

Dialogue and punctuation

Grade 3 Punctuation Worksheet

Choose the sentence that is written correctly.

1. _____
 - a. Felicia noticed: "There is no one at the pool."
 - b. Felicia noticed "There is no one at the pool."
 - c. Felicia noticed, "There is no one at the pool."

2. _____
 - a. "Could I have more milk" asked Jake?
 - b. "Could I have more milk?" asked Jake.
 - c. "Could I have more milk? asked Jake."

3. _____
 - a. "What color do you prefer?" Jody asked.
 - b. "What color do you prefer" Jody asked?
 - c. "What color" do you prefer, Jody asked?

4. _____
 - a. Maria mentioned, "We should call mom."
 - b. Maria mentioned: "We should call mom."
 - c. Maria mentioned "We should call mom."

5. _____
 - a. "The game is over!" yelled Max.
 - b. "The game is over!", yelled Max.
 - c. "The game is over! Yelled Max"

6. _____
 - a. Terra said "Put it on the table."
 - b. Terra said: "Put it on the table."
 - c. Terra said, "Put it on the table."

7. _____
 - a. "Do you want a glass of water? Asked Faith."
 - b. "Do you want a glass of water?" asked Faith.
 - c. "Do you want a glass of water?", asked Faith.

8. _____
 - a. I think it is raining, said Kim.
 - b. "I think it is raining," said Kim.
 - c. "I think it is raining" said Kim.



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Answers

1. **c**
a. Felicia noticed: "There is no one at the pool."
b. Felicia noticed "There is no one at the pool."
c. **Felicia noticed, "There is no one at the pool."**
2. **b**
a. "Could I have more milk" asked Jake?
b. **"Could I have more milk?" asked Jake.**
c. "Could I have more milk? asked Jake."
3. **a**
a. **"What color do you prefer?" Jody asked.**
b. "What color do you prefer" Jody asked?
c. "What color" do you prefer, Jody asked?
4. **a**
a. **Maria mentioned, "We should call mom."**
b. Maria mentioned: "We should call mom."
c. Maria mentioned "We should call mom."
5. **a**
a. **"The game is over!" yelled Max.**
b. "The game is over!", yelled Max.
c. "The game is over! Yelled Max"
6. **c**
a. Terra said "Put it on the table."
b. Terra said: "Put it on the table."
c. **Terra said, "Put it on the table."**
7. **b**
a. "Do you want a glass of water? Asked Faith."
b. **"Do you want a glass of water?" asked Faith.**
c. "Do you want a glass of water?", asked Faith.
8. **b**
a. I think it is raining, said Kim.
b. **"I think it is raining," said Kim.**
c. "I think it is raining" said Kim.