

# Interjections

An interjection is a word or phrase used to express strong feelings like anger, joy, disappointment, annoyance, fear, or surprise. Use an **exclamation mark** to set off interjections that express very strong feelings from the rest of the sentence. Use a comma to set off interjections that are not as strong. For example:

*Wow! I can't believe you're getting married.*

*Oh, I guess I'll just have some tea.*

**DIRECTIONS:** Circle the interjection in each sentence.

1. Aha! I've found a clue.
2. Um, maybe we should just talk later then.
3. Drat, the dog ate my homework.
4. Help! Can anybody hear me?
5. Yikes! I'm going to get into trouble for this.
6. Ugh! Not another chemistry test!

