

SENTENCE TYPES

There are four types of sentences.

1. A **declarative** sentence makes a statement. A declarative sentence ends with a period.

Examples: John Glenn was one of our first astronauts.

This caramel apple tastes good.

Paseo Verde Elementary School is new.

2. An **interrogative** sentence asks a question. An interrogative sentence ends with a question mark.

Examples: Have you ever been to a fair?

What's your name?

Did your friend move to Iowa?

3. An **imperative** sentence gives a command. An imperative sentence ends with a period.

Examples: Put this in the kitchen, please.

Write your name on the paper.

Eat before you leave.

4. An **exclamatory sentence** shows emotion. An exclamatory sentence ends with an exclamation point (mark).

Examples: The ice cream man is here!

Stop!

Slow Down! You're driving too fast!