

Day 5

Typing a conversation
between 2 characters

To write speech using the correct punctuation.

Think:

What are the rules of speech?

What is **wrong** with the speech below?

“Where do you want him to fly? asked the farmer.”

“Fly” shouted the man at the top of his lungs.

Think

- Can you think of any verbs to use instead of 'said'?
- Look at the word map on the next slide.
- Can you find any of the words you thought of?
- Can you find more words that you didn't think of?

Other Words for 'Said'

chided snapped
shouted mumbled hissed
groaned whispered begged continued
cautioned demanded suggested comforted
pleaded wondered declared retorted
explained countered repeated ventured
gushed insisted yelled murmured
cried stammered spat agreed
blurted stuttered



Think

- Think about when the two men take the eagle out early in the morning at the end of the story.
- What sort of things do you think they would be discussing on their journey?

Your task

- Type a conversation between the two men when they take the eagle out early in the morning.
- **Ch1**- Use **inverted commas** at the beginning and end of speech as well as **commas** and **full stops** where needed. (e.g. “Where are you taking me?” said the farmer.)
- **Ch2**- As above and **avoid the use of ‘said’** (e.g. “Where are you taking me? “enquired the farmer).
- **Ch3**- As above and using **adverbs** (e.g. “Where are you taking me?” groaned the man impatiently.)

Well done!



Good work!