

Name _____ **Appositives**



Say It Again!

An appositive is a noun phrase that restates the noun. An appositive can add additional information, or clarify which noun is intended. An appositive is usually set off with commas. In the examples below, the appositives are underlined.

Rachel, a straight-A student, never studies.

My dad's car, a Toyota, is paid for.

Those puppies, wiggly playthings, are fun to watch.

DIRECTIONS: Add an appositive of your choice to each sentence below to fill in the blank.

1. Students, _____, arrive at eight.
2. Dogs, _____, should go to obedience school.
3. The weather, _____, is unpredictable.
4. Paul, _____, is kind and generous.
5. That desk, _____, is an antique.
6. Her story, _____, defies belief.
7. The big box, _____, is from me.
8. Computers, _____, are here to stay.
9. Those scissors, _____, belong to me.
10. _____, Mary agreed to his proposal.