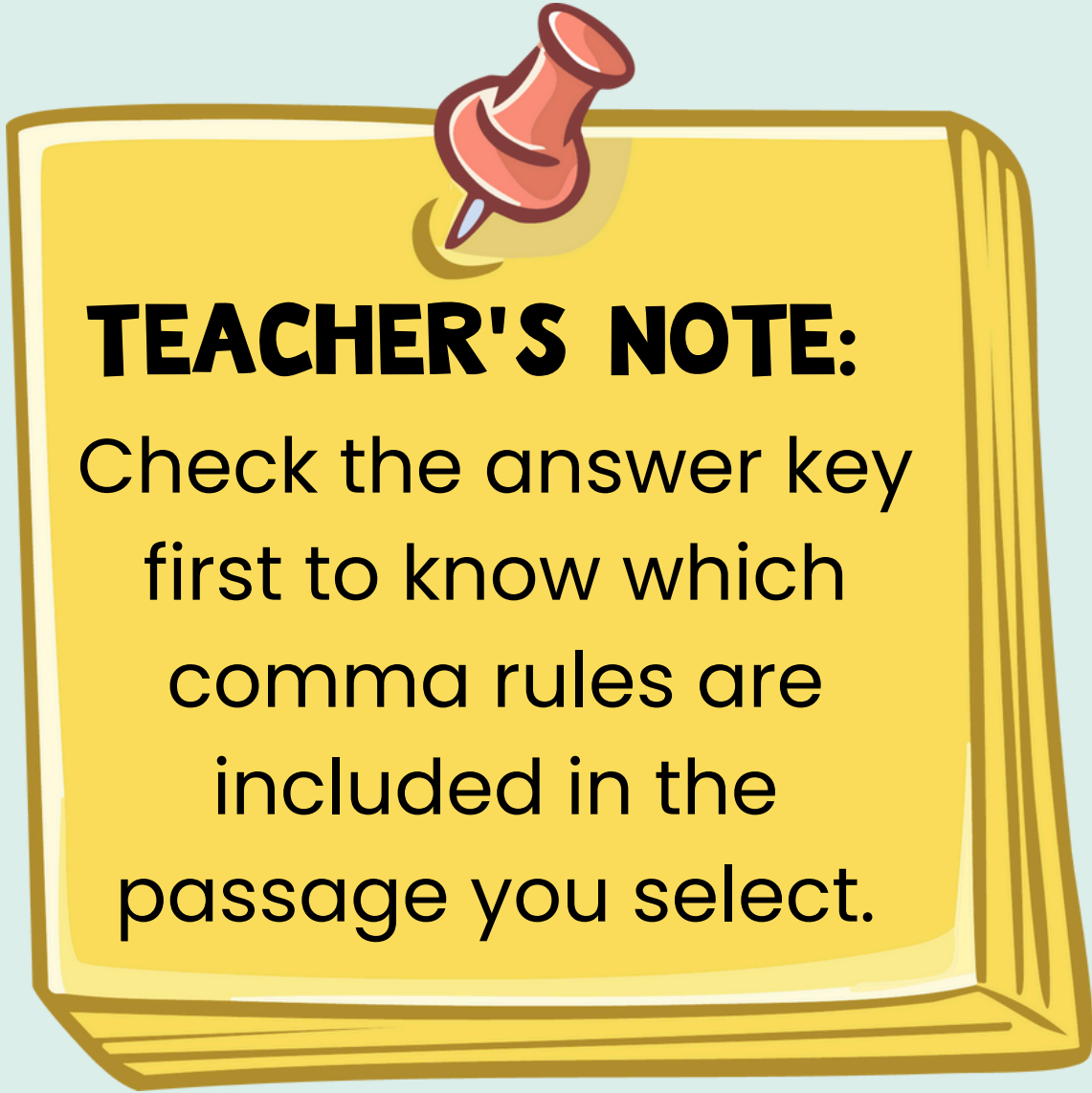
Pool Time Fun

the weather was hot and the sun was shining brightly in the sky i decided to go swimming so i grabbed my swimsuit towel and sunscreen my friends sarah and jack joined me at the pool throughout the afternoon we had a lot of fun jumping into the water and playing games however because the pool was crowded with other people we had to be extra careful

WRITE & WIPE

1. PRINT ON CARDSTOCK
2. LAMINATE
3. WRITE ON WITH WHITEBOARD
MARKERS OR CRAYONS
4. WIPE OFF

ANSWER KEY



TEACHER'S NOTE:

Check the answer key first to know which comma rules are included in the passage you select.

This passage uses:

- ☒ Compound Sentences
- ☒ Complex Sentences
- ☒ Appositives
- Commas in Dialogue
- ☒ Commas in a Series
- ☒ Introductory Element Comma
- Direct Address Commas
- Tag Questions

Day at the Beach

Answer Key:

My family and I went on vacation to the beach. We brought our umbrella, beach chairs, and cooler. Dad set up the umbrella, and mom spread out the towels. My brother, Timmy, and I, built sandcastles in the sand. While my parents relaxed in their beach chairs, we played in the water. When it was time to eat, we all sat down and enjoyed a delicious picnic lunch.



**GRAMMAR SKILLS
INCLUDED IN THE PASSAGE**

Lost

while hiking in the mountains milly and jack two college students studying to become biologists found themselves in a

sticky situ

milly said

fallen log

took the m

it turning a

the car's t

they weren

Field Trip

our fifth-grade teacher miss johnson stood at the front of the classroom and said class i have exciting news we are going she paused dramatically on a very

special field

students eru

david exclaim

going miss

somewhere re

science camp

does it

Park Day

yesterday on a warm sunny day i went to the park with my friends we played basketball soccer and even had a picnic i brought a delicious sandwich juicy apples crunchy carrots and refreshing lemonade After eating we laughed talked and shared

The Bike Ride

my cousin emily and i went on a bike ride after school we rode our bikes through the neighborhood past houses and across

a field while

birds flying

dog wagging

reached the

children play

emily and i

until it was t

Birthday Dinner

dad asked emily with curiosity what's for dinner tonight i'm starving her father smiled and said well kiddo since it's your birthday i was kind of thinking that

maybe we'd

tonight sudden

do still love

don't you emi

feel about cho

gave her dad a

Space

outer space is an amazing place full of wonders and mysteries it is the vast expanse beyond earth where stars planets and galaxies exist rockets like the ones that took astronauts to the moon help us explore this incredible realm astronomers scientists who study space use telescopes to observe far

Max's Park

yesterday i went to the park with my dog max it was a beautiful day with

blue skies a

wagged his tail

catch he would

the ball after a

and i gave ma

we heard a lou

excitedly

Dinner Party

well last night my family had a fantastic dinner mom cooked roasted chicken mashed potatoes and vegetables dad set the table while my sister ava and i arranged the flowers

grandpa tol

laughed dur

chocolate ca

ice cream i

full of laugh

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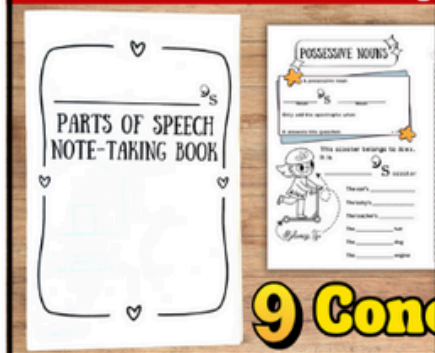
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Grammar Note-Taking



9 Concepts

SENTENCE TYPES & TERMS

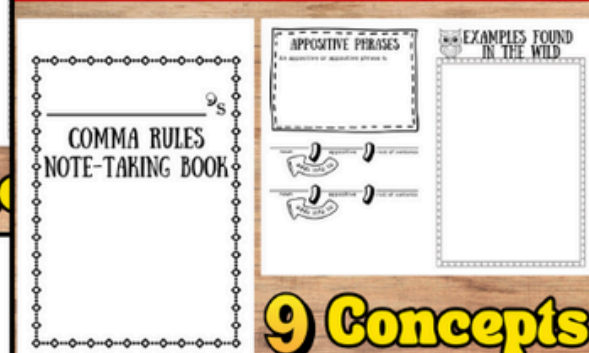
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COMMA RULES

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BUNDLE



- Commas in a Series
- Direct Address
- Compound Sentences
- Complex Sentences
- Tag Question
- Apposition
- Introductory Elements
- Punctuating Dialogue
- Interactive Comma Rules

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