

Parts of speech.

What is an Interjection?

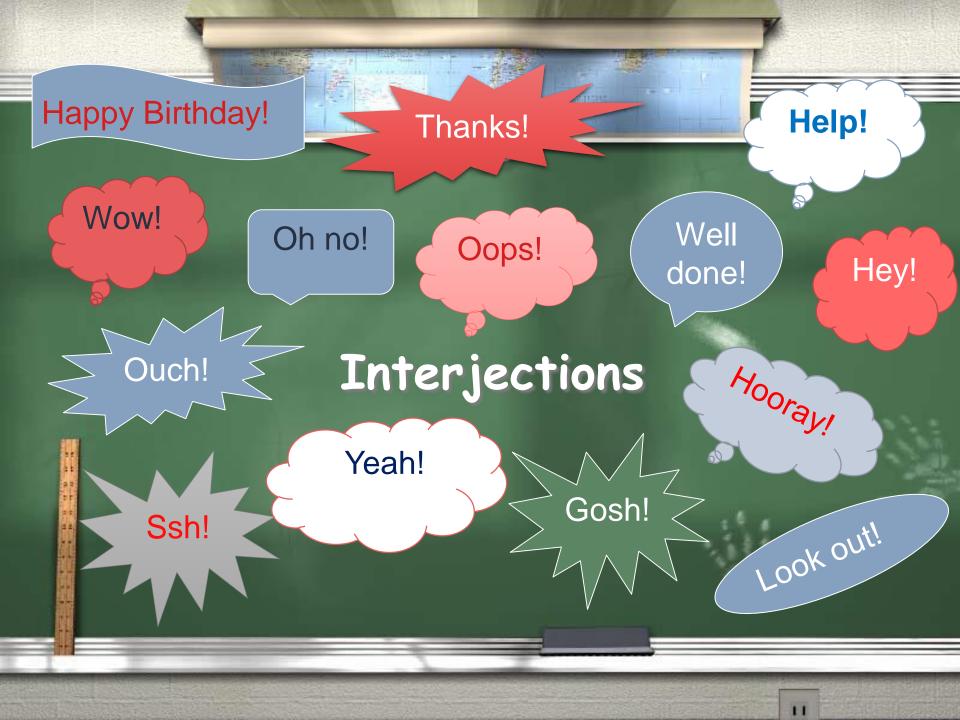
 An interjection is a word that expresses a sudden, strong feeling such as surprise, pain, or pleasure.

Punctuating Interjections

- If an interjection is spoken calmly, simply put a comma after it and continue the sentence. For example:
- Shhh, the baby is sleeping.
- Oh my, I dropped my pencil.

Punctuating Interjections

- If an interjection is spoken with more emotion, it is followed by an exclamation point. The next word is then capitalized. For example:
 - Ouch! I just cut my finger.
 - Wow! That boat is big!



Underline the interjections in the sentences below:

- 1. Ouch! You hit me in the leg!
- 2. Wow! I can't believe I finished the marathon.
- 3. Oh, I'm not sure about that.
- 4. Hooray! We won the championship game!
- 5. Oops, I forgot to tell you where to go.
- 6. Hey, can you help me out?
- 7. Oops, I spilled my milk.
- 8. Wow! I won the lottery!
- 9. Oh! I have got a toothache.
- 10. This pizza is really good, yum!

