



# Appositives

An appositive is a noun phrase that restates the noun. Use an appositive to add additional information or clarify which noun is intended. Use commas to set off an appositive. In the examples below, the appositives are underlined.

John, an athlete, has recently bought a canoe.

**DIRECTIONS:** Add an appositive of your choice to each sentence below to fill in the blank.

1. Children, \_\_\_\_\_, are a lot of fun.
2. Cats, \_\_\_\_\_, are my favorite animal.
3. I grew up with Joe, \_\_\_\_\_.
4. \_\_\_\_\_, my sister, is six.
5. Tuesday, \_\_\_\_\_, was interesting.
6. Yesterday, \_\_\_\_\_, was a great day.
7. Jill, \_\_\_\_\_, just got here.
8. \_\_\_\_\_, Dylan, is so funny.
9. This sentence, \_\_\_\_\_, is done now.
10. Bagels, \_\_\_\_\_, make a nice breakfast.