

Y2 – grammar

LO to spot squashed sentences

A squashed sentence is when you have two sentences which are squashed together without punctuation to separate them .

It was a nice day.I went to the park.

Theo is very happy.It is his birthday.

The man ate twenty burgers.He felt very sick.

The teacher fell over.It was very funny.

Amelia built a castle out of Lego.^{She}Amelia loves building things.

The girl ran down the street.^Sshe was late for school.

Your job is to spot and correct the squashed sentences.

1. The Salty dogs were very hungry they didn't have any food.
2. Captain Fifi is the Captain he is the bravest dog in the crew.
3. The name of their boat is Wishbone it has a huge sail.
4. Barker is the strongest dog it is his job to load the cannon.
5. The cook on the ship is Pug he isn't a very good cook he can only cook make bone soup.

The following text has lots of squashed sentences. Have a go at rewriting it correctly.

The Salty Dogs are a crew of seven canine pirates they are led by the brave Captain Fifi they are hungry for treasure but haven't found any in a long time the Salty Dogs meet lots of other fierce pirate crews and have many adventures