A declarative sentence is easy.

Almost every sentence is one, you see.

So, remember if it’s stating something,

Use a period- it’s declarative.

The dog is running. Or, The fish is swimming.

Easy, boring, using the declarative.

**Want to sing along? (tune: Proud Mary)**

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=SgD4oxR1_Hw> 0:00-0:43

Stop! It’s imperative! That means a command or request.

“You” can be added!

Use a period or exclamation point.

Think it over!

**Want to sing along? (Tune: Stop! In the name of love!)**

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=dKWQ9czbNc8> 0:53-1:18

Do you know interrogative?

It’s when you ask a question.

It’s easy to find, ‘cause there’s a question mark.

Can you listen?

Is there a question to answer?

Then you know for sure, it’s interrogative.

**Want to sing along? (Tune: Do you Believe in Magic?)**

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=D9Qz-gzmoa0> 0:00-0:27

I’m so excited!

And I just can’t hide it!

I figured out an exclamatory sentence is exciting!

You use an exclamation point

It’s really great!

I know I know I know I know I know I got this!

**Want to sing along? (Tune: I’m so Excited)**

http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=cyJ\_CusAgNU 1:07-1:28