ENGLISH LANGUAGE- CH- 2TYPES OF SENTENCES

- <u>1.</u> Declarative or assertive sentence.
- 2. Imperative sentence.
- 3. Exclamatory sentence.
- <u>4.</u> Interrogative sentence.

DECLARATIVE SENTENCE- A Declarative sentence simply makes a statement or express an opinion. In other words, it makes a declaration. It ends with a full stop.

Ex- I want to be a good writer.

IMPERATIVE SENTENCE- An imperative sentence gives a command or a request. It also gives an order, advice, offer, warning, make wish for someone or gives instruction. It ends with a full stop.

Ex- please sit down.

EXCLAMATORY SENTENCE- It expresses great emotion such as excitement, surprise, happiness and anger. It has an exclamatory mark in the sentence.

Ex- wow! It is a great day.

INTERROGATIVE SENTENCE-An interrogative sentence ask a question. This type of sentence often begins with who, what, whom, why, how. So it ends with a question mark(?).

Ex- Do you know my name?

EXERCISE -1

CHANGE THE FOLLOWING SENTENCES TO IMPARATIVE SENTENCES.

1. They were told to open their books.

Ans- Open your books.

2. You are requested to help the poor.

Ans- Please help the poor.

3. We should not walk on the grass.

Ans- Do not walk on the grass.

4. The teacher ordered the students to stop talking.

Ans- Stop talking.

5. We should not take medicine without a doctor's advice.

Ans- Do not take medicine without a doctor's advice.

EXERCISE- 2

FORM ASSERTIVE SENTENCES FROM THE GIVEN INTERROGATIVE SENTENCES.

1. Does a cow live on grass?

Ans- A cow lives on grass.

2. Are you feeling better today?

Ans- you are feeling better today.

3. Shall i help you?

Ans- I shall help you.

4. Do i hate liars?

Ans- I hate liars.

EXERCISE-3

CHANGE THE FOLLOWING ASSERTIVE SENTENCES INTO INTERROGATIVE SENTENCES.

1. Geeta can dance very well.

Ans- Can geeta dance very well?

2. They have won the match.

Ans- Have they won the match?

3. This is a good book.

Ans- Is this a good book?

4. I play badminton.

Ans- Do i play badminton?

5. The baby does not like milk.

Ans- Does the baby not like milk?

EXERCISE - 4.

REWRITE THE FOLLOWING SENTENCES AS EXCLAMATORY SENTENCES.

1. I have committed a blunder.

Ans- Oh! I have committed a blunder.

2. It is a stinking drain.

Ans- Oh! It is a stinking drain.

3. The baby looks very cute.

Ans- How cute the baby looks!

4. The leader is no more.

Ans- Alas! The leader is no more.

5. We have won the match.

Ans- Hurrah! We have won the match.

EXERCISE-5

CLASSIFY THE FOLLOWING SENTENCES AS DECLARATIVE, IMPARATIVE, INTERROGATIVE AND EXCLAMATORY SENTENCES.

1. Help! I am falling down.

Ans-Exclamatory sentence

2. Please pass the sugar.

Ans-Imperative sentence

3. Stop the traffic.

Ans-Imperative sentence

4. There is no shop nearby.

Ans-Declarative sentence

5. Have some mercy.

Ans-Imperative sentence

6. Where are the children?

Ans-Interrogative sentence

7. India and Pakistan are neighbouring countries.

Ans-Declarative sentence

8. Have you done your homework?

Ans-Interrogative sentence

9. What a beautiful flower!

Ans-Exclamatory sentence

10. I just can't believe it!

Ans- Exclamatory sentence