

Punctuation practice



Name these **punctuation marks**.

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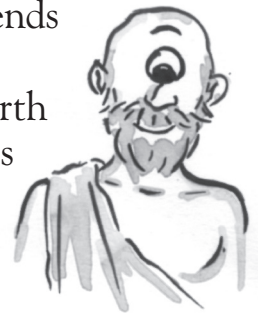
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Now rewrite the text below, adding the correct **punctuations**, and breaking it into **paragraphs**.

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: colon

; semicolon

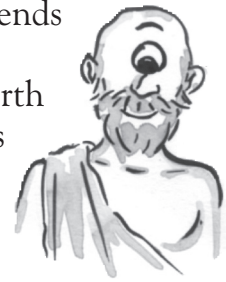
- hyphen

“ quotation marks

! exclamation point

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Giants have been the main characters in fairy tales, myths, and legends for centuries. They have been imaginary figures of fear and fun throughout the world, from the West to the East and from the North Pole to the South Pole. Some have strange names like Polyphemus the Cyclops from Greece, Blunderbore from England, and Jotun from Scandinavia.

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In many traditional stories, giants who smell trouble will often thunder “Fee-fi-fo-fum!”. They are not always very clever, so small, cunning heroes can trick them and escape from their clutches.

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As your child identifies each of the punctuation marks, ask him or her to explain when and how they are used. Look closely at your child’s handwriting, and point out any areas that need more practice.