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Lecture 8

First stage

Types of sentences

1.Declarative sentence:

A declarative sentence is a type of sentence that makes a statement or provides information.

Here are a few examples of declarative sentence

- 1. "I enjoy reading books."
- 2. "The cat is sleeping on the couch."
- 3. "She graduated from university last month."
- 4. "The concert starts at 8 pm."

....The purpose of declarative sentences is to convey facts, opinions, descriptions, or information without seeking an answer or posing a question.

2.Imperative sentence:

An imperative sentence is a type of sentence that gives a command, makes a request, or offers advice or instructions. It is used to express a direct and often urgent statement or instruction.

Imperative sentences typically do not have a subject, as the subject is usually understood to be "you," .

They often begin with a verb in the base form (infinitive) or with a verb in the base form followed by "please" to make the request more polite.

Here are a few examples of imperative sentences:

- 1. Sit down and be quiet.
- 2. Please close the door when you leave.
- 3. Take out the trash before you go to bed.
- 4. Don't forget to bring your passport.
- 5. Be sure to double-check your work.

3.Interrogative sentence

Interrogative sentences, also known as question sentences, are a type of sentence that are formed to ask a question or seek information.

These sentences are characterized by their structure and the use of interrogative words (question words) or a question mark at the end.

4.Exclamatory sentence:

An exclamatory sentence is a type of sentence that expresses strong emotions, excitement, surprise, or any intense feeling.

It is used to convey a strong reaction or to emphasize a certain point. Exclamatory sentences are typically punctuated with an exclamation mark (!) at the end to indicate the heightened emotion.

Here are a few examples of exclamatory sentences:

- 1. "What a beautiful sunset!"
- 2. "I can't believe we won the game!"
- 3. "How amazing is that performance!"
- 4. "What a lovely surprise!"
- 5. "Wow, that's incredible