The Interjection

An **interjection** is a word used to express emotion.

An interjection has no grammatical relation to other words in the sentence. Usually an interjection is followed by and exclamation point. Sometimes an interjection is set off by a comma or commas.

**Examples**

**Oh!** You surprised me.

**Wow!** Am I tired.

**No,** you can’t have the last cookie.

**Exercise 16**

1. “Beans! It’s not fair what they say, I knew I was taking a giant step that day.”
2. “Well, it’s not fair what they say about us, either.”
3. Yeah! Don’t you think I intended to buy magic beans?”
4. “You guys don’t have it as bad as I do. Ugh! How dumb do people think I am.
5. “Sure! I think your cloak was over your eyes.”
6. “What! Next you’ll probably tell me that I didn’t see your brother.”
7. “Humph! I don’t know what you really saw.”
8. “Aw, let’s not argue.”
9. “Yes! I want to give people the real story about that kid!”
10. “Great! I’m ready to squeal on those three little pigs!”