

Activity:

The aim of this activity is for children to practise using commas in a list. There are three questions to complete. The first two questions allow children to practise the skill, while the third question extends them as they have to apply their learning to get the answer.

Vocabulary:

A **comma** is a punctuation mark used to help the reader by separating parts of a sentence. Commas can be used to separate items in a list or to separate clauses. However, they have many other uses too.

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Using Commas in a List

1. A - True

B – True

C - False. C is incorrect because there is an extra comma used after the word 'boxes'.

2. A. supermarket, stores; B. crowded, comfortably; C. scones, pasties

3. Tommy is incorrect. If he converted his list into a full sentence, he would need two commas, not four. His sentence could be, 'My birthday wish list includes a computer game, new trainers, two packs of football cards and a set of dumbbells.'