

# Interjections Exercises

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An interjection is a word that expresses some kind of emotion. It can be used as filler. Interjections do not have a grammatical function in the sentence and are not related to the other parts of the sentence. If an interjection is omitted, the sentence still makes sense. It can stand alone.

Wow!



Hey!



Hooray!



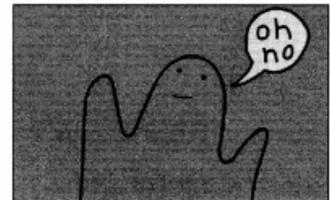
Wait!



Yippee!



Oh no!



Ouch!



## Interjections

- An interjection is a word or words used to express strong and sudden feelings— surprise, fear, suspense anger, love, joy and other emotions.
- Words such as wow, ouch, hurrah, oh, and hooray are interjections.
- Words such as help, beware, and stop (usually verbs) may be used as interjections.

## Interjection Quiz

Identify the interjection in the following sentences.

- Goodness! He listened to the man's story and reported it to the police immediately.
- Oh, I haven't seen my brother since he left for college!

- Oops! I dropped the jelly.
- No! Don't touch that!
- Help! I'm about to fall!
- The poor deer was, Alas! destitute and hungry.
- Wait! Don't leave me behind in the cave!
- Ah! I've heard that trick before.

## Interjections Exercises Solved Examples

### Question 1.

Choose the right words:

- (i) \_\_\_\_\_! who cries outside? (Hark/Hallo)  
 (ii) \_\_\_\_\_! I have lost my purse. (Alas/Ha/Ha!)  
 (iii) \_\_\_\_\_! I have defeated all my rivals. (Hurrah/Ha)  
 (iv) \_\_\_\_\_! Are you not in your senses? (Ob/Hallo)  
 (v) \_\_\_\_\_! The victory is yours. (Bravo/Hurrah)

Answer:

- (i) Hark  
 (ii) Alas  
 (iii) Hurrah  
 (iv) Hallo  
 (v) Bravo

### Question 2.

Complete these sentences with suitable interjections

- (i) \_\_\_\_\_ We have won the match.  
 (ii) \_\_\_\_\_ Where are you going now?  
 (iii) \_\_\_\_\_ What a beautiful color?  
 (iv) \_\_\_\_\_ I hear some one coming.  
 (v) \_\_\_\_\_ What a wicked lie.

Answer:

- (i) Hurrah!  
 (ii) Hallo  
 (iii) Oh!  
 (iv) Hush!  
 (v) Oh!

## Interjections Exercises Practice Examples

### Question 1.

Underline the Interjections

- (i) Hey! You left me behind.  
 (ii) Ouch! That soup is hot.  
 (iii) Oops! The plate broke.  
 (iv) Well, I guess I'll go.

- (v) Hurray! We won the game.
- (vi) Wow! John hit the ball far.
- (vii) Hurray! I saw something scary in the cave.
- (viii) Alas! I cannot go with you.
- (ix) Shh! I heard something.
- (x) Ah, I see what you mean.

**Question 2.**

Choose the correct option to fill in the blanks.

(i) \_\_\_\_\_ ! I found a twenty dollar bill.

- (a) Hey
- (b) Ohno

(ii) \_\_\_\_\_ ! That girl is really sexy.

- (a) Yeah (b) Welcome

(iii) \_\_\_\_\_ ! You're really moving to another country?

- (a) Good bye
- (b) What

(iv) \_\_\_\_\_ ! She is not coming to work again?

- (a) Welcome
- (b) Wh

(v) \_\_\_\_\_ ! Please sit anywhere.

- (a) Welcome
- (b) Oh no

(vi) \_\_\_\_\_ ! No talking in the library!

- (a) Quiet
- (b) What

(vii) \_\_\_\_\_ ! You are disrupting the class!

- (a) Sit down
- (b) What

(viii) \_\_\_\_\_ ! This food was really expensive.

- (a) Eat
- (b) Good-bye

(ix) \_\_\_\_\_ ! It was your idea to meet today.

(a) Good-bye

(b) Talk

(x) \_\_\_\_\_! I am not' going to the party tonight.

(a) Welcome

(b) No way