Types of Sentences Readers Theatre Script
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1	Hey, what are sentences?
2	Sentences are
All	groups of words.
3	Sentences make
All	a complete thought.
4	Sentences end with
All	a mark of punctuation [gesture] [sound effect].
5	Welcome to…
All	Meet Those Sentences!
6	The program that introduces you to
All	Four types of sentences [gesture][sound effect].
1	Four?
All	Yes, four [gesture].
7	Declarative. [gesture]
All	Declarative.[gesture]
8	Interrogative?[gesture]
All	Interrogative?[gesture]
9	Imperative! [gesture]
All	Imperative! [gesture]
10	And one more!
1	One more?
All	Yes—one more!
10	Exclamatory![gesture]
All	Exclamatory! [gesture]
1	But what do they mean? What do these sentences do?
11	A declarative sentence makes a statement and
All	ends with a period. [gesture][sound effect]
12	Jordan is cool.
All	[same gesture & sound effect for a period as above]
13	An interrogative sentence asks a question.
All	and ends with a question mark. [gesture][sound effect]

14	Is Jordan cool?
All	[same gesture & sound effect for a question mark as above]
15	An imperative sentence gives a command or makes a request and
All	ends with a period. [gesture] [sound effect]
2	Be cool, Jordan.
All	[same gesture & sound effect for a period as above]
1	Declarative, interrogative, imperative—that's three. Isn't there one more?
All	Yes, one more…
3	An exclamatory sentence expresses a strong feeling and
All	ends with an exclamation mark. [gesture][sound effect]
4	Jordan is the absolute coolest!
All	[same gesture & sound effect for an exclamation mark as above]
5	So there you have it—the four types of sentences!
6	Review them with us—
7	Declarative. [gesture]
All	Declarative. [gesture]
8	Interrogative? [gesture]
All	Interrogative? [gesture]
9	Imperative! [gesture]
All	Imperative! [gesture]
10	And one more!
1	One more!
All	Yes—one more!
10	Exclamatory![gesture]
All	Exclamatory! [gesture]
11	Thanks for joining us here on…
All	Meet Those Sentences! [gesture] [sound effect]