

Practice

Copy the sentences.

Add any missing *speech marks* and *punctuation*.

- 1 Look at that enormous bird exclaimed the farmer.
- 2 What do you think it is asked Harry.
- 3 I have never seen anything like it said the farmer.
- 4 Look. It's flying towards us said Harry.
- 5 Run yelled the farmer.



Remember! Put your **speech marks** and **punctuation** after the spoken words.



Extension

Sometimes, the words that tell us **who** is speaking come **before** the spoken words.

The shopkeeper said, "I have run out of milk!"

We always put a **comma** after the words that show us who is speaking.

The girl shrieked, "Look at that spider!"

Carol asked, "Are you afraid of spiders?"



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Add the missing *punctuation*.

- 1 These are the spellings you have to learn said the teacher
- 2 Sam asked Do we have to learn all of these
- 3 The teacher replied Yes. All of them
- 4 I'll never learn all these spellings moaned Sam
- 5 Do a few each day suggested the teacher
- 6 Sam mumbled I suppose so

