

Understand

Parenthesis is extra information added to a sentence. We use brackets (), dashes –, or commas, to separate the parenthesis from the rest of the sentence.

Underline the **parenthesis** in each sentence.

Elizabeth II (the Queen of Great Britain) became the longest serving monarch in history.

Jasmine and Poppy, from Cambridge, travelled to Scotland for a holiday.

My car – which is over ten years old – need to go to the garage.

Choose one of the **parentheses** below, and include it in a sentence.

– **my favourite** – , **who is my brother**, (in London)

Challenge

Write three sentences about this picture, using different punctuation to add **parenthesis** for each one.



Y5 SPaG Challenge

Parenthesis

1) use **brackets**

2) use **commas**

3) use **dashes**

Apply

Write a paragraph about this scene.
Include examples of **parenthesis** in your writing.



Can you include a range of conjunctions in your writing?