An interjection is a word or group of words used to express strong feelings or surprise. An exclamation point or comma is used to separate the interjection from the rest of the sentence.

**EXAMPLE:** Man! I wish I had some of that cake!

Gosh, I was pretty sure I had shut the door.

**DIRECTIONS:** Underline the interjections in the following sentences.

1. Gee, I thought you had the tickets.
2. Yum! That’s the best ice cream I have ever eaten!
3. Gosh, do you think the rain will hold off long enough?
4. Rats, I left my book at school.
5. Finally, we get to eat!
6. Alas, Rachel missed the bus and had to walk to school.
7. Hooray! It’s summer!
8. Oh, I forgot to water the plants.
9. Guess what? I made the cheerleading squad!
10. At her wits end, Tina decided to try one last approach.
11. Oh no! You spilled your drink all over the table!
12. Great, I’ll let Jane know that you’ll be coming.
13. Surprise! We are all here to help you celebrate your birthday!
14. Super, a day at the water park is just what I need!
15. Yes, I heard you the first time.
16. Woo hoo! We won the game!