



# Commas



**A comma separates units of meaning in a sentence.**

**A comma separates items in a list.**

Jenna bought some apples, grapes, bananas and pears for her fruit salad.



**A comma separates a subordinate clause from a main clause at the start of a sentence.**

Although she was tired, Tilly went to the party.



**A comma always follows a fronted adverbial.**

After the party, Greta excitedly opened her presents.

**A comma marks out a relative clause (extra information that has been added into the sentence).**

The children, who were in class six, were very excited.

